

**ARTICLE 34  
RESPECTFUL AND FAIR TREATMENT**

- A.** IAFF and the University recognize that respectful, fair treatment of others promotes a work environment and organizational culture that supports and values all members of the University community. Therefore, officers of the University shall treat members of the bargaining unit with dignity and respect in all interactions. In addition, members of the bargaining unit shall treat officers of the University with dignity and respect in all interactions.
- B.** Nothing in this Article shall be construed to change established University policies and practices about political expression and/or freedom of speech; nor shall anything in this Article impede normal expression in labor-management communications. A University wide Labor/Management meeting shall develop an understanding of application of the above stated limitations for purposes of this Article, in addition to developing the meaning of "dignity and respect" for purposes of this Article.
- C.** Any complaints arising from this Article A and B, above shall be grievable only through Step 2 of the grievance process.