## **BANNER**

# ELECTRONIC PERSONNEL ACTION FORM



# TRAINING MANUAL

SUBR|Southen University A&M College

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### Introduction

#### **Definition of an EPAF**

An Electronic Personnel Action Form (EPAF) Banner Form located in Self Service Banner used for routing and approval for changes to an employee or their respective job information. EPAFs can be used to process new hires, additional jobs, salary adjustments, transferring an employee from one department to another, and for organizational changes.

Every job change must be approved on multiple levels. All EPAFs require department and division approval. Each EPAF is assigned an "Approval Category" which determines the required levels of approval. Lastly, the EPAF is applied to the employee's job record once all levels of approval have been completed. If there are any issues with the EPAF, the designated Approver can select "Return for Correction" and require the originator to correct or recreate the EPAF.

The EPAF must be completed, approved, and applied in a TIMELY manner so the employees' job record can be updated. TIMELY completions of EPAFs are very essential to help the Payroll Department pay an employee accurately and on time.

In order to be given EPAF access a request must submitted to the Office of Human Resources by the individual requesting access.

- 1. EPAF an Electronic Personnel Action Form which allows users to process actions electronically, without paper, by submitting changes to information on the General Person, Employee and NBAJOBS forms in Banner.
- 2. Originator The Originator initiates the data entry of the EPAF personnel transaction and submits it to the first level in the routing queue.
- 3. Approver The Approver reviews the EPAF personnel transaction submitted by the originator to ensure that data entry is complete and accurate, and to verify that supporting documentation requirements are met.
- 4. FYIer The FYIer receives a copy of the EPAF personnel transaction to review. This serves only as an "FYI" for the recipient he or she cannot take action on the transaction.
- 5. Applier The Applier "routes", or applies the EPAF transaction into the Banner database.
- 6. Routing Queue The sequence of Approvers and FYlers each EPAF must pass through before being applied to the Banner database.
- 7. Required Action The action the designated Approver is required to take. This is defined for each level or step in the Routing Queue.
- 8. Waiting The EPAF is in the process of being created and has not yet been submitted. An EPAF in "WAITING" status can be deleted by the Originator by selecting the Delete button on the EPAF form.
- 9. Pending The EPAF is in the Routing Queue and requires action by the Approver(s).
- 10.Returned for Correction The EPAF has been returned to the Originator for correction. The EPAF can then be corrected by the Originator and resubmitted. Once an EPAF is in Return for Correction status, it is as if it were never submitted.
- 11. Approved The EPAF has been approved by all of the Approvers in the Routing Queue, but it has not yet been applied to the database.
- 12. Complete The EPAF has been applied to the database and the requested changes have been made in Banner.
- 13. Disapproved The EPAF has been disapproved by an Approver. The other Approvers in the Routing Queue (after them) no longer need to take action. The EPAF was stopped.
- 14.In the Queue The EPAF is on its way to you as an Approver but it needs action at a lower level. The status changes to Pending when the transaction reaches you.
- 15. Acknowledge An Approver designated with the action of FYI has seen the EPAF.

- 16. Void The Originator has voided the EPAF. It is no longer a valid transaction. The Originator can Void the EPAF at any time during the approval process.
- 17. Removed for the Queue The EPAF has either been voided by the Originator or Disapproved by an Approver. The EPAF is no longer a valid transaction. This is the Queue status the remaining Approver will see.
- 18. Overridden A Superuser has approved an EPAF, prior to receiving all approvals from those defined in the approval queue. In this case, the Queue Status would read "Overridden" for all Approvers remaining in the Routing Queue that the EPAF has not reached.
  - a. A superuser has the ability to approve any transaction at any time during the approval process and bypass the people in the approval queue that have not yet taken action on the transaction.
- 19. Applied The EPAF has been applied to the database. The new data can be verified/viewed in the Banner forms and tables.
- 20. More Information If the Approver needs more information before they can take action, they can change the status to More Information to let others in the Routing Queue know that they are working on it.

## PLEASE LOG-IN TO SANDBOX

- 1. ACCESS SU BANNER WEBSITE [BANNER.SUBR.EDU]
- 2. CLICK ON "SANDBOX"
- 3. CLICK ON "SELF-SERVICE BANNER SANDBOX [SSB]"

## Southern University Banner Links Page



#### PRODUCTION LINKS

Internet Native Banner [PROD-INB]

Self Service Banner [PROD-SSB]

Evisions Server Production (Intellicheck/FormFusion/Argos)

### SANDBOX LINKS (TESTING 11g)

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Self Service Banner [SANDBOX-SSB]

Evisions Server Sandbox

(Intellecheck, Formfusion, Argos)

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## **EPAFs for Civil Service Assignments (HIRE20)**

#### Step 1: Log into Banner Web

- Click on the link "Enter Secure Area"
- > Click in the User ID box
- > Type your User ID (9 digit S-Number)
- Click in the PIN box or Press the Tab key
- > Type your PIN (In Training Your PIN will be "123456")
- Click on "Login" or Press Enter



Step 2: Access the Employee Information Menu

> Click on the link "Employee" tab on the Main Menu

#### Main Menu

Welcome, to the Southern University Self-Service System! Last web access on Jun 12, 2012 at 02:03 pm

#### Personal Information

Update addresses, contact information or marital status; review name or social security number change information; Change your PIN;

#### Student

Apply for Admission, Register, View your academic records.

#### Financial Aid

Apply for Financial Aid; View financial aid status and eliqibility, accept award offers, and view loan applications.

#### Employee

Time sheets, time off, benefits, leave or job data, paystubs, W2 forms, W4 data.

