

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA-CHAMPAIGN SENATE

Senate Committee on Student Discipline 2015-2016 Annual Report

The Senate Committee on Student Discipline (SCSD) met 31 times during the 2016 fiscal year. These meetings included training, business meetings, and hearings. Over the course of the year, the SCSD considered a total of 21 appeals of the actions of its Subcommittees, including the Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct (SUSC), the Subcommittee on Graduate Student Conduct (SGSC), the Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct (SSM), and the Board of Fraternity Affairs (BFA). In addition, the SCSD met three times for interim suspension preliminary hearings, approving the Chancellor's action in all three cases.

Fall 2015 – Spring 2016 Senate Committee on Student Discipline Membership:

Faculty Members (9 members are required; only 8 were appointed during this academic year):

| | | |
|-----------------|------|---------------------------|
| Pat Gill, Chair | LAS | |
| Amy Ando | ACES | |
| Carolyn Beck | ENGR | |
| Darin Eastburn | ACES | |
| Michael Leroy | LER | (Resigned in August 2015) |
| Chris Lubienski | EDUC | |
| Yuan-Xiang Pan | ACES | |
| Kelly Ritter | LAS | |

Student Members (6 members are required):

| | |
|---------------------|------|
| Samantha Awad | LAS |
| Sarah Hochman | ACES |
| Sam Leroy | BUS |
| Caroline Quinanilla | SSW |
| Marissa Roberson | GRAD |
| Andy Storm | LAS |

Highlights of 2015-2016

- 1. *Committee Training:*** OSCR staff members conducted training sessions for all members of the subcommittees and the SCSD. New SUSC and SGSC members attended a four-hour training program on due process, questioning, sensitivity to social justice issues, sanctioning guidance, and deliberations. All SUSC, SGSC, and SCSD members attended a four-hour mock hearing for a physical violence case to practice and develop their questioning and deliberation skills.
- 2. *Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct Training:*** Over the course of three days in late August, OSCR trained the members of the new Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct along with the members of the Senate Committee on Student Discipline who would be responsible for hearing appeals in sexual misconduct cases. This training, though designed by OSCR staff, was a strong collaborative effort, as student affairs colleagues, academic colleagues, and professionals within the local community addressed the trainees.
- 3. *Review of Sanctioning Guidance:*** During the 2014-2015 fiscal year, the SCSD established a task force responsible for conducting an in-depth review of the sanctioning guidance document. This task force, which was chaired by a student member of the SCSD and included faculty representatives, other student representatives, and OSCR staff, concluded its review during the summer of 2015. Their proposal, with some modifications, was

approved by the SCSD during the fall semester. In addition, the SCSD updated sanctioning guidance to reflect the violations described in the university's Sexual Misconduct Policy, which had been adopted in the summer of 2015.

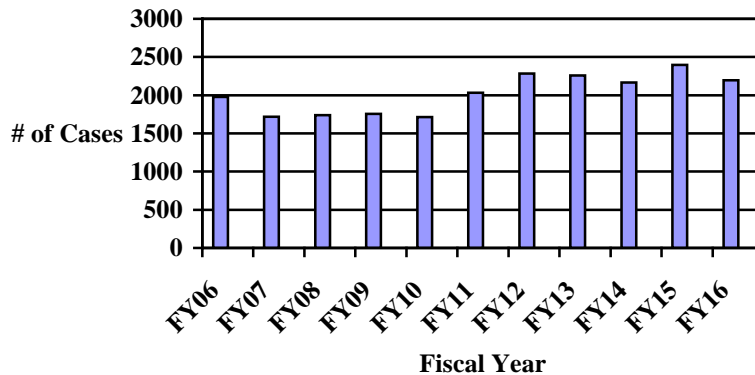
4. ***Student Disciplinary Procedures Revisions:*** The SCSD considered several minor changes to the Student Disciplinary Procedures, including Appendix D, proposed by the Executive Director. These changes were either clarifications or slight adjustments to better match the practices of OSCR. All of these changes were approved.
5. ***Subcommittee Selection:*** OSCR again led the effort to advertise for and select the new members of the Subcommittees on Undergraduate Student Conduct, Graduate Student Conduct, and Sexual Misconduct. We received 42 applications and selected a total of 12 undergraduates, 4 graduate students, 2 faculty members, and 2 staff.

