



Policies, Systems, and Regulations Guide Intellectual Property Rights and Copyright Policy

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Intellectual Property Rights and Copyright

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Intellectual property rights

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Violation of any person's or company's copyright, patent, or other intellectual property rights or similar laws and regulations is prohibited, including, without limitation, the installation of unauthorized or illegal software on University systems or other systems not belonging to Stardom University but connected to the University's IT environment.

- The Deanship of Information Technology must maintain appropriate information on licenses, terms and conditions relating to its critical information systems.
- The use of unlicensed software or intellectual property is strictly prohibited.

Copyright Policy

The electronic portal and systems must be used for the benefit of the university, its students, its affiliates, and its various sectors, and in a manner that does not conflict with regulations and laws that expose them to legal accountability. Therefore, it is important to ensure that publishing policies are followed. All content published on the electronic content and website must comply with the university's copyright and electronic publishing policy, including:

- Audio and video lessons and lectures.
- Books and publications available in electronic format.
- Any electronic material that infringes intellectual property rights.

In addition, we emphasize the following points:

- Appropriate approvals must be obtained before posting any content on the University Portal to ensure compliance with copyright laws.
- The University encourages all individuals to report any violations of intellectual property rights that they observe.
- The University reserves the right to edit or remove any content that violates its publishing policies and intellectual property rights without prior notice.