## **SECTION XIX**

## **NEPOTISM**

## 1. PURPOSE

The purpose of this section is to further ensure that employment at COM-FSM is based on merit.

## 2. POLICY

Nepotism is prohibited in all cases of hiring within the college. The hiring of persons in a supervision-subordinate relationship is prohibited. This includes people in relationships listed below:

HusbandSisterSister-in-lawWifeGrandchildSon-in-lawChildStepbrotherDaughter-in-law

Stepchild Stepsister OR, if related by blood:

Parent Stepparent Uncle Grandparent Parent-in-law Aunt

Brother Brother-in-law Nephew or Niece

# a. Exceptions

The Board of Regents may grant exceptions to the above prohibition on a case by-case basis and only when such exception is in the best interest of the College.