Student Conduct Statistics Executive Summary

- The Office for Student Conflict Resolution addressed a total of 2197 cases in FY16. This is an increase over last year's total.
 - 1439 Disciplinary Officer cases
 - 47 Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct cases
 - 2 Subcommittee on Graduate Student Conduct cases
 - 29 Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct cases
 - 672 first-time academic integrity notices
- The Senate Committee on Student Discipline heard 21 appeals in FY16. Of that number, 19 decisions were upheld without changes and 2 were modified.
- The Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct heard 3 appeals of Disciplinary Officer decisions in FY16. All three decisions were upheld without changes.
- The Subcommittees on Student Conduct heard 40 petitions for readmission in FY16. Of that number, 36 were approved and 4 were denied.
- The Executive Director heard 45 petitions for removal of transcript notations in FY16 and all but 1 were approved.
- OSCR referred 135 students to AODO in accordance with the Mandatory Assessment policy in FY16. These students were not subject to disciplinary action. This is a substantial increase over FY15, during which OSCR referred 72 students.
- OSCR staff handled 376 disciplinary background checks and 201 federal background checks in FY16.

TOTAL DISCIPLINE CASES ADDRESSED (BY YEAR)

| 2006-07 | 2007-08 | 2008-09 | 2009-10 | 2010-11 | 2011-12 | 2012-13 | 2013-14 | 2014-15 | 2015-16 |
|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1716 | 1737 | 1754 | 1714 | 2033 | 2283 | 2257 | 2165 | 2395 | 2395 |



OSCR Disciplinary Statistics (FY16)

| FORMAL SANCTIONS | Discipline Officer | SUSC Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct | SGSC Subcommittee on Graduate Student Conduct | SSM Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct | RHJC Residence Hall Judicial Commission | Organizational Hearing Body | College of Law | TOTAL |
|--|--------------------|---|--|--|--|-----------------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Reprimand | 564 | | | | 4 | | | 568 |
| Censure | 447 | 2 | | | 2 | | | 451 |
| Internal Conduct Probation | 89 | | | | | | | 89 |
| Conduct Probation | 176 | 7 | 1 | 5 | | | | 189 |
| Dismissal Held in Abeyance | | 6 | | | | | | 6 |
| Dismissal Held in Abeyance to Conduct Probation | | 3 | | | | | | 3 |
| Dismissal Held in Abeyance to Dismissal | | 6 | | 2 | | | | 8 |
| Dismissal | | 21 | 1 | 11 | | | | 33 |
| Revocation of RSO Status | | | | | | 1 | | 1 |
| Dropped Charges (all charges) <small>*student demographics NOT included in overall statistics</small> | 21 | | | | | | 1 | 22 |
| Not In Violation <small>*student demographics NOT included in overall statistics</small> | 142 | 2 | | 11 | | | | 155 |
| | 1439 | 47 | 2 | 29 | 6 | 1 | 1 | |
| Total Formal Sanctions | | | | | | | | 1348 |
| <small>* "Dropped Charges" & "Not In Violation" are NOT included in final total for Formal Sanctions *</small> | | | | | | | | |

NOTE: Each formal sanction may contain multiple violations.

| BEHAVIORAL SANCTIONS | TOTAL |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Alcohol Incapacitation Referrals | 135 |
| Behavioral Expectations | 5 |
| No Contact Directive | 28 |
| Suicide Incident Referrals | 37 |
| | |
| Total Behavioral Sanctions | 205 |

| APPEALS | Executive Director | SUSC | SCSD | TOTAL |
|---|--------------------|------|------|-----------|
| Original Decision Affirmed <small>* None of the grounds for appeal were met.</small> | 4 | 3 | 19 | 26 |
| Original Decision Modified | | | 2 | 2 |
| | | | | |
| Total Appeals | | | | 28 |