#### **Step 3: Access the Electronic Personnel Action Forms Menu**

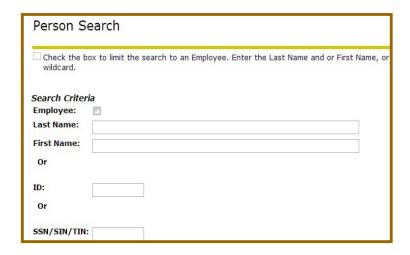
- Click on the link "Electronic Personnel Action Form"
- Click on the link "New EPAF"

The following describe the steps required in order to originate and submit an EPAF for Civil Service Assignments:



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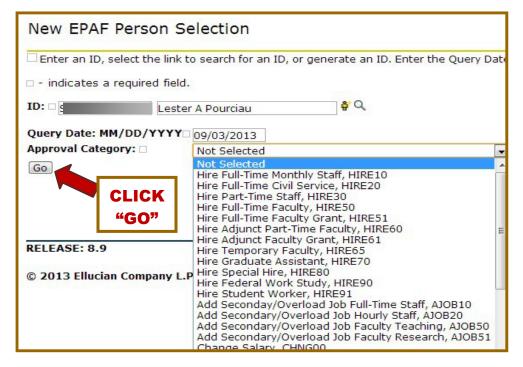


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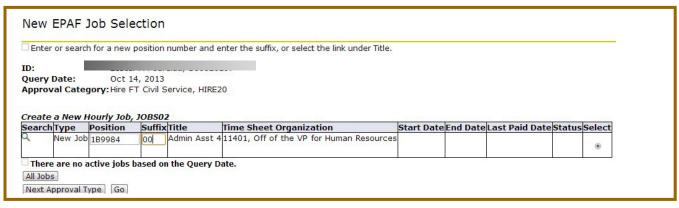
Select the appropriate Approval Category from the drop down menu:



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#### **Step 3: Main Job Information**

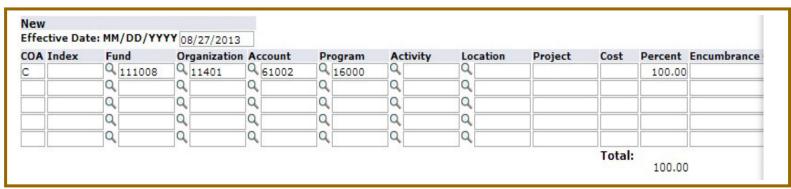
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Item	Current Value	New Value	
Employee Class Code:	MU, Monthly Unclassified	Q	
Employee Status: (Not Enterable)	Terminated	A	
Home COAS: □(Not Enterable)	C	C	The Home Organization
lome Organization: 🗆	11401, Off of the VP for Human Reso	ources Q	is the Budget Code
Current Hire Date: MM/DD/YYYY□	02/13/2012	10/14/2013	
Original Hire Date: MM/DD/YYYY	02/13/2012		
Adjusted Serv. Date: MM/DD/YYY	01/13/2001		
First Work Date: MM/DD/YYYY	02/13/2012		
Create a New Hourly Job, :			
Create a New Hourly Job, :	LB9984-00 Admin Asst 4		
Create a New Hourly Job, :  Item  Job Begin Date: MM/DD/YYYY	Current Value New Value		
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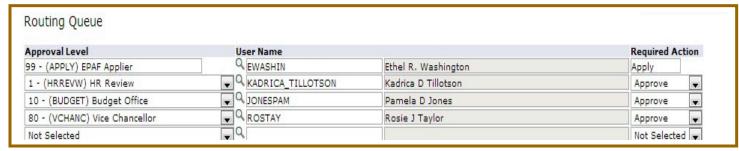
Organization, Account, and Program number.



The FOAP populates based upon the Position Number indicated in Step 2. Confirm that the FOAP is correct. If the reason for the EPAF is to initiate a change in the FOAP, type the correct FOAP here. If the position should be charged to multiple FOAPs, type in each FOAP and appropriate percentage. The sum of all percentages must total 100%.

#### **Step 5: Routing Queue**

Step 5 determines the individuals who approve the EPAF.



Each required Approval Level populates within the EPAF based upon the Approval Category selected in Step 1. However, the originator must select the individual User Name for each level.

All possible Approval Levels include:

- > HR Review
- Budget Office

- SUBR Level 1
- SUNO Level 1
- SUSLA Level 1
- > SUS Chancellors
- > SUS President
- > Budget Approvers for Grants
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- Graduate School Approvers
- College Work Study Approvers
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- > EPAF Applier

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## **EPAFs for Faculty Assignments (HIRE50)**

#### **Step 1: New EPAF Person Selection**

Enter an ID, select the li	nk to search for an ID, or generate an ID. Enter the Query Date and select the Approval Category. Select Go.
□ - indicates a required fi	eld.
<b>ID:</b> □ S01517956 Ka	netra S Tillotson
Query Date: MM/DD/YYY	<b>'Y</b> □ 11/01/2013
Approval Category:	Hire Full-Time Faculty, HIRE50 ▼
Go	
There are no active job	s based on the Query Date.

