Policy 1.1
Approval Process for Policies with University-Wide Applicability

**Responsible Official:** Senior Vice President and General Counsel  
**Administering Division/Department:** Office of the General Counsel  
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Overview

All policies of university-wide applicability must be drafted, approved, and disseminated in the standard manner set forth in this policy.

Applicability

This policy applies to all policies of university-wide applicability.

Policy Details

**1.1.1 Promulgation of Policies with University-wide Applicability**

Each Vice President is responsible for the promulgation of policies of university-wide applicability in the area of his or her responsibility. In fulfilling this responsibility, Vice Presidents shall (a) monitor the appropriateness of existing policies; (b) identify the need for and draft new or revised policies; (c) consult with others - such as faculty, Deans, administrators, Office of General Counsel, and/or the President or the appropriate Executive or Senior Vice President - as needed and appropriate; and (d) authorize publication to the policies.emory.edu website.

**1.1.2 Form of Policies with University-wide Applicability**

All policies with university-wide applicability shall be in the Standard Policy Format.

**1.1.3 Dissemination of Policies with University-wide Applicability**

All policies with university-wide applicability shall be posted on policies.emory.edu.

AAIT is responsible for the technical maintenance of the policies.emory.edu website.

**1.1.4 Applicability to Policies in Force before October 25, 2006**

Policies of university-wide applicability that are in force before October 25, 2006 (the effective date of this policy) shall be reformatted into the standard format set forth in section 1.1.2, and posted on policies.emory.edu no later than March 31, 2007.
Definitions

**University-wide applicability:** Policies that apply to all employees and/or students of the University. In contrast, for example, a policy that has applicability solely to a particular school is not a policy with university-wide applicability.

**Policy:** A high-level overall plan embracing general goals and acceptable procedures.

Related Links

- Current Version of This Policy: [http://policies.emory.edu/1.1](http://policies.emory.edu/1.1)
- [Policies Home Page](http://www.policies.emory.edu)

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Revision History

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