Workplace Relationships

Rivier University seeks to maintain a professional education environment. Many employees are placed in positions of trust with students. With this trust comes a responsibility owed to students. In exercising those responsibilities, employees must only maintain professional relationships.

Employees are also expected to avoid situations that would allow personal interests to influence job performance. A conflict of interest would arise when an employee, who has authority over another employee, becomes romantically involved with said employee. A supervisor should not become personally involved with a subordinate because of potential for abuse of power.