



Minnesota State Colleges and Universities Board Policies Chapter 5 – Administration

5.13 Information Technology Administration

Part 1. Policy Statement. It is the policy of the Board of Trustees in accordance with its mission to disseminate and extend knowledge, to foster the free exchange of ideas, and to provide effective support for its teaching, research and public service functions. Appropriate access will be afforded to information technology resources, including but not limited to computers, software, e-mail accounts, internet access, and similar computing tools, for Minnesota State College and University students, faculty and staff for fulfilling the missions, and for appropriate related activities.

Part 2. Responsibilities. The chancellor shall develop an information technology strategic plan for approval by the Board of Trustees and prescribe data, applications, security, and technology standards in order to ensure the effectiveness, efficiency, timeliness, and accuracy of information gathered, stored and utilized by the system office, colleges, and universities. The chancellor shall review college and university information technology plans.

Each college and university shall adopt a campus policy on computer and network system use and security.

Part 3. Accountability/Reporting. The Board will be periodically updated on the implementation of the MnSCU information technology strategic plan and the plans of the colleges and universities.

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