ACADEMIC HONESTY STATEMENT

I have read and understand the University of Chicago’s academic honesty and plagiarism policy, which states the following:

ACADEMIC HONESTY & PLAGIARISM

It is contrary to justice, academic integrity, and to the spirit of intellectual inquiry to submit another’s statements or ideas of work as one's own. To do so is plagiarism or cheating, offenses punishable under the University's disciplinary system. Because these offenses undercut the distinctive moral and intellectual character of the University, we take them very seriously.

Proper acknowledgment of another's ideas, whether by direct quotation or paraphrase, is expected. In particular, if any written or electronic source is consulted and material is used from that source, directly or indirectly, the source should be identified by author, title, and page number, or by website and date accessed. Any doubts about what constitutes "use" should be addressed to the instructor.

I understand that cheating, copying, and all forms of plagiarism and academic dishonesty are considered a serious offence in the Masters Program in Computer Science.

I understand that all work I submit is to be my own, done exclusively by me without any outside assistance. I will never submit the work of another student or materials I have found online. If I collaborate on work or reference materials I have found online, it is my responsibility to list any and all outside sources used.

I understand that some instructors may use plagiarism detection software to grade my work.

I understand that the program’s administration is notified of any violations of this policy, no matter how minor, and that a first offense can be punished with a zero for the assignment, an automatic F grade for the course, being placed on academic probation, suspension from the program and expulsion from the University of Chicago.

Further, I understand that subsequent instructors will be made aware of my status and that a second offense is very likely to result in my termination from the program.

Finally, I understand that the Masters Program in Computer Science at the University of Chicago maintains a set of Program Policies which are readily available from the “Current Student” section of the program’s website and that it is my responsibility to be aware of the Program Policies and to comply with them as a student in the program.

YOUR FULL NAME (Please Print): ____________________________________________

TODAY’S DATE: __________________________________________________________

YOUR SIGNATURE: _______________________________________________________