| PETITIONS FOR READMISSION and/or CONFERRAL OF DEGREE | TOTAL |
|--|-----------|
| Approved w/ no conditions | 4 |
| Approved w/ conditions | 32 |
| Denied | 4 |
| | |
| Total Petitions for Readmission | 40 |

| PETITIONS FOR TRANSCRIPT NOTATION REMOVAL (Executive Director) | TOTAL |
|--|-----------|
| Approved | 44 |
| Denied | 1 |
| | |
| Total Petitions for Transcript Notation Removal | 45 |

| DISCIPLINARY BACKGROUND REQUESTS (ODOS/walk-in/write-in/fax-in) | TOTAL |
|--|--------------|
| Disciplinary background NOT found | 333 |
| Disciplinary background found | 43 |
| Total Requests | |
| | 376 |
| FEDERAL BACKGROUND CHECKS | |
| Disciplinary background NOT found | 196 |
| Disciplinary background found | 5 |
| Total Federal Background Checks | |
| | 201 |
| NOTICES TO OTHER UNIVERSITIES | 6 |
| SUBPOENA REQUESTS | 19 |
| GRAND TOTAL OF <u>ALL</u> ACTIONS | 2268 |

| VIOLATIONS | Discipline Officer | SUSC Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct | SGSC Subcommittee on Graduate Student Conduct | SSM Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct | RHJC Residence Hall Judicial Commission | Organizational Hearing Body | TOTAL |
|---|---------------------------|--|---|---|---|------------------------------------|--------------|
| 302.a.1 (Actions causing bodily harm to an individual) | 8 | 10 | | 5 | | | 23 |
| 302.a.2 (Actions of physical contact of an insulting or provoking nature with an individual) | 18 | 11 | 1 | 6 | | | 36 |
| 302.a.3 (Actions of reckless disregard for the health or safety of any person) | 9 | 3 | | 1 | | | 13 |
| 302.a.4 (Actions of any threat or physically threatening behavior creating reasonable fear for one's safety) | 8 | 2 | | 6 | | | 16 |
| 302.a.5 (Actions of persistent, pervasive, or severe behavior denying a person's participation in the University community) | | 1 | | 1 | | | 2 |
| 302.b.1 (Sexual Assault, as defined by §1-111(c)(2)(a) of the Student Code) | | | | 4 | | | 4 |
| 302.b.1 (Sexual Assault, as defined by §1-111(c)(2)(b) of the Student Code) | | | | 7 | | | 7 |
| 302.b.2 (Sexual Harassment, as defined by §1-109 of the Student Code) | | | | 10 | | | 10 |
| 302.b.3 (Sexual Exploitation, as defined by §1-111(c)(4) of the Student Code) | 1 | | | 3 | | | 4 |
| 302.b.4 (Dating Violence, as defined by §1-111(c)(7) of the Student Code) | | | | 2 | | | 2 |
| 302.b.4 (Sexual Harassment as defined by the 2014-2015 Student Code) | | | 1 | | | | 1 |
| 302.b.5 (Domestic Violence, as defined by §1-111(c)(8) of the Student Code) | | | | 2 | | | 2 |
| 302.c (Actions of stalking) | | | 1 | 4 | | | 5 |
| 302.d (Actions taken or situations created for the purpose of hazing) | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| 302.e.1 (Actions using force or violence to willfully deny, impede, obstruct, impair, or interfere with the movement of any person, including entering or leaving property or facilities) | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| 302.f (Actions of any conduct that substantially threatens or interferes with the maintenance of appropriate order and discipline in the operations of the University) | 2 | | | | | | 2 |
| 302.g (Actions of providing false or misleading information to a member or agent of the University) | 22 | 4 | | 1 | | 1 | 28 |
| 302.h (Actions of providing false or misleading information to a University or other law enforcement official) | 41 | 8 | | | | | 49 |
| 302.j (Actions of theft, unauthorized use, or unauthorized possession of property or services of another; knowingly possessing stolen property) | 87 | 3 | 1 | | | | 91 |
| 302.k (Actions of intentional or reckless destruction or damage of University, public, or personal property) | 61 | 4 | 1 | | 4 | | 70 |
| 302.l (Actions of indecent exposure of the body, including public urination or defecation) | 33 | | | | | | 33 |
| 302.m (Actions of unauthorized entry to or use of University, public, private premises) | 39 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 2 | | 49 |
| 302.n.3 (Actions of abuse of computers where the University community's interest is substantially affected; specifically, the unauthorized use of another individual's identification, account, or password) | | 1 | | | | | 1 |
| 302.o.1 (Actions of failure to obey the directive of a disciplinary body or University officials) | 10 | 2 | | 1 | | | 13 |