CLICK "GO"

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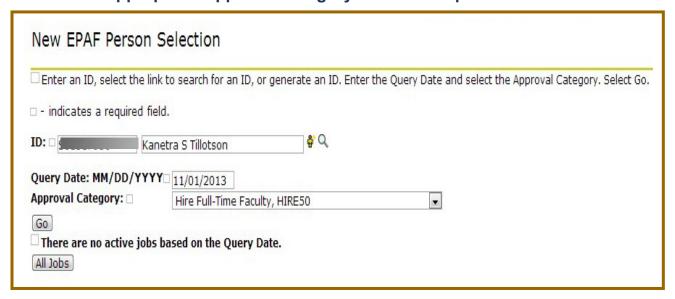


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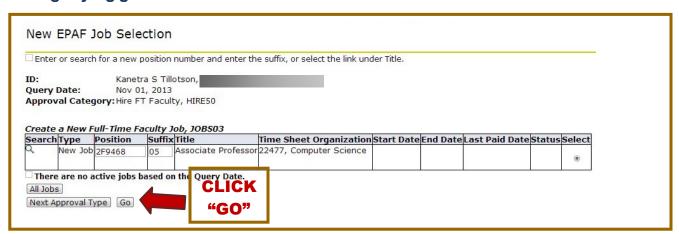
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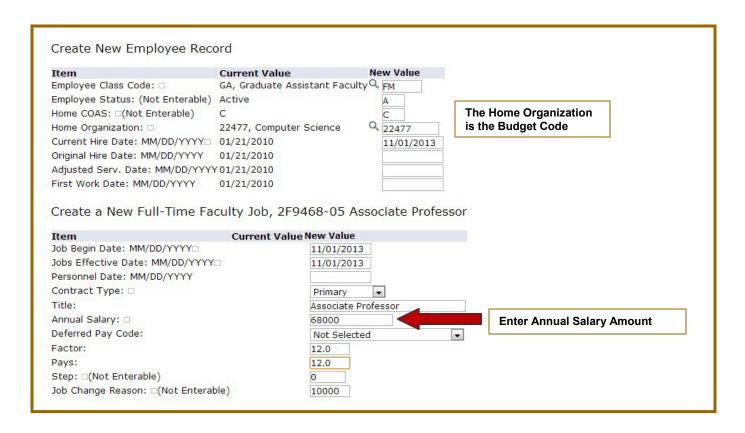


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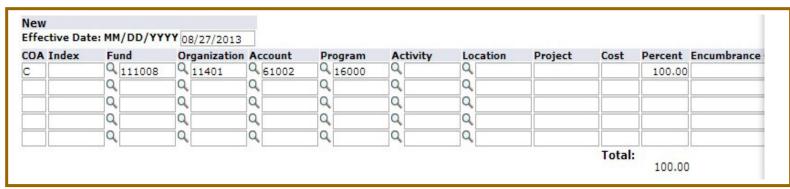
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- indicates a required fiel	d.
ID:	<b>å</b> ℃
Query Date: MM/DD/YYYY	08/27/2013
Approval Category: □	Hire Full-Time Monthly Staff, HIRE10 ▼

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Person S	earch
Check the b	ox to limit the search to an Employee. Enter the Last Name and or First Name, or
Search Criter Employee:	ia
Last Name:	
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Or	
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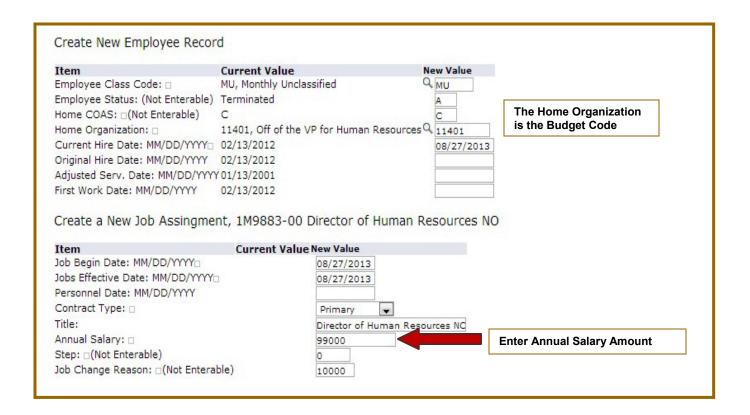


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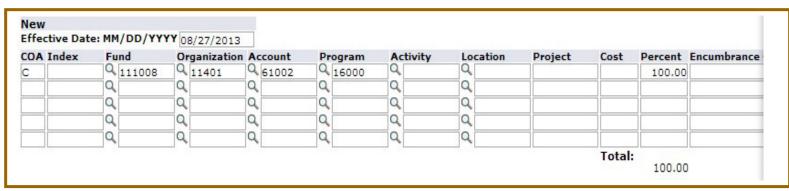
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## **EPAFs for Student Assignments**

## Student Job Types, Employee Class, & Approval Category

Job Type	E-Class	Approval Category
Graduate Assistant (Monthly)	GM	HIRE70
<b>Graduate Assistant (Faculty)</b>	GA	HIRE70
Federal Work Study	CW	HIRE90
Student Worker	UG	HIRE91

Use the chart above to determine the appropriate Employee Class to use for a Student Assignments.

#### **EPAF Approval Category:**

The Student Assignment forms (HIRE70, HIRE90, & HIRE91) are used to create new assignments for students.

#### **Step 1: Define Employee, Query Date, and Approval Category**

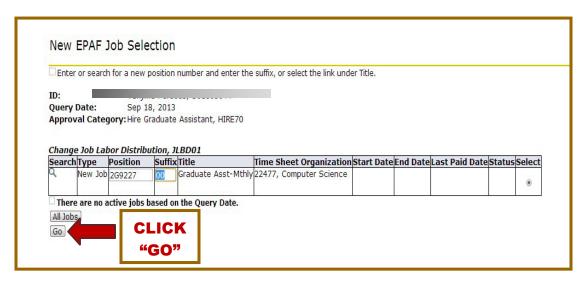
In the New EPAF Person Selection Screen, provide employee's **S-Number** or search for employee.

Query Date is the pay period start date.

- Select appropriate Approval Category (HIRE70, HIRE90, HIRE91)
- > Click "Go"

#### **Step 2: Job Selection**

In the New EPAF Job Selection screen, input the appropriate Position number and Suffix.



