## Policy 470

## THE GUAM COMMUNITY COLLEGE CODE OF ETHICS

**WHEREAS,** in support of the College's mission, the College sets forth the ideals of scholarship, lifelong learning, service to others, enrichment through diversity, commitment to excellence, collegiality, mutual respect, and professional integrity; and

WHEREAS, the College is guided by the belief that a sense of true community is achieved when these ideals and values are reflected in the behavior of its members toward one another; and

**WHEREAS,** as we develop close ties with government and private sector representatives it is our responsibility as members of the College to act in such a way that maintains the credibility and respect for the College; and

WHEREAS, all employees of the Guam Community College are to be guided by the general principles; commit to a high standard of ethical behavior; have the responsibility to conduct themselves with integrity; act in a fair, consistent, and an equitable manner; recognize the need for accountability in what they say or do; engage people without prejudice; take personal responsibility for one's actions and decisions; and be committed to excellence in all that they do.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that in the performance of each College member's responsibility to commit to the general standards and promote its general principles, the Board of Trustees adopts the *Guam Community College Code of Ethics* as developed through the College's governance process, which is on file at the President's Office.

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