Wright State University  
Policy No. 1270: Sex/Gender-Based Harassment, Discrimination, and Sexual Misconduct  
Appendix I: Complainant and Respondent Rights

**A. Rights of the Complainant**

1. The right to be kept reasonably informed of the status of proceedings throughout the process.

2. The right, in all proceedings, to have the presence of an advisor.

3. The right to introduce documents, witnesses, and other evidence to the investigation.

4. The right to be present (except during deliberations) at disciplinary hearings associated with the case.

5. The right to have an advisor ask questions of any person providing witness at a hearing.

6. The right to request to answer questions posed by the respondent’s advisor outside of the physical presence of the respondent.

7. The right to receive timely written notification of any decision made.

8. The right to review the student’s own record that exists of any hearing in accordance with all state laws and the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.

9. Except where such information is relevant, the right to not have their past sexual history discussed during the hearing. The hearing chair shall determine questions of relevance.

10. The right to a single appeal of the outcome of a conference or hearing decision in accordance with University appeal procedures.

11. The right to withdraw a formal complaint at any time in the process pre-hearing.

**B. Rights of the Respondent**

1. The right to be kept reasonably informed of the status of proceedings throughout the process.

2. The right, in all proceedings, to have the presence of an advisor.

3. The right to introduce documents, witnesses, and other evidence to the investigation.

4. The right to be present (except during deliberations) at disciplinary hearings associated with the case.

5. The right to have an advisor ask questions of any person providing witness at a hearing.
6. The right to request to answer questions posed by the complainant’s advisor outside of the physical presence of the complainant.

7. The right to receive timely written notification of any decision made.

8. The right to review the student's own record that exists of any hearing in accordance with all state laws and the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.

9. Except where such information is relevant, the right to not have their past sexual history discussed during the hearing. The hearing chair shall determine questions of relevance.

10. The right to a single appeal of the outcome of a conference or hearing decision in accordance with University appeal procedures.