To determine the Suffix, click the All Jobs button in the bottom left, survey the employee's Existing Jobs and note the

other jobs with the same position number assigned to that employee.

Select the suffix number next in sequence that is not already used (e.g. If you are creating an assignment with position #, and there already exist jobs 2S9999-00 and 2S9999-01, use the suffix of 02 for the new assignment that you are creating). If employee has no existing jobs, begin the sequence with "00".

#### **Step 3: Enter Main Job Information**

Item	Current Value	New Value
Employee Class Code: □	CW, College Work St	udy Q UG
Employee Status: (Not Enterable)	Active	A
Home COAS: □(Not Enterable)	С	C
Home Organization: 🗆	26301, Financial Aid	Office 22477
Current Hire Date: MM/DD/YYYY	01/12/2011	10/09/2013
Original Hire Date: MM/DD/YYYY	01/12/2011	
Adjusted Serv. Date: MM/DD/YYYY	01/12/2011	
First Work Date: MM/DD/YYYY	01/12/2011	
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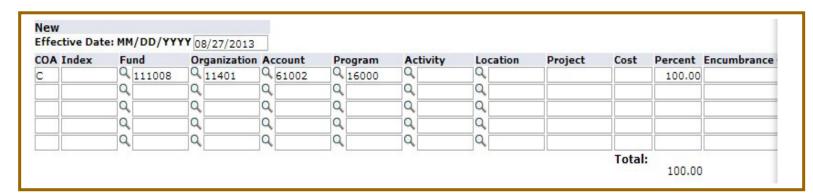
Jobs Effective Date: The first day of a pay period (query date)

- > Select the Employee Class
  - GM Graduate Assistant Monthly
  - o **GA Graduate Assistant Faculty**
  - CW College Work Study
  - UG Undergraduate Worker
- Select the Departments Home Organization (if unknown, click the magnifying glass icon to search for the appropriate code.) Leave the Original Hire Date, Adjusted Serv. Date, First Work Date, & Personnel Date fields blank.

- Select the Contract Type
  - Primary: Every employee must have a "primary" job. If an employee already possesses a primary job assignment, select another option.
  - Overload: Additional assignments are "overload" jobs.
  - Secondary: DO NOT USE FOR STUDENT ASSIGNMENTS.
- Enter the Job Title of the applicable worker in the Title field.
- > Enter the student's hourly rate in the Regular Rate field.

#### **Step 4: Labor Distribution/FOAP**

Step 4 determines how the labor for this position will be charged within Business & Finance. The FOAP is a four part numeric sequence that includes a Fund, Organization, Account, and Program number.



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#### **Step 5: Routing Queue**

Step 5 determines the individuals who approve the EPAF.



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- Budget Approvers for Grants
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- College Work Study Approvers
- SUS Vice Chancellors
- College Work Study Appliers
- > EPAF Applier

Use the Magnifying glass search icon to select the most appropriate approver from the available users.

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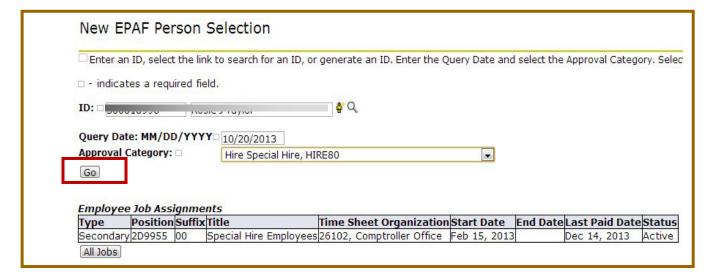
### **EPAFs for Special Hire Assignments**

#### **Step 1: Define Employee, Query Date, and Approval Category**

In the New EPAF Person Selection Screen, provide employee's S-Number or search for employee.

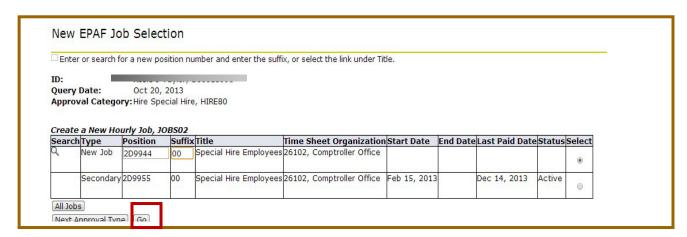
Query Date is the pay period start date.

- Select HIRE80 Approval Category for Special Hire
- Click "Go"



#### **Step 2: Job Selection**

In the New EPAF Job Selection screen, input the appropriate Position number and Suffix.



To determine the Suffix, click the All Jobs button in the bottom left, survey the employee's Existing Jobs and note the other jobs with the same position number assigned to that employee.

Select the suffix number next in sequence that is not already used (e.g. If you are creating an assignment with position #, and there already exist jobs 2S9999-00 and 2S9999-01, use the suffix of 02 for the new assignment that you are creating). If employee has no existing jobs, begin the sequence with "00".

#### **Step 3: Enter Main Job Information**

Item	Current Value New Value
Job Begin Date: MM/DD/YYYY□	10/20/2013
Jobs Effective Date: MM/DD/YYYY	10/20/2013
Personnel Date: MM/DD/YYYY	
Contract Type:	Primary
Title:	Special Hire
Regular Rate: 🗆	11.00
Step: □(Not Enterable)	0
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Jobs Effective Date:
The first day of a pay
period (query date)

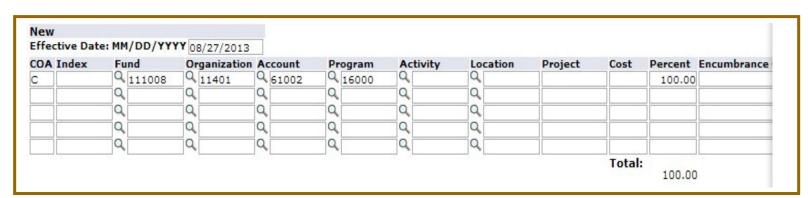
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### **EPAF** Originator Summary

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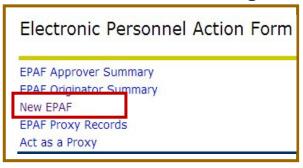
To access the EPAF Originator Summary screen, log into Self Service Banner and select the Employee Tab.



