Article I. Jurisdiction
The SCoC defines a process for the efficient adjudication regarding alleged misconduct by students enrolled at Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi. The SCoC establishes standards of behavior, both scholastic and behavioral, for the student body of TAMU-CC and their guests. The SCoC applies to all student conduct, on and off campus.

The online version of the SCoC is the official document regarding student conduct policies, procedures, rules and regulations. The online version of the SCoC supersedes all previous conduct codes, policies, or procedures regarding student conduct. TAMU-CC Student Conduct & Community Standards is under the umbrella and oversight of the Office of Student Conduct & Advocacy. Student Conduct & Community Standards oversees the adjudication of all cases of student misconduct governed by the SCoC. Action taken by the Student Conduct & Community Standards regarding the SCoC does not preclude actions in civil or criminal court. Similarly, actions in civil or criminal court do not preclude action by Student Conduct & Community Standards under the SCoC. In addition, the University reserves the right to exercise jurisdiction for events or actions occurring off-campus in those instances in which the University’s community interest, image, and/or the pursuit of its objectives is affected.

In addition to the SCoC, there are other areas that may have additional jurisdiction. These areas include but are not limited to the following:

1. Academic Misconduct: Academic misconduct is a violation of the SCoC and is resolved through the procedure for Student Academic Misconduct Cases (see University Rules & Procedures Section 13.02.99.C0.04).

2. Financial Disputes: Disputes over financial concerns or complaints of University rules and regulations regarding the payment of bills and loans are resolved through the office or department where the dispute originated.

3. Motor Vehicle and Parking Violations: Violations of the University parking policy regarding Motor Vehicle and Parking Regulations are handled by the Parking Division of the University Police Department.

4. Contractual Obligations: Violations of non-conduct contractual obligations between students and the University and/or its affiliates are handled by the appropriate University office.

5. University Housing (American Campus Communities) Lease Contract: Lease violations will be addressed by Miramar or Momentum Village personnel. Lease violations that are simultaneously violations of the SCoC will be addressed by Student Conduct & Community Standards in communication/conjunction with Miramar or Momentum Village personnel, where appropriate.

6. Sexual Misconduct Violations: Alleged violations identified in the SCoC as sexual misconduct and other alleged violations when gender-based, may be processed under the Student Sexual Misconduct Process in conjunction with the Title IX Coordinator, when appropriate.

7. Student Organizations: Student organizations that violate the Student Organization Conduct Process may be addressed simultaneously through an investigation by Student Activities and adjudication by Student Conduct & Community Standards (per the outlined procedures) as well as by their National Organizations, if applicable.