

POLICY STATEMENT 30 STUDENT PRIVACY RIGHTS

POLICY DIGEST

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I. PURPOSE

To inform all concerned of the rights and prerogatives of students under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA) and to outline procedures for those students who wish to inspect, review, amend, or challenge disclosure of their education records.

II. GENERAL POLICY

Louisiana State University is committed to adhering to FERPA and ensuring the confidentiality of student education records. Any disclosure of education records will be made only in compliance with FERPA. For specific information regarding compliance with FERPA, see "Privacy and Release of Student Education Records" online at https://lsu.edu/registrar/privacy-guidelines/index.php and posted in the Office of the University Registrar.

III. PROCEDURES

Responsibility for interpretation of the provisions of this policy statement rests with the University Registrar, the custodian of the student's official education record.

IV. SOURCE

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA): http://www2.ed.gov/policy/gen/guid/fpco/ferpa/index.html

V. APPENDIX

Privacy and Release of Student Education Records: https://lsu.edu/registrar/privacy-quidelines/index.php