Updates to the Acceptable Use Policy for Technology

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History of the AUP

- Created in 2000
- Focused on email not all technology
- Added language based on the "hot topic"
- Last significant update in 2012

Why major change?

- Policy has not kept up with technology
- Many piecemeal changes
  - Website
  - Staff vs Student
  - PED
- Repeating regulations
- Missing reference to modern terms
- Poor title
- No alignment with best practices

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Best Practices for AUPs

- Collaborative development to help with compliance
- Easy to read - Not too long or detailed
- Clear regulations/expectations
- Applicable to all people and technology
- Use guidelines and standards to meeting specific needs

Development and Research

- Started in 2017
- Co-development with TEC/TSU
- Internal Legal Review
- Education Council
- Technology Council
- Privacy review
- Communications input
- Joint Technology Committee (JTC)

- OPACE
- CPIC
- Gartner (IT research specialists)
- Review other boards policies
- Higher Ed polices

Questions and Answers