Select: Electronic Personnel Action Form

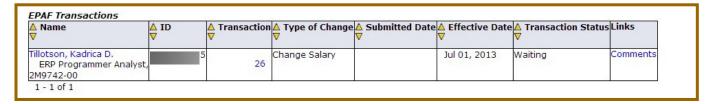
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Select **EPAF Originator Summary** 



Within the EPAF Originator Summary, there are two tabs: Current and History.

The Current tab is similar to an "inbox" for the EPAF Originator Summary. Two types of EPAFs appear in the Current tab:



#### **Waiting**

If an EPAF has been created and saved (but not submitted), it remains with the Waiting status and can be found in the EPAF Originator Summary.

#### **Returned for Correction**

If an EPAF contains an error or incorrect data, instead of approving it, an Approver will return it for correction. To view a returned EPAF, click on the employee's name.

Usually, the Approver will note the reason for the return under the Comments of the EPAF. The EPAF Originator has two options: **Void** or **Update**.



Click Void to void and EPAF. This will permanently inactivate the EPAF.

Click **Update** to make any changes to the EPAF.

**NOTE:** Only the Originator can make changes to the EPAF. If the Originator makes changes, he or she must save and submit the EPAF to send it through the Approval Queue. The EPAF must be re-approved on all levels.

### **Approving EPAFs**

### **EPAF Approver Summary**

The EPAF Approver Summary contains EPAFs that have the Approver listed in the Approval Queue.

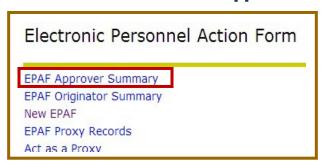
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> Select: Electronic Personnel Action Form

Personal Information Stu	dent Financial Aid Employee
Search	Go
Employee	
Time Sheet	
Electronic Personnel Action	on Forms
Benefits and Deductions Retirement, health, flexible spe	ending, miscellaneous, beneficiary, benefits enrollment, Benefit Summary
Pay Information Direct deposit allocation, earning	as and deductions history, or pay stubs.

> Select: **EPAF Approver Summary** 



Within the EPAF Originator Summary, there are three tabs: **Current**, **In My Queue**, and **History**.

### **History Tab**

All EPAFs created by the Originator are stored in the History tab. To check the status of an EPAF, on the EPAF Originator Summary screen, click the **History** tab, and notice the Transaction Status of the EPAF.

<b>△</b> Name	△ ID	▲ Transaction	▲ Type of Change	△ Submitted Date	e ▲ Effective Date	▲ Required Actio	n Action	Links
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Washington, Ethel R. Hum Res Supervisor, 1B9981-00		32	Change Job Title	Sep 10, 2013	Sep 10, 2013	Approve		Comment
Chisley, Kretrice B. Hum Res Spec, 1B9979-		12	Terminate Job & Employee	Aug 26, 2013	Jun 30, 2013	Apply		Comment

Possible Transactions statuses include:

**Pending:** The EPAF is pending approval

**Complete:** The EPAF has been completed and applied to the employee's personnel record.

**Returned:** The EPAF has been returned for correction

**Voided:** The EPAF has been voided but its history remains available.

**Overridden:** The EPAF has been overridden and approved by a Super User at the Payroll level.

**Removed from Queue:** The EPAF has been returned to the Originator for correction thus is removed from the Approval Queue.

**NOTE:** The Originator can only modify an EPAF if it has not been viewed or approved at a higher level in the approval queue. Click on the EPAF, and if the option Return for Correction exists, then the Originator may return it to him or herself, make a change, then resubmit.

### Approving, Acknowledging, or Returning EPAFs

#### **Current Tab**

The Current Tab is similar to an "inbox" for the EPAF Approver Summary. EPAFs that require the Approver's attention appear here.

An EPAF can be approved by two ways. First, check the "Action" box next to each EPAF to be approved. Then, click **Save**.

To view an EPAF, click on the employee's name. Review the EPAF. The Approver has two options:

#### **Approve**

Click **Approve** to approve the EPAF and allow it to progress to the next approval level in the routing queue.

#### Return for Correction

Click this button to return the EPAF to the originator for correction.

**IMPORTANT:** Approvers who return EPAFs should *Add Comment* to the EPAF indicating the reason for return.

If the Required Action of an EPAF is **Acknowledge** or **FYI**, the Approver only has one option. However, the Approver can add a comment to the EPAF.

#### In My Queue Tab

The In My Queue tab shows EPAFs that are pending in the queue of the Approver. However, these EPAFs may not have been approved yet at a lower level. Or the EPAFs may be "voided".

The History tab shows EPAFs that have been approved or acknowledged by the Approver.

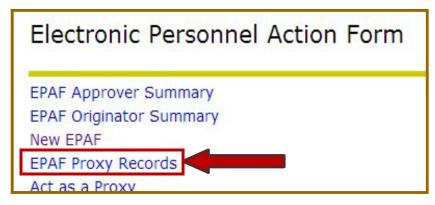
**NOTE:** Click on Search to find EPAFs by S-Number, Employee Name, EPAF Transaction Number, and more. The search function will search the **Current**, **In My Queue**, and **History** Tabs.

