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All students must be make sure that, in all assessed work, they acknowledge the sources of all information and ideas which are not their own by using the conventions for references and attribution set out in the Programme Handbook. Claiming the work of other people to be your own is called Plagiarism. The University of Winchester defines Plagiarism as:

The verbatim or near-verbatim copying or paraphrasing, without acknowledgement, from published or unpublished material attributable to or which is the intellectual property of another, including the work of other students. (MA Regulations 2009, Section I.3.2)

Plagiarism is usually committed by copying or paraphrasing passages from a source without giving credit to the author, or by failing to provide an accurate reference such that it is not clear what is your own work and what is by another.

Students who plagiarise will fail the assignment, the module and potentially also the entire MA Programme, depending on the severity of the offence.

In order to ensure that you are fully aware of your responsibility to acknowledge all your sources, the college requires you to sign this form at the start of your studies and again at the beginning of every year.

Name:

I understand this Statement of Academic Integrity.

I will ensure that the work which I submit for assessment is my own work and that I will not present the words and ideas of others as my own.

Signed:

Date:

This form must be signed by your own hand and given or posted to:

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