North Hennepin Community College

Policy Information

Number: 3.26

Name: Intellectual Property

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Custodian: Policy Committee

Effective Date: January 9, 2017

Next Review Date: AY 2021-2022

Regulatory Authority

- Minnesota State Board Policy 3.26 Intellectual Property
 - o http://www.mnscu.edu/board/policy/326.html
- Minnesota State Board Policy 3.6 Student Conduct
 - o http://www.mnscu.edu/board/policy/306.html
- Minnesota State Board Policy 5.22 Acceptable Use of Computers and Information Technology Resources
 - o http://www.mnscu.edu/board/policy/522.html
- Minnesota State Board Policy 3.27 Copyrights
 - o http://www.mnscu.edu/board/policy/327.html

Part 1. Policy Background.

This policy manages intellectual property created by faculty members and students and seeks to preserve a balance of intellectual property rights, privacy rights, and the educational goals of NHCC.

Part 2. Definitions.

Subpart A. Classroom Capture

A recording of a learning experience in which students are present. Classroom capture recordings may only be posted through a platform provided by NHCC or Minnesota State.

Subpart B. Classroom Lecture.

Classroom lectures are lectures provided by a faculty member in his or her role as an instructor in a classroom or classroom setting as part of a course with enrolled students. Classroom lectures are the intellectual property of the faculty member.

Subpart C. Collaborative Work.

Collaborative work is any work in which students and/or faculty members have contributed or share ownership. Collaborative work is the intellectual property of the student(s) and/or faculty member(s).

Subpart D. Coursepack.

A collection of materials assembled by a course instructor and sold to students.

Subpart E. Faculty Member-Authored Materials.

Materials authored by the faculty member teaching a course and adopted as assigned reading. Faculty member-authored materials are the intellectual property of the faculty member.

Subpart F. Public Lecture.

Public lectures or presentations by a speaker in his or her professional role as a scholar or expert rather than as an instructor as part of a course. Public lectures are typically open to the public and are the intellectual property of the speaker.

Subpart G. Recommended Instructional Materials.

Materials that enhance a student's learning experience within the classroom. Recommended materials are optional purchases for students.

Subpart H. Recorded Lecture.

Classroom lectures that have been recorded for non-profit educational uses by North Hennepin Community College (NHCC).

Subpart I. Required Instructional Materials.

Materials that are necessary for a student to successfully complete a course.

Subpart J. Student-Authored Course Materials.

Work completed by students as part of assigned work in a course for which the student is registered. Student-authored materials are the intellectual property of the student.

Review Action	Date(s)
Campus Community Review Period	October 24 - November 4, 2016
Shared Governance Council Review	December 9, 2016
Labor/Management Meetings Review	AFSCME – November 14, 2016 MAPE – November 14, 2016 MMA – November 14, 2016
Student Senate Review	December 1, 2016
President Approval	December 9, 2016
Campus Community Dissemination	December 14, 2016

History

- Fall 2016: new policy combining:
 - o NHCC V.01.01 Video and Audio Recording of Classroom Lectures
 - Adopted 12/13/2010 by President John O'Brien
 - o NHCC VI.03.01 Copyright
 - Adopted 02/08/08 by President Ann Wynia
 - o NHCC VI.03.02 For-Profit Teaching Materials
 - Adopted 03/27/2006 by President Ann Wynia
 - o NHCC VI.03.03 CoursePack
 - Adopted 03/27/2006 by President Ann Wynia