### **EPAF Approval Types**

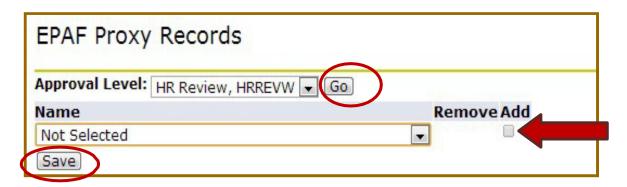
- HIRE Select this approval category to create a new assignment for an existing employee.
- > AJOB Select this approval category to add a Secondary/Overload Job Assignment for an existing employee.
- > **CHNG** Select this approval category to process a change in an employee's hourly rate, job title, stipend, or labor distribution.
- > **LEAV** Select this approval category in order start or end a leave of absence for an employee.
- > TRAN Select this approval category in order to process a job transfer by terminating one job assignment and starting a new one for an employee.
- > RACT Select this approval category in order to reactivate a job assignment for adjunct faculty employees.
- > **TERM** Select this approval category in order to terminate an employee and/or an employee's job assignment.

### **Designate a Proxy Approver**

- 1. Go to Electronic Personnel Action Form under the Employee tab.
- 2. Select **EPAF Proxy Records**.



3. Select the **Approval Level** for which you wish to designate a Proxy Approver from the drop down menu. Click **Go**.



- 4. From the **Name** drop down menu, select the individual to designate as the Proxy Approver.
- 5. Check "Add" next to the individual's name, then click Save.

To remove a Proxy Approver from your Proxy Record, check "Remove" next to the individual's name, then click **Save**.

#### **IMPORTANT:**

When designating a Proxy Approver, be advised that the proxy must have security access at the designated approval level.

### Act as a Proxy Approver

- 1. Go to Electronic Personnel Action Form under the Employee tab.
- 2. Select Act as a Proxy.



- 3. Select the individual you wish to Proxy For with the drop down menu.
- 4. Submitted From Date and Submitted to Date: Leave blank if you want to see all EPAFs that require this individual's approval. Or input submission date parameters.
- 5. Click Go.



You will have access to approve, acknowledge, or return EPAFs at the approval level for which you have been designated by the EPAF Approver.

#### **IMPORTANT** – To perform proxy functions:

You must have security access at the levels for which you will approve EPAFs.
You must be a designated proxy by the original approver.

### **Change Salary (CHNG00)**

- > Select CHNG00 Approval Category to make a Hourly Salary Change
- > On the **New EPAF Job Selection** screen, select the appropriate Position number you want to make the change on.
- > Enter the new salary amount in the **Annual Salary** field.
- ➤ Select the appropriate Routing Queue of the individuals who will approve the EPAF. Each required Approval Level populates within the EPAF based upon the Approval Category selected in Step 1. However, the originator must select the individual User Name for each level.
- Lastly, click **Save** then **Submit**. If there are any data validity issues within the EPAF, Banner will display two types of messages:
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### **Change Hourly Rate (CHNG02)**

- Select CHNG02 Approval Category to make a Hourly Rate Change
- On the New EPAF Job Selection screen, select the appropriate Position number you want to make the change on.
- Enter the new hourly rate in the Regular Rate field.
- ➤ Select the appropriate Routing Queue of the individuals who will approve the EPAF. Each required Approval Level populates within the EPAF based upon the Approval Category selected in Step 1. However, the originator must select the individual User Name for each level.
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### **Change Job Title (CHNG05)**

- Select CHNG05 Approval Category to make a Job Title Change
- On the New EPAF Job Selection screen, select the appropriate Position number you want to make the change on.
- Enter the new job title in the **Title** field.
- ➤ Select the appropriate Routing Queue of the individuals who will approve the EPAF. Each required Approval Level populates within the EPAF based upon the Approval Category selected in Step 1. However, the originator must select the individual User Name for each level.
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### **Change Stipend (CHNG07)**

- Select CHNG07 Approval Category to make a Job Title Change
- > On the **New EPAF Job Selection** screen, select the appropriate Position number you want to make the change on.
- > Enter the applicable stipend information on the following screen.
- ➤ Select the appropriate Routing Queue of the individuals who will approve the EPAF. Each required Approval Level populates within the EPAF based upon the Approval Category selected in Step 1. However, the originator must select the individual User Name for each level.
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### **Change Labor Distribution (CHNG09)**

- > Select CHNG09 Approval Category to make a Labor Distribution Change
- > On the **New EPAF Job Selection** screen, select the appropriate Position number you want to make the change on.
- Enter the new FOAP in the Fund, Organization, Account, & Program field.
- ➤ Select the appropriate Routing Queue of the individuals who will approve the EPAF. Each required Approval Level populates within the EPAF based upon the Approval Category selected in Step 1. However, the originator must select the individual User Name for each level.
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### **Start Leave of Absence (LEAV01)**

In the New EPAF Person Selection Screen, provide employee's S-Number or search for employee. Query Date is the pay period start date (Enter the Date you would like the change to take effect.

- Select LEAV01 Approval Category to Start a Leave of Absence for an employee.
- On the New EPAF Job Selection screen, select the appropriate Position number you want to make the change on.
- > Select the employees' job status in the **Job Status** field.
- > Select the employees' Change Reason in the Job Change Reason field.
- ➤ Select the appropriate Routing Queue of the individuals who will approve the EPAF. Each required Approval Level populates within the EPAF based upon the Approval Category selected in Step 1. However, the originator must select the individual User Name for each level.
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### **End Leave of Absence (LEAV02)**

In the New EPAF Person Selection Screen, provide employee's S-Number or search for employee. Query Date is the pay period start date (Enter the Date you would like the change to take effect.

