



# Academic integrity and plagiarism in Poland

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**Institutions safeguarding academic integrity, before and after reforms**

**Disciplinary procedures for academic staff, before and after reforms**

**Incidence of plagiarism and other types of academic dishonesty**

**Ongoing efforts to strengthen academic integrity**

## **Committee for Ethics in Science**

→ “Good practices in academic review procedures” (2010)

## **Committee for Good Academic Practices**

→ “Integrity in scientific research and respect for intellectual property” (2012)

→ “Good academic practices in hiring and in superior-subordinate relations” (2014)

## **Assembly of Disciplinary Ombudsmen**

## **Committee for Ethics in Science (of the Polish Academy of Sciences)**

→ “Code of ethics for research workers” (2012)

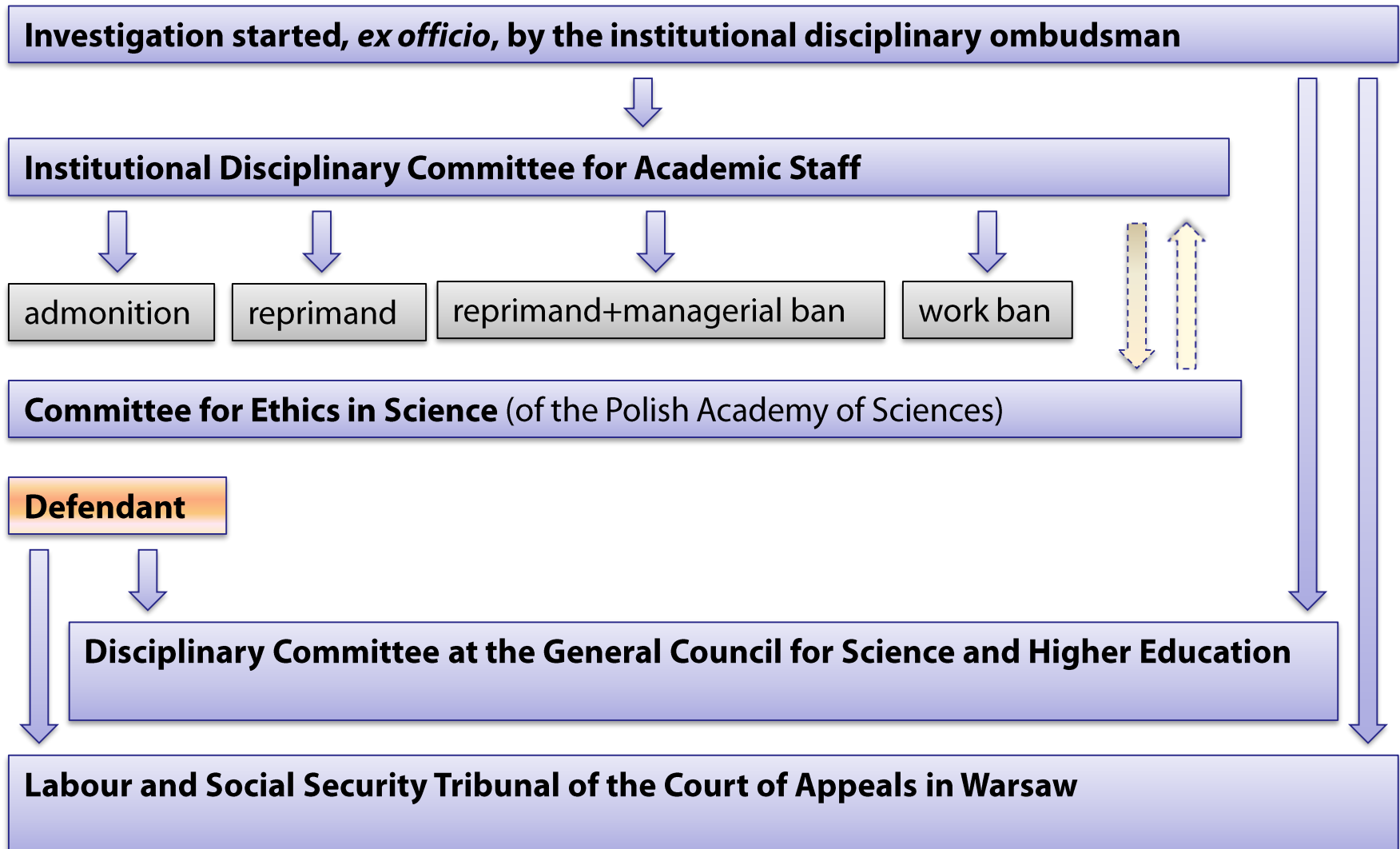
**Institutional disciplinary ombudsmen**

**Institutional Disciplinary Committee for Academic Staff**

**Disciplinary Committee appointed by the Minister of Science and Higher Education**

**Disciplinary Committee at the General Council for Science and Higher Education**

**Labour and Social Security Tribunal of the Court of Appeals in Warsaw**



## Publication of legally binding disciplinary sanctions

before October 2016

**The Journal of the Minister of Science and Higher Education**

since October 2016

**The Integrated Information System for Science and Higher Education "POL-on"**

## Incidence of plagiarism and other types of academic dishonesty, considered by the Disciplinary Committee at the General Council for Science and Higher Education, 2009 - 2016

2009: **2** cases of plagiarism

2010: **4** cases of plagiarism, **2** cases of falsified research results

2011: **4** cases of plagiarism

2012: **5** cases of plagiarism

2013: **7** cases of plagiarism, **1** case of autoplagerism, **1** case of inaccurate citation of sources

2014: **6** cases of plagiarism, **1** case of autoplagerism

2015: **5** cases of plagiarism

2016: **5** cases of plagiarism

- probably too early yet for the recent changes to have an effect

**Expanding nation-wide repository of graduate theses in electronic form, with active cooperation of rectors of higher education institutions**

**Central Uniform Anti-plagiarism System is being constructed, an on-line service for higher education institutions to use to verify the originality of submitted theses**





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