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Chapter: Information Technology

Modification No. 001

Subject: **Responsible Use of Emerging Technologies**

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- I. The Board of Trustees recognizes that emerging technologies amplify human capability and hold the potential to fundamentally transform how we live, learn, and work and understands that such technologies play a critical role in advancing educational and organizational effectiveness. The College therefore expects all members of the College community to engage with emerging technologies in ways that foster innovation and advance the mission to transform lives, enrich the community, and change the world.
- II. The College further affirms that the responsible and ethical use of emerging technologies as collaborative tools must be realized in ways that are human-centered, equitable, and trustworthy, and that remain aligned with the College's mission and values.
- III. All College employees and students using emerging technologies should approach these tools as augmenting, not replacing, human judgment and accountability. They are further expected to take reasonable steps to understand the capabilities and limitations of such technologies, including using College-provided tools and resources and becoming familiar with evolving guidelines.
- IV. The College is committed to providing the tools and resources needed to ensure appropriate emerging technology literacy among College employees and students, aligned with their roles and the impact of such systems on their work and learning.
- V. The use of any tool based on emerging technologies must comply with applicable federal, state, and/or county laws and regulations, the terms of service or privacy policy published by the tool, and all College policies and procedures.
- VI. The Board of Trustees authorizes the president to establish any procedures necessary to implement this policy.

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Effective Date: