



# Accounts Payable 101

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# Welcome

- The Accounts Payable and Travel offices provide administrative and fiscal support to the campus community and its suppliers. Payments are made in accordance with the laws of the State of California, applicable federal laws, including Internal Revenue Service regulations, and the policies and procedures of the University.
- **Our Goal** – to consistently provide efficient and reliable service to all of our customers, including our vendors, fellow employees and the campus community.
- Processing time for invoices, direct payment & reimbursement requests, UFSS check requests and Travel Expense Claims are 10 business days.

# Adobe Sign Workflow



## Inside ABA

My Sac State

Administration & Business Affairs > Inside ABA > ABA Forms

Template & User guides can be found in:

- Accounts Payable & Travel
- University Foundation at Sac State (UFSS)

# Adobe Acrobat Sign Reminders

- Use the correct workflow template accessed from ABA Forms webpage under [AP](#) for your payment submission.
- UFSS has their own workflow templates for check request and invoice. Look under [UFSS](#) on ABA Forms webpage.
- Include only one invoice or credit per submission.
- Enter in Payee name after Document name type.

# Invoice Evaluation Guide

- ▶ Please utilize OnBase/FDW/CFS to track invoices and avoid duplicate payments
- ▶ Invoice must be provided (No payments will be made from statements)
- ▶ Invoices and credits need to be submitted separately
  - ▶ Credits should be submitted at the same time as invoices to avoid delays
- ▶ Only current balances will be paid, not total balances
- ▶ Sales tax for Companies within CA must be 8.75%
- ▶ We do not pay late fees

# Online Document Retrieval

- Documents processed by AP, starting with fiscal Year 21/22, are now available within OnBase for campus to access.
- If documents are needed for prior fiscal years, please email Accounts Payable with your request.
- Guide on how to access documents is available on the [AP website](#).

# Payments

- Invoices for commodities are processed for payment when stock received is entered – 3-way matching (purchase order, stock received, invoice).
- Invoices for services require “Approved for Payment” and submitted by the department upon completion of service.
- Payments for current charges only and do not short pay invoices
- CA businesses are responsible for invoicing current Sales Tax rate. Use Tax will be processed for businesses outside CA that do not include Sales Tax.
  
- From Requisition to Check
- Stock Received Report
- Researching a Payment

# Delay in Payments

- Invoice not submitted to Accounts Payable
- Stock Received not posted in CFS
  - Received damage items contact Central Receiving to remove Stock Receipt
- Purchase Order needs to be amended (AP does have a 10% or \$100 leeway)
- Purchases or services rendered without a Purchase Order
  - No after the fact
  - Exception to the policy approval with written justification including plan for future resolution



# When to void a check

- Check was issued more than 30 days prior.
- Check is not in Bursar's (Lassen Hall – Cashier's Office) waiting to be picked up by the vendor/employee.
- Check has not been cashed.
- Vendor must complete the [Check Replacement Application](#) in Adobe Sign.
- The stop payment process is initiated by Accounting Services upon receiving the replacement application from the vendor. The entire process may take a minimum of one to two weeks to complete.
- Once the replacement application has been received and the stop payment has been confirmed, a new check will be issued and mailed to the vendor.

# What are Direct Payment & Reimbursement Requests? (DPR/RR)

- Payments to Suppliers when there is no need to obtain a Purchase Order or Procard cannot be used. (DPR)
- Allowable vs. Exceptions
- Attach supporting documents
  - Invoices whenever possible
  - Agenda or flyer of events
  - Itemized receipts required
  - Small purchases processed by Petty Cash in Bursar's (less than \$50)

# UFSS Check Request

- ▶ **SAFDN Purchase Order should be used whenever possible for Procurement Requisitions**
- ▶ **UFSS Check Request is used for all other foundation payments**
- ▶ **Reimbursement Activity**
  - ▶ MDR01 and class code are meant for Procard purchases.
  - ▶ Should not be used on a SACST PO & DPR
  - ▶ UFSS Petty Cash should be used with X fund

# Requisitions for UFSS

## Requisition Defaults

Business Unit SAFDN

Requisition Date 10/03/2018

Requisition ID NEXT

Status Open

### Default Options ?

Default

If you select this option, the default values entered on this page are treated as part of the defaulting logic and are only applied if no other default values are found for each field. If default values already exist in the hierarchy, they are used, and the values on this page are not used.

Override

If you select this option, all default values entered on this page override the default values found in the default hierarchy, only non-blank values are assigned.

### Line

Buyer

Unit of Measure

Supplier

Supplier Location

Category

Supplier Lookup

### Schedule

Ship To

\*Distribute By

Due Date

\*Liquidate By

Ultimate Use Code

Ship Via

Attention To

Freight Terms

### Distribution

SpeedChart

### Distributions

Details

Dist	Percent	GL Unit	Account	Oper Unit	Fund	Dept	Program	Class	Bud Ref
1		SAFDN							

# Guest Speakers/Services

- Effective 5/24/2023 – requires Independent Contractor approval and Requisition in CFS
- Non-resident of California – deduct State tax 7% withholding over \$1,500/year for Services
- Non-Resident Aliens of US – may need to deduct Federal tax 30% and State tax 7% withholding
  - Required copies of Passport, Visa and I-94
  - Transmission of Level 1 Confidential information must be done in CSU Data Transfer Service – [MoveIt](#) use email AP & Travel Manager – Sarah Hansen [sarah.hansen@csus.edu](mailto:sarah.hansen@csus.edu)

# Business Hospitality Expenses

- Approving Official must be on the Delegation of Authority for the DEPT ID, be the manager or above of the official host and not have attended the event.
- Include printed name and title of the approving official.
- Provide an agenda/program of the event and a statement of justification that the event serves a bona fide business purpose.
- List of attendees with a description of their relationship to the university (faculty, staff, student, or guest)
- Gift Cards - Prior approval from Procurement and disbursement log required
- Refer to [Appendix A & B](#) for help.