| VIOLATIONS (continued) | Discipline Officer | SUSC Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct | SGSC Subcommittee on Graduate Student Conduct | SSM Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct | RHJC Residence Hall Judicial Commission | Organizational Hearing Body | TOTAL |
|--|---------------------------|--|---|---|---|------------------------------------|--------------|
| 302.o.6 (Actions of harassment or intimidation of any participant in the disciplinary system) | | 1 | | | | | 1 |
| 302.q (Actions of violating published University policies, rules, or regulations) | 8 | 2 | | | | | 10 |
| 302.s (Actions of committing or attempting to commit any act which would be a violation of local, state, or federal law on or off University property) | 2 | 1 | | 1 | | | 4 |
| 304.b (Actions of altering or intentionally mutilating a University ID card; using the ID card of another or allowing one's ID card to be used by another) | 3 | | | | | | 3 |
| 305.d (Actions of illegally possessing or using drugs or drug paraphernalia) | 262 | 22 | | | | | 284 |
| 305.e (Actions of distributing, selling or making drugs) | 1 | 9 | | 1 | | | 11 |
| 307.a.1 (Actions of possessing or consuming alcoholic beverages under the age of twenty-one) | 620 | 7 | | 2 | 4 | | 633 |
| 307.a.2 (Actions of giving or otherwise furnishing alcoholic beverages to any person under the age of twenty-one) | 17 | | | 1 | | | 18 |
| 307.c (Actions of consuming alcohol with disruptive behavior) | 9 | | | | | | 9 |
| 307.d (Actions of transferring or altering ID cards; the use or sale of the ID card of another or a false or forged ID card; or the use of false information to obtain an ID card; presenting or possessing a false ID in an attempt to enter a liquor establishment or to procure alcohol) | 132 | | | | | | 132 |
| 307.g (Actions of driving under the influence of alcohol or other drugs) | 18 | 1 | | | | | 19 |
| 309.a (Actions of possessing or storing weapons by students is prohibited on any property owned or controlled by the University, including certified housing units) | 4 | | | | | | 4 |
| 309.e (Actions of use or threatened use of any object while committing the violation may be considered an aggravating factor) | 1 | 1 | | 1 | | | 3 |
| 310.a (Actions of unauthorized use, abuse, or interference with fire protection equipment, building security systems, security or fire personnel, or warning devices) | 6 | | | | | | 6 |
| 406 (Actions of multiple violations of the Academic Integrity Policy) | 63 | 3 | | | | | 66 |
| | 1485 | 102 | 6 | 61 | 10 | 2 | |
| Total Violations | | | | | | | 1666 |

