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<b>UNIVERSITY</b>	<b>ACADEMIC POLICY</b>

<b>Subject/Title:</b> Graduate Academic Standing, Academic Dismissal and Readmission
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<b>Responsible Division/Department:</b> Academic Affairs
<b>Initiating Authority:</b> Provost & Executive Vice President of Academic Affairs

**A. APPLICABILITY/ACCOUNTABILITY:**

This policy applies to all graduate students who are taking or have taken coursework at the University.

**B. POLICY STATEMENT:**

A student must remain in good academic standing in order to continue in his or her graduate program of study. A graduate student who possesses a Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above is considered to be in Good Academic Standing. A student's failure to remain in good academic standing may lead to academic probation, academic suspension, or academic dismissal from the University.

**C. PROCEDURES:**

- 1) A student whose cumulative GPA is below a 3.0 for the first time in the student's academic career as a graduate student at the University will be placed on academic probation. The Graduate Division Director and Department in which the student is enrolled will determine any additional conditions that the student must meet for continued enrollment and will provide written notice to the student of those conditions.
- 2) A student on academic probation whose cumulative and semester GPA is below 3.0, or who fails to meet the conditions for continued enrollment set by the Graduate Division or the student's Department, will be automatically academically dismissed from the student's program and the University.
- 3) A student who earns more than one F while enrolled at the University as a graduate student will be automatically academically dismissed from his or her program and from the University.
- 4) If a student is academically dismissed, the student may apply for readmission to the University after a minimum of one calendar year has elapsed since the student was academically dismissed. To apply for readmission, a student must follow the graduate admission procedures as outlined in University regulations **FPU-2.001 Admission to the University and Appeal Process-General** and **FPU-2.008 Graduate Admissions**.
- 5) Upon readmission, the course catalog in effect on the student's date of readmission will apply.

ACADEMIC POLICY APPROVAL

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