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June 12, 2014

Mark Seipel


Re: FOIA 14-384

Dear Mr. Seipel:

I write to respond to your Freedom of Information request of May 28, 2014, and received in my office on May 29, 2014, in which you requested:

“• The number of for-credit courses offered at University of Illinois Springfield being taught by employees designated in the University of Illinois system Gray Book/Academic Personnel Supplement as BA, BB, BC, BD, BG, BH, PA, and PB for the following academic years: 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-2012 2012-2013, 2013-2014;

• The qualifications for the employees designated in the University of Illinois system Gray Book/Academic Personnel Supplement as BA, BB, BC, BD, BG, BH, PA, and PB for the following academic years: 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-2012 2012-2013, 2013-2014 teaching these courses (including academic degree, experience in teaching, and training in appropriate pedagogies);

• Policy regarding involvement of faculty in the recruitment, hiring, and review of employees designated in the University of Illinois system Gray Book/Academic Personnel Supplement as BA, BB, BC, BD, BG, BH, PA, and PB for the following academic years: 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-2012 2012-2013, 2013-2014 teaching these courses;

• A list of the for-credit courses being taught by employees designated in the University of Illinois system Gray Book/Academic Personnel Supplement as BA, BB, BC, BD, BG, BH, PA, and PB for the following academic years: 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-2012 2012-2013, 2013-2014.”

Information responsive to your request is available and attached. These are public documents, and if printed, would number 303 pages. The link below will provide you access to the responsive records.

Portions of these documents have been redacted pursuant to the following section(s) of the Act:

- 140/7(1)(a) that exempts from disclosure “Information specifically prohibited from disclosure by federal or State law or rules and regulations implementing adopted under federal or State law.” The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) (20 U.S.C. §1232g) protects the privacy of student education records and prohibits the release of any information from a student’s education record without the consent of the eligible student. Pursuant to this exemption, student names were redacted from the responsive records.

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- 140/7(1)(b) that exempts from disclosure “Private information, unless disclosure is required by another provision of this Act, a State or federal law or a court order.” This includes home addresses, home telephone numbers, cell phone numbers, social security numbers, and personal email address.
- 140/7(1)(c) that exempts from disclosure “Personal information contained within public records, the disclosure of which, if disclosed, would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, unless the disclosure is consented to in writing by the individual subjects of the information.” This includes date of birth, private citizen names and information and student information.

Should you wish to inspect or receive a physical copy of these documents, please call Melanie Kuehn at the phone number below and she will provide you with all necessary details.

You have a right, under the law, to seek a review of this response by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) in the Office of the Attorney General. The PAC may be reached by phone at 217-782-1396, by email to publicaccess@atg.state.il.us, or by postal mail at the Public Access Bureau, 500 S. 2nd Street, Springfield, Illinois 62706. You also have the right to seek judicial review under section 11 of this Act.

If you have questions for our office, please contact 217-333-6400.

Sincerely,

Thomas P. Hardy
Executive Director
and Chief Records Officer

To access your files, please go to:

This link will expire in ten business days.