- Select LEAV01 Approval Category to Start a Leave of Absence for an employee.
- On the New EPAF Job Selection screen, select the appropriate Position number you want to make the change on.
- Enter the Date the employees Leave of Absence Ends in the Leave End Date field.
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### **Job Transfer (TRAN10, TRAN20, TRAN50)**

In the New EPAF Person Selection Screen, provide employee's S-Number or search for employee. Query Date is the pay period start date (Enter the Date you would like the change to take effect.

- > Select the applicable Approval Category that corresponds to the employee.
- On the New EPAF Job Selection screen, select the Employee's Job Assignment you would like to terminate then click NEXT APPROVAL TYPE
- > On the **New EPAF Job Selection** screen, type in a position number and suffix of the new Job Assignment to search then Click **GO**. (If the position number is unknown, click on the magnifying glass icon
- Under the End Job Assignment section, Enter the Effective Date of Termination for the old job assignment in the Jobs Effective Date Field (A).
- Under the Transfer New Employee section, Enter the Employees Class Code (B) and Home Organization (C).
- Under the Create a New Job Assignment section, Enter the Job Begin Date (E) and Job Effective Date (F), Job Title (G), & the Salary/Rate (H), & the select the applicable Job Change Reason (I) for the new job assignment.

End Job Assignment, 2M9840-00 Counselor, Last Paid Date: Dec 31, 2013 **Current Value New Value** Jobs Effective Date: MM/DD/YYYY□10/01/2012 12/31/2013 A Personnel Date: MM/DD/YYYY 10/01/2012 Job Status: □(Not Enterable) Active Job Change Reason: 10008, Lateral Transfer -Transfer New Employee to New Department **Current Value** В Employee Class Code: MU, Monthly Unclassified Q MU C Home Organization: 26301, Financial Aid Office 22683 Distribution Orgn: 26301, Financial Aid Office 22683 Create a New Job Assingment, 2M9195-00 Project Coordinator Item **Current Value New Value** E Job Begin Date: MM/DD/YYYY□ 01/01/2014 Jobs Effective Date: MM/DD/YYYY 01/01/2014 F Personnel Date: MM/DD/YYYY Contract Type: Primary • G Project Coordinator Annual Salary: Step: □(Not Enterable) -Job Change Reason: 10008, Lateral Transfer

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# Reactivate Adjunct Assignment (RACT60, RACT61)

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- Select the applicable Approval Category that corresponds to the employee.
- On the New EPAF Job Selection screen, select the Employee's Job Assignment you would like to reactivate then click NEXT APPROVAL TYPE
- > On the **New EPAF Job Selection** screen, type in a position number and suffix of the new Job Assignment to search then Click **GO**. (If the position number is unknown, click on the magnifying glass icon
- Under the Reactivate Adjunct Assignment section, enter the Effective Start Date of the job assignment in the Jobs Effective Date Field. Lastly, enter the Job Title, the Annual Salary, Factor, Pays, & the select the applicable Job Change Reason.
- Under the End Job Assignment section, enter the End Date of the employee's job assignment in the Jobs Effective Date field.
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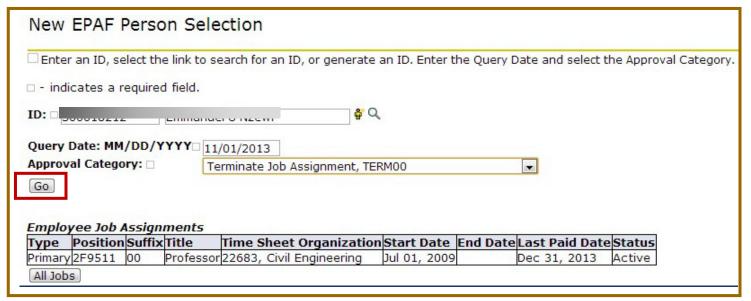
### **Terminate Job Assignment (TERM00)**

Note: You must terminate an employee's Job Assignment before you can terminate as an employee.

#### **Step 1: Define Employee, Query Date, and Approval Category**

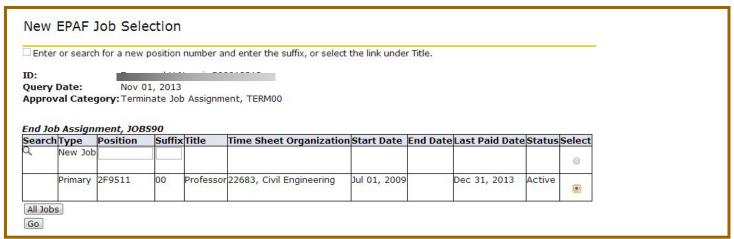
In the New EPAF Person Selection Screen, provide employee's S-Number or search for employee. Query Date is the pay period start date.

Select TERM00 Approval Category to terminate an employee's job assignment.



#### **Step 2: Job Selection**

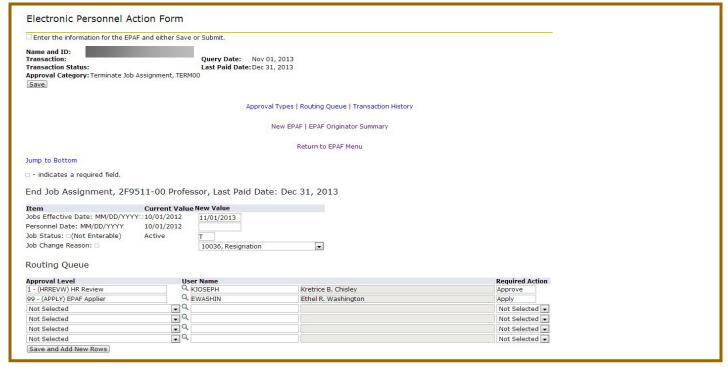
In the New EPAF Job Selection screen, select the appropriate Position number you want to make the change on.



