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AND ACADEMIC DISHONESTY: A CORRELATIONAL STUDY

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Abstract

This research study was conducted to determine the relationship between the students' personal responsibility and academic dishonesty. The participants of this study were the 200 randomly selected students of the College of Business at John B. Lacson Foundation Maritime University, Molo, Iloilo City, second semester of the academic year 2008-2009. The needed data for the study were obtained through the validated researcher made questionnaire. The study used the statistical tools such as mean, standard deviation, t-test, ANOVA and Pearson's r. Results showed that the level of students' personal responsibility when taken as an entire group was "adept". When classified according to sex, age, and monthly family income, students' level of personal responsibility was also "adept". When grouped according to course, BSBA students' level of personal responsibility fall under "responsible" compared to

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other courses. The level of the student's academic dishonesty was "neutral". When grouped according to course, BSMIT students were "slightly dishonest". When grouped according to year level, it was shown that the fourth year students were "slightly dishonest" compared to the other students who belonged to other year level.

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