



APPEAL

1. **Right of Appeal:** Both the Complainant and the Respondent have the right to appeal the determination issued by a Formal Hearing Panel. Appeals are limited to 1500 words and must be based on one or more of the following grounds:

- 1) *The appealing party has new information that was not reasonably available before the investigation and could have significantly affected the investigation.*
- 2) *The appealing party has evidence of a procedural error in the investigation that could have significantly affected the decision for dismissal.*
- 3) *The appealing party has evidence of bias on part of the Title IX Coordinator or Investigators in the investigation that could have significantly affected the decision for dismissal.*

Any appeal filed after the date specified in determination letter or without citing appropriate grounds will be dismissed.

I, _____ (print full name), understand the appeal process and am hereby filing for appeal. Attached is my statement of reasoning for appeal, which aligns with one or more of the grounds stated above.

Signature

Date