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SEC-037: Access Privileges and Return of University Property

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Reason for Policy:

The University aims to protect the safety, security, privacy, and property of the institution by controlling the access that is given to individuals for its facilities and networks and facilitating the return of its property upon transfer or termination.

Definition of Terms in Statement:

- **Joint Engagement:**
An arrangement under which an employee of the University provides services to one or more University-Related Foundations or, conversely, an employee of a University-Related Foundation provides services to the University.
- **Manager:**
The individual employed by the University of Virginia to whom another University employee, Foundation Employee, or other non-affiliated person (e.g., visiting scholar, contractor, consultant, etc.) directly reports.
- **University-Related Foundation (Foundation):**

An organization that is created and operated exclusively to benefit the University or one or more of the University's units. It is a separate legal entity that has been approved and designated by the Board of Visitors as a Foundation.

Policy Statement:

Managers and other University officials have a responsibility to: (1) authorize appropriate access privileges to employees, contractors, and others working under their direction or sponsorship and to modify or revoke those privileges when individuals transfer to another job within the University, terminate from the University, or otherwise no longer need these privileges; and (2) facilitate the return of department and/or University property (e.g., computers, lap-top computers, cell phones, etc.) upon transfer or termination.

1.

New Employee Hires:

When an employee is hired into a department, it is the responsibility of the employee's manager to authorize only appropriate access privileges for the employee. Examples of such privileges are purchasing cards, parking permits, telephone Forced Authorization Code (FAC) numbers, computer accounts, photo ID badges, building and room keys, etc. See below, [Common Access Privileges](#), for a more complete list.

2.

Employee Terminations:

When an employee terminates service with the University, it is the employee manager's responsibility to ensure that all access privileges are revoked and all keys, badges, and other physical items are collected from the employee in accordance with relevant policies. Managers must follow the procedures in the [Offboarding Toolkit](#) for salaried staff and wage employees or the [Faculty Departure Checklist](#).

3.

Employee Transfers:

When an employee transfers from one job to another, it is the responsibility of both the employee's previous and new managers to modify the employee's access privileges as appropriate for the employee's new job situation and collect any property belonging to the department/University.

4.

Contractors and Consultants:

It is the responsibility of the manager to whom a hired contractor or consultant reports to authorize only appropriate access privileges for that individual. Further, it is that manager's responsibility to ensure that all access privileges are revoked and all keys, badges, and other physical items are collected from the contractor or consultant when that individual's engagement with the manager ends.

5.

University-Related Foundations and Other Non-University Affiliates:

University-Related Foundation employees, visiting faculty, research collaborators, government officials and other non-University affiliates may be granted access privileges to certain University resources in accordance with relevant policies. It is the responsibility of the University official who enters into a joint engagement with a Foundation employee or who sponsors a non-University affiliate to authorize only appropriate access privileges for that individual. Further, it is that official's responsibility to ensure that all access privileges are revoked and all keys, badges, and other physical items are collected from the non-University individual when that individual's affiliation with the University ends.

6.

Timing of Access Changes:

Access revocations should generally be effective and physical items should be collected on the day these are no longer required by the individual, and no later than the day after that individual transfers to another job within the University, terminates from the University, or otherwise no longer needs these privileges. Managers and other University officials are responsible for notifying privilege-granting departments of necessary changes sufficiently in advance of the effective dates to allow the departments to process these changes in a timely manner. It is important to note that by policy a select few privileges may extend beyond the employee's or non-University affiliate's connection with the University. Privilege-granting departments will apply those policies when processing change requests.

7.

Annual Audit of SIS/IS Responsibilities:

Each year University Human Resources and Information Technology Services will review the UVA Integrated Systems (Student, HR, Finance) responsibilities that should remain active and those that should be deactivated. University policy requires that the supervisor of individuals to whom faculty/staff report should revoke access privileges when their employees, Foundation employees, or non-University affiliates no longer need these privileges.

8.

Common Access Privileges:

Common access privileges are listed in the following table along with specific departments to whom requests for addition, modification, or revocation of access privileges should be made. The list is not all-inclusive.

Access Privilege	Department to Notify	Relevant Website (If Applicable)
Login Authority for Specific Computer Applications, e.g. Oracle Financials, PeopleSoft Human Resources	Varies depending upon application	http://www.virginia.edu/integratedsystem
Accounts on Centrally-maintained Computers	Information Technology Services (Agency 207); Health System Technology Services (Agency 209)	http://www.its.virginia.edu/accounts http://www.virginia.edu/informationpolicy/accounts.html https://www.hsts.virginia.edu/forms/lan-account-request
Accounts on Departmental-maintained Computers	Employee's Department	
Small Purchase Card	Purchasing	http://www.procurement.virginia.edu/pagecard

Travel Credit Card	Accounting Services	http://uvapolicy.virginia.edu/policy/FIN-017
Long Distance Calling Card & Long Distance Forced Authorization Code (FAC)	Information Technology Services - Communication Services	http://its.virginia.edu/commserv/telephone/longdistance.html
Identification Cards	University ID Office (Agency 207); Health System ID Office (Agency 209)	http://www.virginia.edu/idoffice/ http://www.medicalcenter.virginia.edu/intranet/safetysecurity
Parking permits, including service vehicle permits	Parking & Transportation	http://www.virginia.edu/parking/
Building & Room Keys/Badges	Employee's Department	
Desk Keys	Employee's Department	

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Procedures:

Salaried Staff and Wage Employees: [Offboarding Toolkit](#)

Faculty: [Faculty Departure Checklist](#)

Related Information:

[SEC-038, Management of the University Keyed System \(Key & Lock Policy\)](#)

[Medical Center Policy 0176, Access Control to Medical Center Facilities](#)

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