College of Fine Arts DRB 2018-2019

DRB Charge: Currently the College of Fine Arts lacks a Departmental Review Board (DRB) for human subjects research. However, this mode of research is of increasing interest to our College. This document is intended to establish a DRB which will also function as a knowledge repository for the College of best practices concerning human subjects research governed by the Institutional Review Board for Human Subjects Research.

TCU's IRB guidelines can be found here: https://research.tcu.edu/compliance/irb/about-irb/

TCU's guidelines on DRBs can be found here: https://research.tcu.edu/compliance/irb/departmental-review-boards-drbs/.

All students affiliated with the College of Fine Arts wishing to undertake human subjects research must submit their proposed protocol to the DRB.

The appointment of the College of Fine Arts DRB does not require the inclusion of a member from the community not affiliated with TCU. The Board will be made up of 5 members, all of which who should have undertaken IRB/CITI training. The Chair of the DRB will be selected by the board and will rotate on an as needed basis. Membership of the committee will be reconstituted on an as needed basis.

Faculty are not required to submit their protocols to the DRB but must submit their protocols to TCU's IRB. However, faculty may wish to call upon the expertise of the DRB to gain feedback on their proposed project.

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