Resolution on Policy for the Management of Graduate Assistantships and Tuition Remission

WHEREAS, graduate assistantships are a unique form of university appointment, providing the most important source of funding for graduate students, and

WHEREAS, the majority of full-time graduate students are employed as graduate assistants, graduate research assistants, and graduate teaching assistants in every semester, and

WHEREAS, the Graduate School is responsible for administering policies and procedures related to assistantships and tuition remission, and

WHEREAS, currently such policies and procedures are documented in different places and formats such as the Faculty Handbook, the Graduate Catalog, and the Code of Virginia, making their full review difficult for stakeholders,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that assistantship policies and procedures be documented in a single university policy.