**Policy Title:** Classified Research

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**Policy Concept Form:** The policy concept form was approved by the Senior Vice President and Provost on the following date: N/A. Policy developed prior to concept form implementation.

**NOTE:** Policy development may not proceed until the policy concept has been approved.

**Preamble:**

**Reason for Policy:**
To record Faculty legislation regarding Classified Research.

**Definitions:**

**Policy Statement:**

University resources may not be used to conduct research that bears a security classification from the federal government, such as top secret, secret, or confidential.

Applications for research grants will not be accepted when all or any portion of the intended research bears a security classification from the federal government or if there is a reasonable likelihood that all or any portion of the intended research will bear a federal security classification in the future.

If all or any portion of ongoing research bears a federal security classification, the research will be terminated within a reasonable amount of time. Nothing in this policy precludes the University from seeking to have the security classification removed.
Exclusions and Special Situations:

Procedures:

Forms/Instructions/Regulations:

Who is Governed by this Policy:
(Please mark all that apply by double clicking on box)
- Faculty
- Officers of Administration
- Students
- Staff
- Other: Anyone who conducts or supports research at the University of Oregon.

Who Should Know this Policy:
All employees and students who conduct or support research.

Cross Reference to Related Policies:

Frequently Asked Questions:

Related Documents:

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Revision/Development History:
- 05/10/1967 Faculty Legislation
  Reissued by the Provost
- 02/08/2010 Policy number revised from 2.000 to 09.00.03
- 10/05/2010 Change title from Classified Research to Research: Classified
- 1/11/2012 Policy reviewed and approved by President Berdahl on 1/9/2012. President determined policy change to be a technical correction. Correction simplifies definition of classification to Federal standards. Senate Executive Coordinator informed of change.
- 2/10/2012 Withdrawn from Policy Library in order for Senate to review.
- 2/24/2012 New draft submitted to UO Senate.
- 5/9/2012 Amended and approved by UO Senate. Action was exception to standard policy procedure and required new draft and approval signatures.

Organizational Category:
(Please mark only one by double clicking on box)
- Administration and Governance
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- Information Technology
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POLICY CONSULTATION AND REVIEW

Consultation and review by the following individuals or groups:

Kimberly Espy, Vice President for Research & Dean of Graduate School  
Date: 5/17/12

Approved by Randy Geller by email  
Date: 5/17/12

General Counsel  
Date: 5/18/12

Senior Vice President and Provost  
Date: 5/23/12

University of Oregon Senate President

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President or Designee  
Signature  
Date

POLICY EFFECTIVE DATE: 6/14/12

ASSIGNED POLICY NUMBER: 09.00.03