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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Intellectual property, including, but not limited to planned courses of study, educational programs, media productions or publications, computer programs, algorithms, software and hardware, developed by a staff member of the School within the scope of his/her employment is the intellectual property of the Board of Directors. Intellectual property developed with the School's materials or devices, and/or developed through the use of the School's data, equipment, or facilities is the intellectual property of the Board. The Board expressly retains all legal rights and privileges associated with the ownership of such intellectual property.

Should the Board's intellectual property be of significant commercial value, as determined by the Board, the Superintendent is authorized to register/secure copyright, patent, trademark, or other such intellectual property rights.

LEGAL REFS: 17 U.S.C. §§101-120

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