

MEMORANDUM

DATE: August 17, 2015
TO: Dear _____
FROM: Gary Perry, Provost and
Vice President for Academic Affairs



SUBJECT: POLICY AND PROCEDURES FOR FACULTY TRANSFERS

Preamble

The offering of a degree program, whether interdisciplinary, requires the assembly of a faculty group expressly for the offering, promoting, and moving forward of that program. Individuals are specialized and employed to the extent of their training and expertise. Each individual is normally employed to assist the university in attaining these goals in a specific place and a specific unit. The university expects that a faculty member, in the foregoing, however, procedure for transfer of a faculty member is in the best interest of Florida Atlantic University.

Nevertheless, it is recognized that in the course of professional development a faculty member may conclude that permanent employment in a different unit or place is advantageous to professional growth. The university retains the prerogative of changing the designated unit or principal place of employment, should such a change be in the best interest of the institution, in accordance with policy or applicable bargaining agreement. In either case, whether transfer is in response to a request or in the best interests of the university and its students.

