

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA**

No 1:08-cv-119

EDWARD CARRINGTON, et al.

Plaintiffs,

v.

DUKE UNIVERSITY, et al.,

Defendants.

Motion to Dismiss Complaint By “Duke
University Defendants”

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6) and Local Rules 7.2 and 7.3, the “Duke University Defendants”—defined by the Court and the parties for purposes of this motion to comprise Duke University, Richard Brodhead, John Burness, Robert Dean, Matthew Drummond, Victor Dzau, Aaron Graves, Kate Hendricks, Peter Lange, Larry Moneta, Tallman Trask, and Suzanne Wasiolek—hereby move the Court to dismiss all claims asserted against them for failure to state a claim on which relief may be granted.¹ A chart identifying the causes of action and the defendants against whom each cause is asserted is attached as an Exhibit (Exhibit 1) to the accompanying Brief in Support of “Duke University Defendants” Motion to Dismiss Complaint.

¹ (See Joint Mot. to Extend Page Limitations and to Establish a Rule 12 Briefing Schedule, Dkt. 50, at 1 (defining “Duke University Defendants”); Order, Dkt. 51 (granting Joint Mot.).)

The bases for this Motion are presented in detail in the accompanying Brief in Support of “Duke University Defendants” Motion to Dismiss Complaint. For the reasons set forth therein, the “Duke University Defendants” respectfully request that the claims asserted against them be dismissed with prejudice. Because of the number of causes of action in the Complaint and the complexity of the issues raised thereby, the “Duke University Defendants” request that oral argument be scheduled on their Motion to Dismiss pursuant to Local Rule 7.3(c)(1).

Respectfully submitted, this the 30th day of May, 2008.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on May 30, 2008, I electronically filed the foregoing Motion to Dismiss Complaint By “Duke University Defendants” with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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