Committed to protecting the integrity of data collected, created, stored and transmitted by the University and its affiliates.

**OUR SERVICES**

- Privacy and Cookie Notice
- Privacy Risk Assessments
- Privacy Incident Response
- Data Subject Requests
- Data Mapping
- Review of Third Party Terms and Conditions
- Guidance, Consultation and Training
  - Privacy Regulations (FERPA, HIPAA, GDPR, GLBA, etc.)
  - Records Management
  - Data Inventory
  - Data Classification
  - Data Management Plans

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Privacy @ GW

GW’s use and governance of personal data

GW’s commitment:
Throughout the performance of university operations, GW will safeguard the generation, collection, use, storage, disposal, and disclosure of personal information (data) in accordance with best practices and as required by applicable laws and regulations.

Why is Data Privacy Important?

Data privacy ....

- Establishes trust in our individual interactions;
- Builds our reputation as an organization which values and safeguards information;
- Prevents Harm (e.g. unauthorized disclosure of personal data; intrusions / data breaches)
- Ensures legal and contractual compliance.

GW adheres to the following privacy principles:

- **Lawfulness, fairness and transparency** when processing personal data;
- **Purpose limitation**: GW collects personal data only for specified, explicit and legitimate purposes;
- **Data minimization**: personal data collected by GW is adequate, relevant and limited to what is necessary for the purposes of processing.
- **Accuracy** – GW maintains accurate and updated personal data;
- **Storage Limitation** – GW maintains personal data no longer than is necessary for the purposes of the processing
- **Integrity and Confidentiality** – GW implements appropriate safeguards to ensure integrity and security of personal data collected and processed.

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