Nondiscrimination Policy and Designated Title IX Coordinator

University-Wide Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Designated Title IX Coordinator

Fordham University is an Equal Opportunity Employer committed to the principle of equal opportunity in education and employment in compliance with Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, the Violence Against Women Act, and other federal, state, and local laws.

Fordham University does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, religion, age, sex, gender, national origin, marital or parental status, sexual orientation, citizenship status, veteran status, disability, genetic predisposition, carrier status, or any other basis prohibited by law.

This policy is strictly enforced by the University, and alleged violations receive prompt attention and appropriate corrective action. The University will take steps to prevent discrimination and harassment, to prevent the recurrence of discrimination and harassment, and will take appropriate steps to remedy the effects of discrimination.

The Director of Institutional Equity and Compliance is the University's compliance officer for all forms of discrimination and is specifically designated as the University's 504 Compliance Officer and Title IX Coordinator. The Title IX Coordinator is responsible for the University's Title IX compliance efforts to ensure that violations of University policies are properly addressed, including gender equity in athletics, employment, and admission. This also includes all forms of discrimination, limitations on consensual relationships, sex and gender discrimination, sexual harassment, sexual assault/rape, exploitation, and other sexual misconduct, stalking, dating violence, and domestic violence, and intimidation and retaliation for filing such complaints. Title IX prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex in education programs or activities and extends to employment and admission.

Inquiries concerning the application of Title IX and its implementing regulation may be referred to the University's designated Title IX Coordinator listed below or to:

Assistant Secretary of the Office for Civil Rights (OCR)
U.S. Department of Education
Lyndon Baines Johnson Department of Education Building
400 Maryland Avenue SW
Washington, DC 20202-1100

Call the OCR toll free at 800-421-3481 or 800-877-8339 (TDD), or contact the OCR's New York office at ocr.newyork@ed.gov or 646-428-3800.

Fordham's Title IX coordinator may be contacted at 718-817-3112 or TitleIX@fordham.edu.