

Academic Freedom and Due Process Committee

FAU Faculty Senate Statement

We stand in solidarity with the AAUP's [Core Principles on academic freedom](#), to wit,

*Academic freedom is the freedom of a teacher or researcher in higher education to investigate and discuss the issues in his or her academic field, and to teach and publish findings without interference from administrators, boards of trustees, political figures, donors, or other entities. Academic freedom also protects the right of a faculty member to speak freely when participating in institutional governance, as well as to speak freely as a citizen.*

Therefore,

Be it resolved, the Faculty of Florida Atlantic University uphold and defend the ideals of academic freedom.