Title IX Advisory Committee

Mission: The mission of the Title IX Advisory Committee is to promote respect, education, and awareness of appropriate relationships in an equal opportunity environment at Mayville State University.

Objectives:
1. To facilitate institutional awareness of campus needs, to include human resources required to implement prevention and other programs, activities and strategies needed to involve and inform students, and the coordination of efforts with other public safety and community law enforcement entities.
2. Develop, implement and monitor uniform policies addressing all forms of harassment, violence, and stalking.
3. Help define practices that set clear behavioral expectations for all.
4. Help develop and deliver consistent messaging through education and training regarding prevention, bystander engagement, and individual and community responsibility.
5. Integrate and clarify reporting responsibilities and procedures for all campus entities.
6. Regularly monitor and update/upgrade strategies needed to ensure compliance with federal requirements.
7. Review and recommend policies and procedures related to other aspects of Title IX issues, including reporting of suspected violations, resolution of identified violations and intervention with those involved in suspected violations.
8. Assist in the development of academic curriculum related to the prevention of sexual misconduct.
9. Serve as an Appeal Panel for those cases referred to it by the Title IX Coordinator.

Membership:
Members of the Title IX Advisory Committee shall be appointed by the President’s Cabinet and shall include representatives of the following entities:
- A senior level administrator. Appointed by President’s Cabinet.
- A coach or staff member from the Athletic Department. Appointed by Athletic Director.
- The institution’s Human Resources Director.
- A staff member with background, interest in, and responsibility for educational programming with students. Appointed by President’s Cabinet.
- A faculty member with background, interest in, and experience in curriculum development. Appointed by President’s Cabinet.
- A student with experience and interest in peer leadership and peer education. Appointed by President’s Cabinet.
- At least one student appointed by Student Senate.
- At least one faculty member appointed by Faculty Association.
- At least one staff member appointed by Staff Senate.

The chair of the Title IX Advisory Committee will be the institution’s Chief Compliance Officer.

Function:
The Title IX Advisory Committee shall meet at least once each semester and more often as needed. At least once each year the Council shall review current institutional policies and practices that are related to issues associated with sexual misconduct and shall recommend changes in policy and practices, as they are warranted. In addition, the Council shall regularly review educational and other programs that have been developed to address issues associated with Sexual Misconduct and shall recommend changes as needed.

Sub-committee may be established for the following functions:
 a. Development and delivery of educational programs for students.
b. Development and delivery of training programs for faculty, staff and students.
c. Development and review of reporting processes and procedures related to incidents of sexual misconduct and resolution of identified violations.
d. Development of academic curriculum related to prevention of sexual misconduct, to include courses for credit and/or experiences that carry academic credit

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