

# **Staff Senate of Marywood University Policy**

## **Policy Statement:**

The official professional staff and support staff organization is the Staff Senate of Marywood University. It functions as an advisory body, i.e., part of the University's structure, through which the professional and staff participate in the governance of the University. The Senate identifies the interests and preferences of the professional and support staff about issues of significance to them and to other groups in the University community. In response to specific requests from the administration, it acts in an advisory capacity to the administration. It also initiates recommendations to the administration on behalf of the professional and support staff. Generally, it represents the professional and support staff views on University-wide issues needing decisions and resolution by the administration.

## **Definitions:**

## **Procedures:**

## **Related Policies:**

## **Related Committees:**

## **Policy History:**

12/10/21 – The establishment of the Staff Senate of Marywood University Policy was approved by the President of the University as recommended by the Policy Committee of the University at their 12/10/21 meeting due to the merger of the Professional Staff Senate and the Support Staff Senate.

## **MARYWOOD UNIVERSITY POLICIES AND PROCEDURES**

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