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Article 12

Matriculation and Tuition Payment Program

12.1 Intent. Payment by the University of matriculation fees for graduate assistants and non-resident tuition charges for all out-of-state graduate assistants, which results in those employees not paying such charges is highly desirable in order to attract high quality graduate students to the University and to improve the quality of education therein.

12.2 Tuition Payment Program.

A. The University and the UFF-USF-GAU will continue to seek legislative funding to meet the costs associated with the matriculation and tuition payment program. A graduate assistant appointment shall result in eligibility for the tuition payment program. Tuition payment shall be for at least the minimum number of credit hours necessary to maintain the graduate assistantship. If sufficient funds are not available to provide all graduate assistants with such tuition payment, first consideration for receipt of these payments shall be given to graduate assistants who are employed for .25 FTE or more for at least one semester during the prior academic year and who are students in good standing.

B. In order to supplement the funding provided by the Legislature for this program and following the practice of other major research institutions throughout the country, the University shall encourage those individuals who make application for contracts or grants to incorporate the costs of the matriculation and tuition charges which are associated with graduate assistants who are to be supported by such contract or grant into the contract or grant proposal.

~~12.3 Excess funds. The UFF-USF-GAU may request a consultation with the Graduate Dean or his/her representative regarding the distribution of funds in excess of those needed to fund the tuition payments described in Article 12.2.~~

12.4-3 Right to Request Information. The GAU shall have the right to request information provided in Chapter 447, Part 2, Florida Statutes, titled Labor Organizations, Public Employees.

12.4 Notice for Tuition Waivers.

A. Fall Tuition Waivers. Employees serving in at least one (1) semester appointment during the Fall academic term shall be provided with a notice of tuition waiver by July 1.

B. Spring Appointments. Employees who will be offered an appointment to commence at the start of the Spring semester shall be provided with a notice of tuition waiver by November 30.

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