



Happy New Year and Welcome Back!

We hope that you had a refreshing and restful holiday break and are ready to tackle the 2021 Winter Term!

The year 2020 came with many unprecedented challenges for all of us, but there are many things we should be proud to have achieved. For the Academic Integrity Unit, we had time to reflect, plan, and initiate new outreach strategies with hopes of increasing awareness about academic integrity, especially in this new remote environment.

Make your future bright! Practise Academic Integrity

So, what did the AIU accomplish in 2020?



- We collaborated with a variety of campus partners, including: Student Affairs & Services, Career Centre, Centre for Student Engagement, Health & Counselling Centre, Robert Gillespie Academic Skills Centre, Office of the Registrar, UTM Library, International Education Centre, and the University of Toronto Mississauga Student Union.

- We kicked off the 2020-2021 academic year with the Academic Integrity Poster Competition!
- We joined other Ontario post-secondary institutions in the annual International Day Against Contract Cheating.
- We launched the inaugural issue of the AIU Newsletter! New issues will be released monthly.



Congratulations to **Emily Tjan**, the first place winner of our poster contest! Emily is a 4th-year student in Comparative Physiology & Chemistry.

Coming Soon: IntegriTEA

- Over the course of the Winter 2021 term, the AIU will be holding several IntegriTEA sessions. Students can sip on a cup of tea while chatting with the AIU staff and special guest speakers from various faculties and departments. We want to encourage open and honest discussions on all topics related to academic integrity.



Looking for Support?

If you are looking for support or feeling overwhelmed during these times, try connecting with one of these resources:

- All UofT students can access 24/7 mobile counselling or crisis support with [Keep.meSAFE](#) using the My SSP app. Keep.meSAFE can also be accessed via phone at 1-844-451-9700.
- Speak with a professional counsellor by calling [Good2Talk](#), a dedicated 24/7 helpline for post-secondary students, at 1-866-925-5454.
- Students currently residing in Ontario can call the [Health & Counselling Centre](#) at 905-828-5255, Monday to Friday, to book telephone appointments.

Visit our [website](#) and follow us on [Instagram](#) for more useful information and resources!