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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Barbara H. Eccles, Secretary of Senate

FROM: Millo Shaw, Director of Risk Management and Access to Information,  
Secretary to the Senate Academic Appeals Committee and the Judicial  
Panel

DATE: September 13, 2016

RE: ***Report on Student Appeals, 2015-2016***

### **Code of Student Behaviour and Disciplinary Procedures**

Three appeals were considered by Tribunals of the Judicial Panel under the Code of Student Behaviour and Disciplinary Procedures (accessible on-line at <https://www.lakeheadu.ca/faculty-and-staff/policies/student-related/code-of-student-behaviour-and-disciplinary-procedures>) during the 2015-2016 academic year. All three concerned non-academic misconduct. Two of the appeals were dismissed; the third appeal is ongoing.

### **Senate Academic Appeals Committee (SAAC)**

During the 2015-2016 academic year six student appeals were considered by SAAC Tribunals under the Senate Policy Regarding Academic Appeals (accessible on-line at: <https://www.lakeheadu.ca/faculty-and-staff/policies/student-related/reappraisal-and-academic-appeals>). One was an appeal from a final course mark, which was dismissed. The remaining five appeals were all from academic decisions other than a final course mark. Of these, one appeal was allowed, with conditions. In all of the remaining four the Tribunals determined that the SAAC could not take jurisdiction and the appeals were terminated.