100.6 Policy on Smoking

Approval Authority: Administrative Council

Responsible Officers:
  - Vice President for Facilities and Campus Operations
  - Vice President for Enrollment Management and Student Affairs
  - Vice President for Human Resources

Responsible Offices:
  - Division of Facilities and Campus Operations
  - Division of Enrollment Management and Student Affairs
  - Division of Human Resources

Effective Date: August 1, 2021

I. Purpose of this Policy

Stevens Institute of Technology (“Stevens”) is committed to creating a safe, healthy and respectful learning and working environment for all students, faculty, staff, visitors and other members of the Stevens community. This commitment extends to encouraging and supporting the reduction of significant health risks to members of the community. Accordingly, Stevens has adopted this Policy to prohibit smoking of all substances including, without limitation, tobacco, and marijuana, on the Stevens campus and at Stevens-sponsored activities and events (including all uses of electronic delivery systems such as vape devices).

II. Policy

Smoking of all substances including, without limitation, tobacco, and marijuana (including all uses of electronic delivery systems such as vape devices), is prohibited at all times on the Stevens campus including, without limitation, residence halls, leased housing, outdoor spaces, private offices, balconies, and plazas, and in other outdoor areas owned, operated, leased, or controlled by Stevens and at Stevens-sponsored off-campus activities and events.

In complying with this Policy, members of the Stevens community must also observe all applicable state and local laws, such as the New Jersey Smoke Free Air Act.

III. Enforcement

Students, faculty and staff who violate this Policy will be subject to disciplinary action and/or other sanctions imposed by the Division of Enrollment Management and Student Affairs or the Division of Human Resources, as appropriate. Visitors who violate this Policy will be informed of such violations; visitors who continue to violate the Policy following a warning will be escorted off campus or out of the Stevens-sponsored event.