

RECORDS MANAGEMENT TOP TIPS

Helping you protect the information that matters

CREATE

- #01 Understand why you are creating a record.
- #02 Name records in a recognisable and consistent way.
- #03 Include the review or disposal date in a record folder name or mark it on the physical copy.

ORGANISE

- #04 Records that need to be seen by others for business reasons should be moved to a shared University Information system.
- #05 Ensure only those who are allowed to see the record have access to it.
- #06 Ensure records are protected from unauthorised change and stored in the right format, system or physical environment.
- #07 Check the University Records Retention Schedule to see how long you need to keep the record.
- #08 Contact the University Archives (Modern Records Centre) if you think the record has historical value.

DISPOSE

- #09 Review records regularly and dispose of any that are no longer required. Annual reviews are recommended.
- #10 Check the University's Information Classification and Handling Procedure if you need to dispose of confidential or sensitive records.

For additional guidance please refer to: warwick.ac.uk/recordsmanagement.
If you cannot find what you are looking for please contact: cido@warwick.ac.uk