# Phillips Theological Seminary Supplier Diversity Policy

#### Introduction

Phillips Theological Seminary is committed to developing mutually beneficial relationships with small, minority-owned, women-owned, diversity based, disability-owned, disadvantaged, veteran owned and local business enterprises. The Supplier Diversity Policy is the seminary's initiative to create opportunity for suppliers to market their products to the seminary and to encourage Phillips Theological Seminary to offer opportunities to such suppliers.

### **Policy Statement**

When all business considerations are determined to be equal among competitive suppliers, Phillips Theological Seminary will extend purchasing agreements to small, minority-owned, women-owned, diversity based, disability-owned, disadvantaged, veteran owned and local business enterprises.

The PTS community is encouraged to explore opportunities to obtain services and goods from diversity suppliers that can provide competitive quality and pricing.

## Responsibilities

**PTS Faculty/Staff:** are encouraged to explore opportunities and actively seek participation in the utilization of small, minority-owned, women-owned, diversity based, disability-owned, disadvantaged, veteran owned and local business enterprises.

## Approved by

President