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LEGAL AND INSTITUTIONAL FRAMEWORK FOR FIGHTING AGAINST CORRUPTION IN EDUCATION

LEGAL FRAMEWORK

Constitution of Montenegro, Law on Higher Education, Law on **Public** Procurement, Law on Budget and **Fiscal** Responsibility, Law on the Recognition of Foreign **Educational** Credentials and Qualifications **Equivalents and** Law on Educational INSTITUTIONAL FRAMEWORK

Ministry and governing bodies in educational institutions

The State Audit
Institution, the AntiCorruption Initiative
Directorate, the Public
Procurement Directorate
and the Public
Procurement Control
Commission are in
charge of the control of
proper operations



HIGH-RISK AREAS







EMPLOYMENT OF PROFESSIONAL STAFF

The choice of teaching and administrative staff

Lack of unique legal regulation for the selection of academic staff at universities in Montenegro

The problem of overengagement of the same professors "Ghost teachers"- i.e., professors that are at a payroll, but not at the lectures



FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

source: CeMI

The control of the public procurement in Montenegro

Regulation of the procurement of textbooks and teaching materials



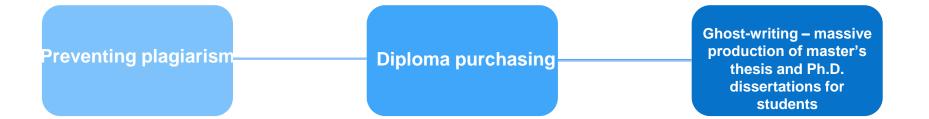
Business activities of institutions of high education and transparency of financial management



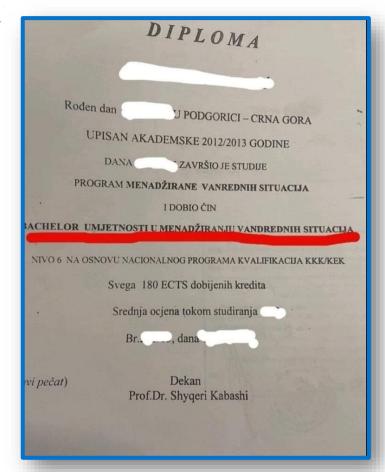
PROCESS OF EXAMINATION AND KNOWLEDGE ASSESSMENT

source: CeMI

Admission of students in institutions of higher education







CASE STUDY

DIPLOMA PURCHASING

"LLB in art management for extraordinary occasions"

Source: Alternativa Crna Gora



PLAGIARISM IN MONTENEGRO

source: www.plagiarism.org

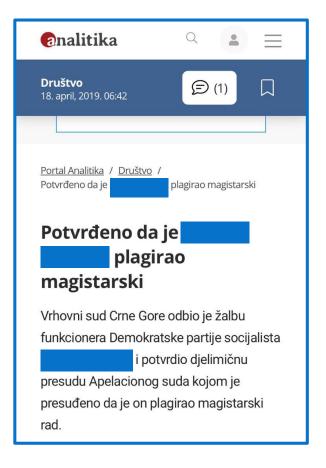
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Copying parts of other author's text

Paraphrasing without reference Citing out of context





CASE STUDY

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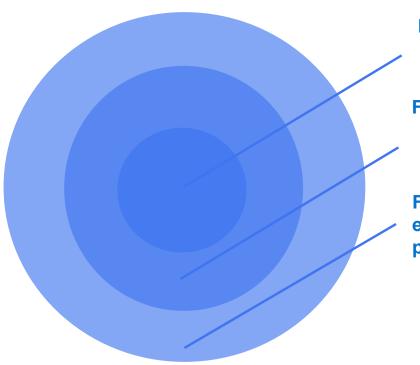
"Supreme court has set out that a high party official plagiarized his master's thesis."

source: Portal Analitika



CONSEQUENCES OF PLAGIARISM





Individual

Endangering personal and academic integrity

For academic institution

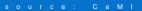
The validaty of all diplomas acquired in this institution is questioned

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Plagiarists the credibility of the institution in which that person is employed



PROCESS OF ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO UNIVERSITIES





The award of scholarships

Distribution of student dormitories

Criteria for enrollment



CONSEQUENCES OF CORRUPTION



Non-academic
/ immoral
attitude of
students: e.g.
rewriting,
cheating etc...



CONCLUSION

Famous statement of Nelson
Mandela displayed at the
entrance of the University of
South Africa



"Destroying any nation does not require the use of atomic bombs or the use of long-range missiles. It only requires lowering the quality of education and allowing cheating in the examinations by the students."

Patients die at the hands of such doctors.

Buildings collapse at the hands of such engineers.

Money is lost in the hands of such economists & accountants.

Humanity dies at the hands of such religious scholars.

Justice is lost at the hands of such judges...

"The collapse of education is the collapse of a nation."



LITERATURE



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