Bellarmine University

Definition of a Principal Investigator

A Principal Investigator has <u>absolute responsibility</u> for the overall conduct of a sponsored project, including all <u>technical</u>, <u>programmatic</u>, <u>financial</u>, <u>compliance</u> and <u>administrative</u> aspects. As well, the Principal Investigator is responsible for controlling the technical direction and academic quality of the project, and will ensure that a sponsored project is carried out in compliance with the terms, conditions, and policies of the Sponsor and the University. The Dean of the School will have a significant oversight responsibility, however that will <u>not</u> alleviate the PI's responsibility level.

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