



# Board of Governors Student Affairs Committee

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# Student Loan Practices Code of Conduct

## Cooperative Effort Among Board Staff, University Representatives, and Florida Attorney General's Office

- University employees should receive no personal benefit.
- University employees should not serve on lender advisory boards for remuneration.
- The University should not provide any advantage to a Lending Institution.
- The University should make appropriate use of any Preferred Lender Lists.



# *Go Higher, Florida!* Task Force

- Cross-Sector Task Force of Educational Leaders.
- Coordination of Efforts to Prepare Students for Success in College and the Workplace.
- Focus on Aligning PreK-12 and Higher Education:
  - Standards,
  - Curricula,
  - Assessments,
  - Instructor Preparation, and
  - Data Collection.



# American Diploma Project

- The American Diploma Project (ADP) was created to ensure all graduates leave high school ready for college and work.
- Early research by ADP sought to identify “must-have” knowledge and skills graduates will need to be successful in college and the workplace.
- Found a convergence between the skills that high school graduates need to be successful in college and those they need to be successful in a job that supports a family and offers career advancement.
- Developed ADP benchmarks that include the content and skills all students should have when they graduate high school.

From ADP Presentation to the *Go Higher, Florida!* Task Force, October 11, 2007.



# Recommendations from the *Go Higher, Florida!* Task Force

- Definition of “college and career readiness.”
- Rigorous and relevant course requirements for all high school students.
- High school/postsecondary assessment(s) that are clear in purpose and function.
- Campaign to improve public awareness and understanding of current and future assessments.
- Participation in the American Diploma Project.

