

NIPISSING UNIVERSITY

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DRAFT POLICY: Emergency Presidential Succession

In the event that the President & Vice-Chancellor of Nipissing University is, for any reason, unable to execute the duties of the office, the University Secretary, with approval from the Chair of the Nipissing University Board of Governors, shall immediately call an emergency meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board to determine if it is appropriate to appoint an interim President. Should it be determined that an interim President should be appointed, a meeting of the Board shall be called in which the Board shall appoint an interim/acting President.

Between the time the President is determined to be unable to fulfill his/her/their duties and the time when the Board of Governors is able to appoint an interim/acting President, the leadership of the University will fall to one of the Vice Presidents or lead administrator in this order:

- (A) Provost and Vice-President Academic
- (B) Vice-President of Finance and Administration
- (C) Associate Vice President, Research and Graduate Studies

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