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Although it is the primary mission of State College of Florida, Manatee – Sarasota to teach the core curriculum, it is the policy of the Board to recognize that certain academic classes at the College may include the development of work products which relate to educational endeavors and that are subject to trademark, copyright, or patent statutes. It is the express intent of the College to protect its legal interests in the ownership of these trademarks, copyrights, or patents. It is also the intent of SCF to avoid any real or perceived conflict of interest with faculty, employees or students regarding these issues.

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