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Handbook Updates

April, 2010
Revised Student Class Attendance and Excused Absences in Section 3: Conduct of Academic Programs - Instructional Program Policies

April, 2010
Revised - Instructional Computing and Research Support Services in Section 1: Organization of the Faculty - Standing Committee System of the Faculty and Its Senate

March, 2010
Revised Promotion Dossiers in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty

March, 2009
Revised Benefits for Retired Faculty in Section 5: Personnel Benefits

March, 2009
Revised Academic Leave of Absence for One or More Semesters: Research/Scholarship Semester for Tenure-track Assistant Professors in Section 4: Faculty Appointments and Conditions of Employment

March, 2008
Revised Faculty Promotion and Tenure in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty

March, 2008
Revised Minimum Standards for Promotion in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty

August, 2007
Academic Calendar, Class Meetings, Course Scheduling, and Attendance in Section 3: Instructional Program Policies

July, 2007
Benefits for Retired Faculty and Medical Insurance in Section 5: Personnel Benefits

May, 2007
Revised Promotion & Tenure, Promotion Dossiers in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty

January, 2007
Added Faculty Adoption of Instructional Materials in Section 4: Academic Freedom and Standards of Conduct

January, 2007
Revised Credit by Examination in Policy Guide for Department Chairs and Academic Program Directors

November, 2006
Added Academic Leave of Absence: Retirement Leave in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty

November, 2006
Updated Academic Leave of Absence for One or More Semesters: Maternity Leave in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty.

November, 2006
Added Secondary, Joint, Adjunct, and Visiting Faculty Appointments in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty to replace previous separate sections on Adjunct Faculty and Visiting Faculty.

October, 2006
Added Academic Leave of Absence: Vacation Leave in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty
September, 2006

Removed all references to the Annual Physical Examination benefit, which is no longer available.

August, 2006

Added Workload and Evaluation: Alteration of Electronic Processes in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty

March, 2006

Revised Academic Freedom and Standards of Conduct: Sexual and Other Unlawful Harassment in Section 3: Personnel Policies for Faculty

December, 2005

Revised Academic Calendar, Class Meetings, Course Scheduling, and Attendance in Section 3: Conduct of Academic Programs.

November, 2005

Revised Academic Freedom and Standards of Conduct: Sexual and Other Unlawful Harassment in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty

June, 2005

Revised Academic Leave of Absence for One or More Semesters: Sabbatical Leave in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty

March, 2005

Updated Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty: Faculty Appointments and Conditions of Employment

February, 2005

Added Section 3: Conduct of Academic Programs: Instructional Program Policies: Teaching by Professionals

Updated Section 3: Research Program Policies: Principal Investigator Eligibility Guidelines

December, 2004

Updated Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty: Faculty Appointments and Conditions of Employment

Updated Section 3: Conduct of Academic Programs: Instructional Program Policies: Teaching in Special Sessions and Professional and Continuing Studies

Updated Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty: Faculty Workload Policies: Evaluation of Faculty

October, 2004

Revised Academic Leave of Absence for One or More Semesters: Sabbatical Leave in Section 4: Personnel Policies for Faculty

Added Travel Reimbursements to Section 3: Conduct of Academic Programs

August, 2004

Added Service Learning Programs to Section 3: Conduct of Academic Programs: Instructional Program Policies

Moved Guidelines for Scheduling Courses Administered through the Division of Professional and Continuing Studies (PCS) to Section 3: Conduct of Academic Programs: Instructional Program Policies

July, 2004

Revised Section 4: Workload and Evaluation: Categories of Faculty Activity to include the policy on Workload Adjustments for Faculty Senate Responsibility

Moved section on Academic Conflicts of Interest to Section 4: Academic Freedom and Standards of Conduct: Employment of Members of the Same Family and Academic Conflicts of Interest

Added Section 3: Conduct of Academic Programs: Instructional Program Policies: Inclement Weather

Revised Section 2: Academic Program Organization: Program & Policy Boards, Committees & Commissions to add a section on University Council on Student Diversity and Success
April, 2004

Added Section 3: Research Program Policies: Copyright and Fair Use: Use of Copyrighted Works by Faculty, Staff and Students

Revised Section 4: Academic Freedom and Standards of Conduct: Consulting and Other Outside Employment to include consulting and clarify policies

Revised Section 4: Promotion and Tenure to reflect updates from Faculty Senate

Added Section 1: Constitution of the Faculty of the University of Delaware and Section 1: Standing Committee System of the Faculty and its Senate

January, 2004

Added Section 4: Academic Freedom and Standards of Conduct: Guidelines For Writing Letters Of Recommendation

Added paging (Next, Previous) to all pages

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