#### **Step 3: Enter Main Job Information & Routing Queue**

Enter the change reason in the Job Change Reason field. The Routing Queue determines the individuals who approve the EPAF. Each required Approval Level populates within the EPAF based upon the Approval Category selected in Step 1. However, the originator must select the individual User Name for each level.

#### Step 4: Save & Submit



To complete the EPAF, click **Save** then **Submit**. If there are any data validity issues within the EPAF, Banner will display two types of messages:

**ERROR:** Error messages

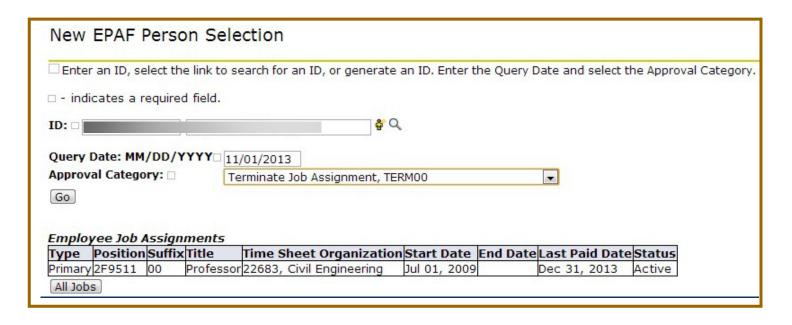
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### **Terminate Employee (TERM01)**

#### **Step 1: Define Employee, Query Date, and Approval Category**

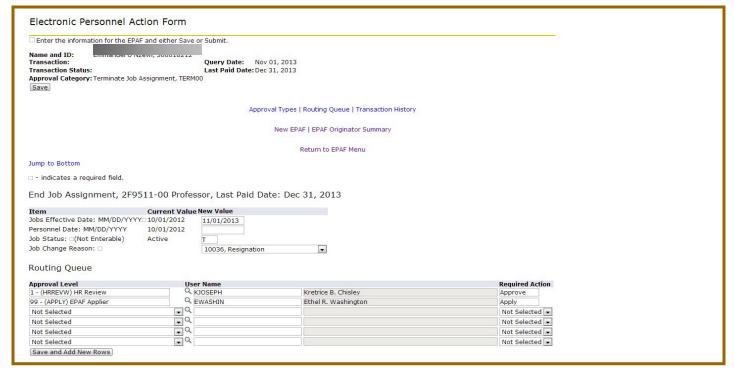
In the New EPAF Person Selection Screen, provide employee's S-Number or search for employee. Query Date is the pay period start date.

Select TERM00 Approval Category to terminate an employee's job assignment.



#### **Step 2: Enter Main Job Information & Routing Queue**

Enter the change reason in the Job Change Reason field. The Routing Queue determines the individuals who approve the EPAF. Each required Approval Level populates within the EPAF based upon the Approval Category selected in Step 1. However, the originator must select the individual User Name for each level.



#### **Step 3: Save & Submit**

To complete the EPAF, click **Save** then **Submit**. If there are any data validity issues within the EPAF, Banner will display two types of messages:

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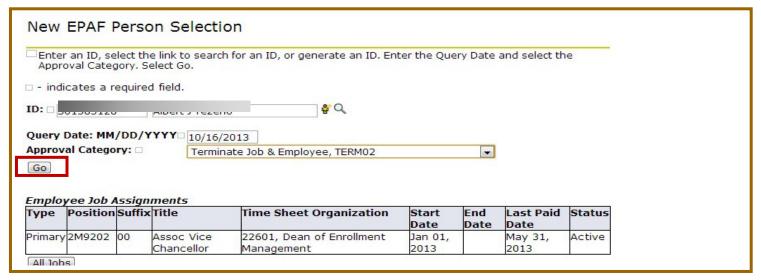
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### **Terminate Job & Employee (TERM02)**

#### Step 1: Define Employee, Query Date, and Approval Category

In the New EPAF Person Selection Screen, provide employee's S-Number or search for employee. Query Date is the pay period start date.

> Select **TERM02** Approval Category to terminate an employee's job assignment and employee.



#### **Step 2: Job Selection**

In the New EPAF Job Selection screen, select the appropriate Position number you want to make the change on.



#### **Step 3: Enter Main Job Information & Routing Queue**

Enter the new hourly rate in the Regular Rate field. The Routing Queue determines the individuals who approve the EPAF. Each required Approval Level populates within the EPAF based upon the Approval Category selected in Step 1. However, the originator must select the individual User Name for each level.

#### **Step 4: Save & Submit**

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To complete the EPAF, click **Save** then **Submit**. If there are any data validity issues within the EPAF, Banner will display two types of messages:

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### Important/Useful Information

- ➤ FOAP codes should always be preceded with a (C) to denote System Chart of Accounts.
- Position Numbers that begin with a 1 denote SUS.
- Position Numbers that begin with a 2 denote SUBR.
- Position Numbers that begin with a 3 denote SULC.
- Position Numbers that begin with a 4 denote SUNO.
- Position Numbers that begin with a 5 denote SUSLA.
- Position Numbers that begin with a 6 denote SUAG.
- When searching for an employee by S-Number on the New EPAF selection screen make sure to capitalize the 'S'.

### **Additional Resources**

# Please visit the Human Resources website for additional resources:

- http://www.sus.edu/HumanResources
- **EPAF TRAINING CERTIFICATION FORM**
- **EPAF ACCESS FORM**

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