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Approval Process*		
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POLICY APPROVAL PROCESS DATES	
Policy Drafting and Revision Entrance Date: <u>10/08/2015</u> University Entities Review Entrance Date: <u>10/08/2015</u> University Community Review Entrance Date: <u>12/10/2015</u> Open Feedback: <u>12/10/2015</u> Close Feedback: <u>01/15/2016</u> Board of Trustees Review Entrance Date: <u>01/21/2016</u> Approval Date: <u>MM/DD/YYYY</u>	<p style="text-align: center;">POST APPROVAL PROCESS</p> Verify: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Policy Number <input type="checkbox"/> Section <input type="checkbox"/> Title <input type="checkbox"/> BOT approval <input type="checkbox"/> Approval date <input type="checkbox"/> Effective date <input type="checkbox"/> Proper format of Policy Manual posting <input type="checkbox"/> TOPS Pipeline and Archives update <p>Policy Office personnel who verified and posted this policy to the University Policy Manual</p> Name: _____ Date posted and verified: <u>MM/DD/YYYY</u>

POLICY TITLE	Associated Student Ombuds Office	Policy Number	531
Section	Student Affairs	Approval Date	December 9, 1993
Subsection	Student Clubs and UVUSA	Effective Date	December 9, 1993
Responsible Office	Office of the Vice President of Student Affairs		

1.0 PURPOSE

2.0 REFERENCES

3.0 DEFINITIONS

4.0 POLICY

~~4.1 Utah Valley University Student Association (UVUSA) maintains and directs an Ombuds Office. The Ombuds is appointed each academic year by a student government appointing committee chaired by the student body president.~~

5.0 PROCEDURES

~~5.1 5.1 The University hereby recognizes the establishment of the UVUSA Ombuds Office.~~

~~5.1.1 The Ombuds Office shall address current issues and personal problems facing UVU students in their relationships with UVU, with other UVU students, and with landlords.~~

~~5.1.2 The Ombuds shall assist students in finding solutions to issues and problems facing currently enrolled UVU students. These issues and problems may include issues between:~~

- ~~1) Students~~
- ~~2) Student(s) and faculty~~
- ~~3) Student(s) and landlord(s)~~
- ~~4) Student(s) and the University, including policy issues~~

~~5.1.3 The Ombuds shall not engage in any adversarial relationship with any party. A position of neutrality shall guide the Ombuds' efforts. The Ombuds shall provide all evidence of wrongdoing or evidence of unjust policies and procedures, if any, in an effort to bring about an equitable solution between the parties and in order to set a precedent for similar issues in the future.~~

~~5.1.4 The Ombuds is appointed and supported by UVUSA and is not an employee of the University. With the approval and financial support of UVUSA, the Ombuds may obtain legal advice, but may not retain legal counsel for any student.~~

POLICY HISTORY		
Date of Last Action	Action Taken	Authorizing Entity