## Towson University Department of Theatre Arts

## Weapons Policy

University Weapons Policy takes precedence except where noted in this document:

Towson University weapons policy:

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University Policies and Procedures

06-01.11 - WEAPONS PROHIBITED

I. Policy Statement: Towson University prohibits the possession or control of any weapon while on university property.

II. Reason for Policy: To promote a safe and secure campus, Towson University limits weapons on campus.

III. Definitions:

The term weapon inc

\* The university reserves the right to prohibit the possession of any firearm at any event on university property.

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C. Failure to Comply

Any member of the university community who violates this policy shall be subject to appropriate disciplinary action up to and including dismissal from the university and may also be subject to criminal prosecution.

**Related Policies:** 

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Weapons should always be stored in locked cabinets when not in use. Firearms should be in locked cases in the secure cabinet. This includes when being used for production or being kept in permanent storage.

## Supervision/Use

When used for production or rehearsal purposes a weapons coordinator must be present

The firearm or weapon should only be available immediately before it is used in rehearsal or production.

All users and handlers should be trained based on the Centre Firearms Company *Guide to The Use of Theatrical Firearms*.

No one other than the trained weapons coordinator and the user should handle the firearm or weapon