



# BOARD POLICY ON PROFESSIONAL GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

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The Board of Directors recognizes the need for the continued professional growth and development of all faculty teaching at LIBI. The Board also recognizes the need for staff members to devote part of their time to staying current in their field of expertise.

The Board further recognizes that professional development comprises formal and informal learning opportunities for the purpose of maintaining and improving professional competence and effectiveness.

The Board directs the college to ensure that a structured, coordinated program for faculty development is in place that acknowledges the rapidly changing landscape of delivering programs remotely.

The Board further supports a systematic evaluation of instruction by students, faculty and appropriate administrators to provide bases for planning means of increasing the effectiveness of LIBI's instructional programs.