# STANDARD ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE

# 13.03.99.M0.01 Centralization of All Student Loan Funds Within the University

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## **Standard Administrative Procedure Statement**

The purpose of this procedure is to establish Scholarships & Financial Aid as the office responsible for the general administration of student loan funds.

### Official Procedure

### 1. GENERAL

The administration of all new and previously established University loan program accounts and the authorization process for all loan funds will be centralized in Scholarships & Financial Aid.

### 2. GUIDELINES

- 2.1 Before a loan fund is established, Scholarships & Financial Aid will review all proposed loan program guidelines for feasibility and use. Proposed guidelines will be prepared and submitted through Financial Management Operations and/or the Texas A&M Foundation for approval prior to establishing the loan program.
- 2.2 Recipients of departmental loans should continue to be selected or recommended by the departments (in compliance with loan fund restrictions). Students will then present departmental authorization to Scholarships & Financial Aid for review, approval, and authorization to receive the loan
- 2.3 For the purpose of audit control, all established loan programs must have approved loan program guidelines on file with Scholarships & Financial Aid, Student Business Services, and Financial Management Operations. These guidelines will specify the intended loan purpose, terms, conditions, and operational procedures before a loan can be authorized from the established account.

# Related Statutes, Policies, or Requirements Supplements System Policy 13.03

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