

3. ~~...~~ flaws in same, or attempting to do so. Examples include: circumventing the computer registration processes and procedures for address assignment; creating or running programs that are designed to identify security loopholes, to decrypt intentionally secured data, or to gain unauthorized access to any system. If you find a hole in the security of any St. Thomas system, notify Information Technology Services (ITS) staff immediately at (651) 962-1000
4. Engaging in any activity that might be purposefully harmful to systems or to any information stored thereon, ~~...~~ St. Thomas Exchange system, and has had a data breach in the past. ~~...~~ St. Thomas Exchange system, and has had a data breach in the past. ~~...~~ implemented responsible virus and spam controls, and thereby introducing a steady stream of infected files to the St. Thomas system from within.
5. ~~...~~ altered the level of access to a university system.
6. Using University systems or content (including subscribed library electronic databases) for personal gain, for commercial purposes, or for partisan political purposes; for example, for profit with university resources in a manner not intended by the University.
7. Making or using illegal copies of copyrighted software or data, here defined to include text, audio, video or other files of course materials, presentations, or other communications over University networks. ~~...~~ University. You may not place copyrighted material on any computer connected to the St. Thomas network, unless you have the permission of the University. You may not place copyrighted material on any computer connected to the St. Thomas network, unless you have the permission of the University. You may not place copyrighted material on any computer connected to the St. Thomas network, unless you have the permission of the University. ~~...~~ copyright or can demonstrate a teaching, fair use, or research exemption from copyright law, and possibly to civil charges.
8. ~~...~~
9. ~~...~~
10. Sharing your username and password with others. Providing access to St. Thomas systems or networks to users who do not have an official ITS permission is prohibited. This includes providing user accounts on personal systems (i.e. home computers, cell phones, etc.) with usernames or passwords, or any such analog. If permission is granted, it must be for a specific purpose and duration.

11. ~~Accessing or using any other electronic resource in a network environment without the express permission of Information Technology Services staff. This includes (but is not limited to) wireless access points such as the Apple AirPort hubs, switches, routers, printers, and protocol analyzers.~~

12. ~~Abusing email.~~

email

~~Creating or using a user or machine in an electronic communication~~

~~Failing to comply with a request to stop emailing someone or to take them off a Distribution list~~

~~Sending all-campus email messages~~

~~Initiating or facilitating in any way mass electronic mailing (e.g., "spamming", "flooding" or "bombing") in excess of our needs of conduct and business, and then only with the advice and consent of Information Technology Services.~~

~~Taken together, these rules do not preclude sending non-work-related email to large lists of others. However, email should be treated as confidential and should be excluded from similar future mailings.~~

III ~~her~~ University Codes of Conduct

~~Unauthorized use of course materials, especially technology resources. These policies are based on respect for the intellectual ownership of others.~~

IV ~~Privacy, Data Pr~~

~~Files on local drives are private and should remain so. Certain files are accessible by systems. Given the possible application of confidentiality of confidential information files, and u~~

~~and the School of Social Work will not be examined for content nor disclosed without the prior~~

~~your email or private files the St. Thomas reserves the right (as permitted by state and federal law) of designated ITS staff to log and examine any and all network traffic on the university data servers and desktops, whenever necessary, particularly but not exclusively in the following situations:~~

Policy), Information Technology Services will investigate the incident and may involve other campus offices as needed.

For digital electronic evidence (files or e-mail) are wanted as evidence on a non-computer-related university disciplinary matter (such as an academic dishonesty case or a sexual harassment investigation), ITS will provide those files on request of Dean of Students, the General Counsel, Academic General Counsel, the dean of the respective college, or the Assistant Vice President for Human Resources.

Unless the infraction involves potentially criminal behavior, ITS will make an effort to inform the individual that their files are being accessed.

ITS requests the data as part of an authorized investigation.

V. Enforcement

The University considers violations of acceptable use principles to be serious offenses. The University will take such action as is necessary to copy and examine any files or information resident on University network devices related to unacceptable use and to protect its network from system events that threaten or degrade operations.

In the case of minor infractions, ITS will attempt to resolve the issue. If the issue is not resolved, ITS will be informed by the appropriate University officials for disciplinary action.

In the case of a major infraction, ITS will investigate the incident and determine if a search is warranted. ITS may request access to the network devices if necessary to determine if a search is warranted. ITS make a reasonable effort to occur whenever these incidents occur.

President of Human Resources, and other appropriate authorities, if necessary. ITS staff may take immediate denial of access to your account, loss of email privileges or removal of your system from the network. In cases involving violations of disciplinary offices will be given all information about an incident that ITS can collect. ITS will be given all information about the processes of investigations.

VI. Further Information

If you have any questions about this policy, please contact the ITS Help Desk at (651) 962-6230 or the Office of the Dean of Students at (651) 962-6230.