



Plagiarism & UCD Computer Science

- **Plagiarism is a serious academic offence**
 - [Student Code, sections 6.2 & 6.3] or [UCD Registry Plagiarism Policy] or [CS Plagiarism policy and procedures]
- Our staff/demonstrators are **proactive** in looking for possible plagiarism
- Suspected plagiarism is investigated by the CS Plagiarism subcommittee
 - Usually includes an interview with student(s) involved
 - 1st offence: **usually** 0 or NG in the affected components
 - 2nd offence: more serious consequences e.g. UCD Disciplinary process
- Student who *enables* plagiarism is *equally responsible* for it
- **Examples** of plagiarism:
 - Copying the files of another student and submitting them as your own work
 - Copying some/all of an assignment from the Internet/book/etc without referencing it
 - Sharing images of your work with another student (by e-mail, FB messenger, WhatsApp, ...)
 - A group of students working on a solution, then individually submitting the same work
 - Students collaborating at too detailed a level e.g. consulting each other after implementing a line/block/segment of code and sharing the results