# NEW -Hospitality Justification Form FAQs

- Official Host must be an individual
- Payable to whoever the check is addressed to
  - Can list the Vendor for Procard transactions
- Cost per person must be accurately calculated
  - Total Cost / Number of attendees
  - If multiple meals are listed please note in the comments section
- “Weak” or lack of description for events/ meetings
  - Must be describing the Bone a Fide Business purpose
- **Valid Approving Official signature is REQUIRED on the form**

# Vendor Data Record (204 Form)

- Required in lieu of IRS W-9 when doing business with the State of California
- Online 204 form needs to be completed by an authorized vendor representative or individual. Campus employees cannot complete the form for them.
- An email will be sent to the address provided with the supplier number when processing is completed. Please ask the vendor or individual to forward the email to you.
- Processing time is 3-5 business day.
- Requests **must** have supplier numbers before submitting to Accounts Payable.
- [Vendordatarecordform@csus.edu](mailto:Vendordatarecordform@csus.edu) For all vendor 204 form related questions.



# Payment in Advance (PIA)

- A payment issued to a vendor before the service is performed or the commodity is received.
- Examples: services, hotel deposits, catering services, and Guest Lecturers.
- Non-Resident Aliens are **not** allowed. See the [Procedures for Payment to NRA Individuals](#) and the [Non-Resident Taxation page](#).
- Request through the Procurement & Contract Services office noted on the **requisition**. Contact Procurement Services for any questions regarding PIAs.
- Once Procurement & Contract Services authorizes a PIA, the Accounts Payable office will process payment.
- Cannot be done on a direct payment request.

# Delegation of Authority and Reports To (DART)

## Delegation Inquiry

Enter any information you have and click Search. Leave fields blank for a list of all values.

Find an Existing Value

▼ Search Criteria

SetID =  🔍

Employee ID begins with  🔍

Division begins with  🔍

Program Center begins with  🔍

Department ID begins with  🔍

Reports To begins with

CARS Request ID begins with

Travel Approval

Direct Pay/Petty Cash/Paper PO

Expenditure Transfer Approval

Budget Transfer Approval

Procurement Card Approval

Other Approval

Case Sensitive

Search Clear Basic Search Save Search Criteria

UFSS doesn't use DART for DOA. DOA is by fund and can be found on the funds specification sheet

## Search Results

View All First 1-14 of 14 Last

SetID	Employee ID	Name	Division	Program Center	Department ID	Description	Reports To	CARS Request ID	Travel Approval	Direct Pay/Petty Cash/Paper PO	Expenditure Transfer Approval	Budget Transfer Approval	Procurement Card Approval	Other Approval
SACST	101020188	Ming-Tung Lee	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 218616438 (blank)			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SACST	101040000	Kendal Chaney-Buttleman	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 101052220 (blank)	101052220 (blank)		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SACST	101047527	Stacy Hayano	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 101020188 7034			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SACST	101052220	Regina Curry	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 101020188 (blank)			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SACST	101058408	Elena Compo	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable (blank)	(blank)		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SACST	102095784	Bena Arao	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 101020188 (blank)			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SACST	210817699	Loc Vu	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 101059526 (blank)			N	N	N	N	N	N
SACST	211173158	Yavette Hayward	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 102095784 7035			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SACST	211254941	Elisa Chohan	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 102095784 (blank)			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SACST	213257006	John Guion	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 101052220 (blank)			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SACST	217449051	Naashun Varner	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 219576514 (blank)			N	N	N	N	N	N
SACST	218651720	Denise Morgan	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 219576514 (blank)			Y	N	N	N	Y	N
SACST	218661912	Daria Cardoza	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 218616438 8936			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
SACST	219576514	Daljit Khangura	45000	47700	48100	Accounts Payable 213257006 (blank)			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N

# Student Payments

- **Payments to Students must have a pre-approval form submitted with all of the following:**
  - **Wages – Payroll or Accounts Payable**
    - Student Assistant pay, Performance, thank you for helping with a department project (Previously stipends)
  - **Awards/Prizes – Accounts Payable**
    - Contest winnings/Raffle drawings
  - **Reimbursements – Accounts Payable**
    - Travel, Mileage, Food, direct program, or project related expenses (this does not include personal expenses for project and programs only expenses with business purpose)
  - **Scholarships – Bursar's**
    - Qualified and Non-Qualified (Emergency grants, books, other fees basic needs, ASI scholarships, Project Rebound, etc.)

# Questions?

- [ABA-FIN-ap-travel@csus.edu](mailto:ABA-FIN-ap-travel@csus.edu) For campus inquiries and questions.
- [SacStateAP@csus.edu](mailto:SacStateAP@csus.edu) For suppliers to submit invoice and correspondence
- [Travel@csus.edu](mailto:Travel@csus.edu) For all travel related questions
- [Vendordatarecordform@csus.edu](mailto:Vendordatarecordform@csus.edu) For all vendor 204 form related questions.