| EDUCATIONAL SANCTIONS | Discipline Officer | SUSC Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct | SGSC Subcommittee on Graduate Student Conduct | SSM Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct | RHJC Residence Hall Judicial Commission | Organizational Hearing Body | TOTAL |
|---|---------------------------|--|---|---|---|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Academic/Work History | | 27 | 1 | 11 | | | 39 |
| Alcohol & Other Drug Office | | | | | | | |
| CAAP | 78 | | | | | | 78 |
| Discovery Group | | 1 | | | | | 1 |
| Evaluation | 74 | 4 | | 1 | 2 | | 81 |
| MIC | 168 | 3 | | | | | 171 |
| Recommended Programs | 69 | 4 | | 1 | 2 | | 76 |
| SAW | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| Alternatives to Violence | 7 | 4 | | 1 | | | 12 |
| Anger Management (w/ Outside Agency) | 2 | 5 | | 1 | | | 8 |
| Drug Testing | | 12 | | | | | 12 |
| eCHUG Assessment & Essay | 543 | 1 | | | 1 | | 545 |
| Educational Project | 24 | 4 | | 2 | 2 | | 32 |
| Essay (reflective/research/subject specific) | 566 | 22 | | 15 | 2 | | 605 |
| Ethics in Action Workshop | 55 | 1 | | | 2 | | 58 |
| Housing Hallmarks Quiz | 10 | | | | 1 | | 11 |
| Letter of Apology | 14 | 5 | | | 1 | | 20 |
| Mandated Service | 92 | 32 | 1 | 14 | 2 | | 141 |
| Meeting w/ Licensed Professional Counselor | | 3 | | 7 | | | 10 |
| Petition Letter | | 27 | 1 | 13 | | 1 | 42 |
| Probationary Review Meetings | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | | 4 |
| Restitution | 19 | | | | 1 | | 20 |
| "Smashed" Video Review | 3 | | | | | | 3 |
| Smoke Free Policy Warning | 33 | | | | | | 33 |
| "Spin The Bottle" Video | 2 | | | | | | 2 |
| Substance Abuse Evaluation & Follow-Up Programs (w/ Outside Agency) | 6 | 15 | | 1 | | | 22 |
| Trespass Notification | | 16 | 2 | 13 | | | 31 |
| | 1768 | 187 | 6 | 80 | 16 | 1 | |

¹All sanctions issued (formal and educational) are included in the overall statistics.

Total Educational Sanctions

2058

STUDENT DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

* Student demographic information NOT included if the student is not currently enrolled *
 ** Organizational bodies do NOT include student demographics in overall statistics **

AGE

| 16 - 18 years | 19 - 20 years | 21+ years |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 141 10.47% | 874 64.88% | 332 24.65% |

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CLASSIFICATION

| Freshman | Sophomore | Junior |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 472 35.04% | 347 25.76% | 289 21.46% |
| Senior | Graduate | |
| 222 16.48% | 17 1.26% | |

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GRADE POINT AVERAGE

| 0 - 1.09 | 1.10 - 2.09 | 2.10 - 2.59 |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 31 2.30% | 94 6.98% | 193 14.33% |
| 2.60 - 3.09 | 3.10 - 3.59 | 3.60 - 4.00 |
| 342 25.39% | 444 32.96% | 243 18.04% |

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ACADEMIC HOURS EARNED

| 0 - 25 | 26 - 50 | 51 - 75 |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 115 8.54% | 489 36.30% | 317 23.53% |
| 76 - 100 | 101 - 125 | 126 + |
| 213 15.81% | 131 9.73% | 82 6.09% |

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GENDER

| Male | Female |
|---------------|---------------|
| 917 68.08% | 430 31.92% |

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ETHNICITY

| American Indian or Alaskan Native | Asian or Pacific Islander | Black Non-Hispanic |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| 3 0.22% | 162 12.03% | 109 8.09% |
| Hispanic | International | White Non-Hispanic |
| 175 12.99% | 111 8.24% | 633 46.99% |
| Not Indicated | Other | |
| 31 2.30% | 123 9.13% | |

