

Video surveillance regulations - Alliance Française de Moncton

According to guidelines accessible at this link.

Our video surveillance policy states:

the justification and purpose of the surveillance system

- The surveillance system has two objectives:
 - to record continuously during official exams in order to prevent fraud or, if necessary, serve as evidence,
 - and to record any movement detected outside exam hours in order to monitor the computer equipment in the room in question.

the location and field of view of the equipment

 In the exam room for computer-based tests, two cameras are positioned on opposite walls and their field of vision is directed towards the stations where candidates sit to take their tests.

the specific characteristics of the system

- Outside of official exams:
 - the cameras activate when they detect movement,
 - and they have night vision.

the rationale and purpose of the chosen location and field of view

 The location and field of view of the two cameras allow the entire room to be covered and any suspicious movement to be observed.

• the personnel authorized to operate the system and access the information it contains

- The exam coordinator (or, in their absence, the director) extracts a video when additional evidence is needed in cases of fraud
 - Please note: the recorder is password protected.

the hours of surveillance

- o On days when exams are held: from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Otherwise, 24/7 for motion detection.

• when recording takes place, if applicable

- o During an official examination
- When movement is detected.



where the signals from the equipment are received and monitored

The cameras and recorder are not connected to the Internet; they are connected by cable. Recordings are stored solely on the recorder's hard drive. The exception to this is when a recording is needed as evidence of fraud, in which case the recording is shared with the relevant exam officials if necessary.

guidelines for managing video surveillance recordings, including security, use, disclosure, and storage

- Security: recordings are password-protected in the recorder.
- Use and disclosure: an extract from a recording may be disclosed to the appropriate authorities in the event of fraud or a violation.
- Storage: Recordings are stored on the recorder's hard drive until the recorder overwrites them (estimated time before the recorder overwrites: between 1 and 3 months).

procedures for the secure destruction of video surveillance recordings

- The cameras overwrite recordings gradually: estimated 1 to 3 months between recording and destruction.
- procedures allowing individuals to access information collected about them and to challenge any alleged failure to comply with the policy
 - The candidate involved in a recording used as evidence in a case of fraud may request to consult the recording.
- the name of the privacy officer who can answer questions about surveillance
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The Alliance Française de Moncton pledges to comply with the provisions of these regulations at all times.