Plagiarism

• What is Plagiarism?
  – false representation of someone else's work as your own

• Example offenses in COSI classes
  – submission of any work that represents someone else's work
    • e.g., submitting a program with minor modifications of a classmate's code
    • e.g., submitting a written exercise taken from the text's solution manual
    • e.g., submitting a program with code copied from a website
    • e.g., submitting a program generated using a code generation tool
    • e.g., submitting a program written by someone hired/requested by the student
  – joint completion of work + submitting copies separately
  – resubmitting assignment from another course for credit
  – allowing someone else to submit your work as their own
1. plagiarism is unacceptable
   – all submitted work must be your own

2. ignorance of the rules is not an excuse
   – you know the rules

3. breaking these rules a serious offence
   – possible sanctions:
     • failing the course
     • suspension or dismissal from program