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| STUDENT DATA | |
|--|------------|
| MAJOR | |
| ACES | 114 |
| | 8.46% |
| Agricultural & Consumer Economics | 37 |
| Agricultural Leadership & Science Education | 2 |
| Agricultural & Biological Engineering | 2 |
| Agricultural Production | 1 |
| Animal Sciences | 17 |
| Crop Sciences | 5 |
| Food Science & Human Nutrition | 23 |
| Horticulture | 1 |
| Human Development & Family St | 9 |
| Natural Resources & Environmental Science | 6 |
| Nondegree | 2 |
| Technical Systems Management | 9 |
| AHS | 65 |
| | 4.83% |
| Community Health | 19 |
| Interdisciplinary Health Sciences | 9 |
| Kinesiology | 19 |
| Nondegree | 3 |
| Recreation Sport and Tourism | 11 |
| Speech & Hearing Science | 4 |
| BUSINESS | 130 |
| | 9.65% |
| Accountancy | 24 |
| Business Administration (MBA) | 2 |
| Curriculum Unassigned | 66 |
| Finance | 19 |
| Information Systems & Information Technology | 2 |
| Management | 3 |
| Marketing | 10 |
| Nondegree | 3 |
| Supply Chain Management | 1 |
| DGS | 216 |
| | 16.04% |
| Undeclared | 216 |
| EDUCATION | 22 |
| | 1.63% |
| Early Childhood Education | 1 |
| Elementary Education | 9 |
| Learning and Education Studies | 2 |
| Special Eduation | 10 |
| ENGINEERING | 258 |
| | 19.15% |
| Aerospace Engineering | 17 |
| Agricultural & Biological Engineering | 3 |
| Bioengineering | 8 |
| Civil Engineering | 34 |
| Computer Engineering | 34 |
| Computer Science | 28 |
| Electrical & Computer Engineering | 2 |
| Electrical Engineering | 26 |

| ENGINEERING (continued) | |
|--|----|
| Engineering Mechanics | 8 |
| Engineering Physics | 11 |
| Engineering Undeclared | 3 |
| Environmental Engineering in Civil Engineering | 1 |
| General Engineering | 7 |
| Industrial Engineering | 17 |
| Materials Science & Engineering | 14 |
| Mechanical Engineering | 28 |
| Nondegree | 7 |
| Nuclear, Plasma, Radiologic Engineering | 9 |
| Physics | 1 |

| FAA | | 50 |
|------------------------|----|-----------|
| | | 3.71% |
| Architectural Studies | 22 | |
| Art Education | 1 | |
| Art Foundation | 7 | |
| Dance | 1 | |
| Graphic Design | 5 | |
| Industrial Design | 2 | |
| Jazz Performance | 2 | |
| Landscape Architecture | 2 | |
| Music Education | 1 | |
| Nondegree | 1 | |
| Theatre | 4 | |
| Urban Planning | 2 | |

| LAS | | 444 |
|--|----|------------|
| | | 32.96% |
| Actuarial Science | 13 | |
| African American Studies | 2 | |
| Anthropology | 4 | |
| Astronomy | 2 | |
| Atmospheric Sciences | 1 | |
| Biochemistry | 11 | |
| Biology | 55 | |
| Cell and Developmental Biology | 1 | |
| Chemical Engineering | 30 | |
| Chemistry | 17 | |
| Classics | 1 | |
| Communication | 29 | |
| Computer Science & Chemistry | 2 | |
| Computer Science & Linguistics | 2 | |
| Creative Writing | 2 | |
| Earth Society Environmental Sustainability | 5 | |
| Ecol Evol Conservation Biol | 1 | |
| Economics | 35 | |
| English | 11 | |
| Gender and Women's Studies | 2 | |
| General Curriculum | 9 | |
| Geography & Geographic Info Sc | 2 | |
| Geology | 1 | |
| History | 7 | |
| Integrative Biology | 14 | |
| LAS - Undeclared | 10 | |
| Latin American Studies | 1 | |
| Math & Computer Science | 12 | |
| Mathematics | 16 | |
| Molecular and Cellular Biology | 22 | |
| Nondegree | 8 | |

| LAS (continued) | |
|-------------------------------|----|
| Philosophy | 2 |
| Physics | 15 |
| Political Science | 26 |
| Psychology | 58 |
| Religion | 1 |
| Sociology | 5 |
| Spanish | 1 |
| Statistics | 5 |
| Statistics & Computer Science | 3 |

| MEDIA | | 39 |
|-----------------------------|----|-----------|
| | | 2.90% |
| Advertising | 19 | |
| Agricultural Communications | 2 | |
| Broadcast Journalism | 2 | |
| Journalism | 9 | |
| Media and Cinema Studies | 3 | |
| News-Editorial | 4 | |

| SOCIAL WORK | | 9 |
|--------------------|---|----------|
| | | 0.67% |
| Social Work | 9 | |