

Webber International University

Florida and North Carolina Campuses

External Influence	Approved: September 2011
	Approved By: Board of Trustees
SACSCOC CS 3.2.4	Reviewed & Reaffirmed: February 21, 2014

CS 3.2.4: “The governing board is free from undue influence from political, religious, or other external bodies, and protects the institution from such influence.”

By resolution, the Board of Trustees Webber International University and St. Andrews University (a branch of Webber International University) have adopted the following policy.

Policy

Institutional Independence from Unwarranted and / or Improper External Influence

The Board of Trustees affirms that it is both its right and its practice to operate independently of improper, external influence. The University’s policy is always to operate in a manner that remains true to its mission and to the great tradition of American higher education; and in so doing to protect and preserve the University’s independence from any outside pressures – including but not limited to unreasonable or unwarranted intrusion by any external individual, entity or agency, be it governmental or non-governmental or of any other type.

Implementation responsibility: Board of Trustees

Policy review cycle: At least every three years

Compliance: Mandatory

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