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[Open Access Policy for Theses and Dissertations 11-28-18 clean.pdf](#)
[Open Access Policy for Theses and Dissertations 11-28-18 redline.pdf](#)
[FAQs for ETD Policy Second Systemwide Review 11-28-18.pdf](#)
[Campus electronic theses and dissertations policies and practices 11-28-....pdf](#)

CHAIRS OF SENATE DIVISIONS AND COMMITTEES:

On behalf of Senate Chair May, I am forwarding for systemwide Senate review the attached Proposed Presidential Policy on Open Access for Theses and Dissertations. This is the second systemwide review of this policy. You may wish to refer to the commentary produced by the Academic Council, Senate divisions, and systemwide committees last year in response to the first systemwide review of this policy: https://senate.universityofcalifornia.edu/_files/reports/SW-SC-Open-Access-Theses-Dissertations.pdf

Please submit comments to the Academic Senate office at SenateReview@ucop.edu by **March 13, 2019** to allow us to compile and summarize comments for the Academic Council's March 20 meeting. As always, any committee that considers these matters outside its jurisdiction or charge may decline to comment.

Thanks very much, Michael

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From: Gina Durrin <Gina.Durrin@ucop.edu> **On Behalf Of** Susan Carlson
Sent: Wednesday, November 28, 2018 1:47 PM
Subject: Second Systemwide Review of Proposed Presidential Policy on Open Access for Theses and Dissertations

To: Chancellors
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Academic Council Chair May
ANR Vice President Humiston

Graduate Deans
Council of University Librarians

From: Vice Provost Carlson

Re: Second Systemwide Review of Proposed Presidential Policy on Open Access for Theses and Dissertations

I am forwarding on behalf of Provost and Executive Vice President Michael T. Brown proposed new Presidential Policy on Open Access for Theses and Dissertations for Second Systemwide Review.

Systemwide Review is a public review distributed to the University leaders requesting that they inform the general University community, affected employees, and unions' membership about policy proposals. Systemwide Review also includes a mandatory full Senate review for at least 90 days.

All employees—faculty, academic appointees, student employees, administrators, and staff—should be afforded the opportunity to review and comment on the draft new policy, available online at: <http://www.ucop.edu/academic-personnel-programs/academic-personnel-policy/policies-under-review/index.html>. Note that Academic Affairs staff will ensure that graduate students and graduate student bodies have an opportunity to review the proposed policy.

Review materials attached include FAQs as well as the summary of related campus policies on theses and dissertations. Attached as well is a Model Communication that may be used to inform non-exclusively represented employees affected by these proposals. Our colleagues in UCOP Labor Relations will inform the collective bargaining units by way of their usual processes.

Please submit comments and feedback on the proposed draft policy to ADV-VPCARLSON-SA@ucop.edu by **April 10, 2019**. Questions may be directed to Patricia Osorio-O'Dea at Patricia.Osorio-Odea@ucop.edu or (510) 587-6147.

Attachments: November 28, 2018 Second Systemwide Review Cover Letter from Provost Brown
Draft New Presidential Policy on Open Access for Theses and Dissertations (clean and redline copies)
Model Communication
FAQs for Open Access for Theses and Dissertations Policy
Appendix A: Specific Campus Policies and Practices Related to Open Access for Theses and Dissertations