

- 3.2 For the purposes of this document, The University is defined as the central administrative and academic departments of the University of London, including the School of Advanced Study and member institutes, International Programmes, Senate House Libraries, CoSector, Student Central, Intercollegiate Halls of Residence and the University of London Institute in Paris.
- 3.3 This policy applies to all staff, students and other members of the University and third parties who interact with information held by the University and the information systems used to store and process it.
- 3.4 For the purposes of this document, information security is defined as the preservation of:
 - Confidentiality (protecting information from unauthorised access and disclosure)
 - Integrity (safeguarding the accuracy and completeness of information)
 - Availability (ensuring that information and associated services are available to authorised users when required)

4 Information Security Principles

The following principles underpin this policy:

- 4.1 Information will be protected in line with all relevant University policies and legislation.
- 4.2 It is the responsibility of all individuals to be mindful of the need for information security across the University and to be aware of and comply with this policy including sub-policies and all current and relevant UK and EU legislation.
- 4.3 Each information asset will have a nominated owner who will own and control the information.

6 Legal and Regulatory Obligations

The use of information is governed by a number of different Acts of Parliament. All users have an obligation to comply with current relevant legislation which includes, but is not limited to:

- Computer Misuse Act (1990)
- The Data Protection Act (1998)
- Freedom of Information Act (2000)
- Copyright, Designs and Patents Act (1988)
- Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act (2000)
- Human Rights Act (2000)
- Electronic Communications Act (2000)
- Digital Economy Act (2010)
- Obscene Publications Act (1959 & 1964)
- Counter-Terrorism and Security Act (2015)

7 Breaches of Security

7.1 Any individual suspecting that the security of a computer system has been, or is likely to be, breached should inform

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