



Interim University of Maryland Policy and Procedures Concerning Research Misconduct (Senate Document #17-18-07)
Faculty Affairs Committee | Chair: Patricio Korzeniewicz

The Senate Executive Committee (SEC) and Senate Chair Falvey request that the Faculty Affairs Committee review the interim University of Maryland Policy and Procedures for Research Misconduct (III-1.10[A]).

Specifically, it asks that you:

1. Review similar policies and procedures for research misconduct at the University of Maryland - Baltimore, Big 10, and other peer institutions.
2. Review the implementation of the University of Maryland - Baltimore, Big 10, and other peer institution research misconduct procedures, to include the infrastructure to support investigations, responsible division(s), and the composition of review committees.
3. Consider how the University's research misconduct policy and procedures should address infrastructure to support investigations, units responsible for the review process, joint appointments with the University of Maryland - Baltimore, and the composition of review committees.
4. Consult with the Associate Provost for Faculty Affairs.
5. Consult with the Vice President for Research and the University Research Council.
6. Consult with representatives of the Intellectual Property Committee.
7. Consult with representatives of the Conflict of Interest Committee.
8. Consult with the Office of General Counsel regarding the interim policy and on any proposed changes to the policy.
9. If appropriate, recommend whether the interim policy should be revised and submit recommended revisions to the interim policy for Senate consideration.

We ask that you submit a report to the Senate Office no later than **March 30, 2018**. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact Reka Montfort in the Senate Office, extension 5-5804.