

POLICY VS PROCEDURE

| POLICY | PROCEDURE |
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| Broad theme-based | Subject-based |
| High-level | More detailed |
| Principles only | Roles, responsibilities, processes, templates, forms and workflow |
| Short – 4 pages maximum | As long as needed (succinct still preferred) |
| Developed in consultation with Policy and Compliance Services | Developed in consultation with Policy and Compliance Services |
| Approved by appropriate authority | Approved by Accountable Officer |
| Published in the online Policy Library | Published in the online Policy Library |
| Major change / review requires full approval process | Can be modified with approval of Accountable Officer |
| Be consistent with, and not duplicate another Act, University Statute, Regulation or Policy | Be linked to one or more authority objects (Act, Statute, Regulation, Agreement, Code or Policy) |
| Create relationships to other Policies and Procedures with which they interact | Create relationships to other procedures with which they interact |