

TITLE

Application of Academic Integrity Policies in an Online Environment

BRIEF SYNOPSIS

This session will describe best practices educational institutions can use to maintain academic integrity in an online learning environment. Topics covered will include: student identity verification, methods and tools needed for proctoring, monitoring a variety of assessment types, plagiarism prevention for assignments, training for faculty and students, technical support for technologies used, institutional processes/workflows and tools used for handling noncompliance, and finally, lessons learned.

SPEAKER

SPEAKER BIO:

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Susan H. Fenton, PhD, RHIA, CPHI, FAHIMA is an Associate Professor and the Associate Dean for Academic and Curricular Affairs at the University of Texas School of Biomedical Informatics in Houston, TX. She is responsible for their graduate certificates, master's and doctoral degree programs. Dr. Fenton recently led the development of the nation's first practice doctorate in health informatics (DHI). She is a 2019 recipient of the UT Regents' Outstanding Teacher Award and the 2019 Texas Health Information Management Association Legacy Award. Most recently, Dr. Fenton was inducted into the UT Shine Academy of Master Teachers. Dr. Fenton has received more than \$7 million in grant funding and also serves on a variety of regional and national professional association committees and boards. Dr. Fenton has more than 30 years experience in health informatics and health information management and holds a B.S. in health information management from UTMB in Galveston, an MBA from the University of Houston and a PhD in health services research from Texas A&M.



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DURATION

57 min 30 sec

TIMESTAMPS

0:00 - Speaker Introduction

2:41 - Methods and Tools

14:00 – Training

25:02 – Technical Support

28:58 – Handling Noncompliance

38:27 - Lessons Learned

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Q&A with Susan Fenton

Q: Which individuals would you suggest be on the disciplinary committee?

A: For us, once it goes to a hearing that is determined by the administration, not by the school. I would refer to your institutional policies.

Q: What are the main programs you work with?

A: Proctorio and Turnitin

Q: In the proctored evaluations, how do you prevent students from posting notes on the computer monitor and/or writing information on the computer (monitor/keyboard/laptop)?

A: We require out students to have the ability to conduct a 360 review of their space at any time on demand. We recommend an external webcam. It's part of our tech requirement.



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