Administration and Finance - 2020

# DEPARTMENT ASSESSMENT PLAN

- Professional Development Tracking and Reporting
  - Accounts Payable/Travel Jay Wood and Mona Sinha

#### Assessment Purpose

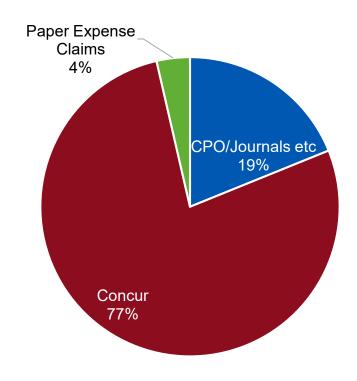
- To accurately track "Professional Development" expenses for campus and the auxiliaries through Concur
- Eliminate having to cobble numbers together from Peoplesoft, Concur and ProCard
- Provide accurate and timely reporting of this activity to the management team
- Convert travelers from paper-based expense reconciliation to online Concur reconciliation

- Assessment Methodology
  - Reviewed the past reporting of this activity
  - Validated the accuracy of the Concur reporting
  - Reviewed the data in Peoplesoft
  - Examined the data that was lacking in Concur and reviewed paper-based expenses

- Assessment Data
  - Professional Development Expenditures for 2018/19

FY 2018/19	ASI	Campus	UEC	Phil	Student Union	
CPO/Journal etc.	_	\$526,638	\$95,567	\$7,037	\$9,742	\$638,984
Concur	-	\$2,427,715	\$139,242	\$58,138	-	\$2,625,095
Paper Vouchers	\$78,338	\$ 5,733	\$11,980	\$24,602	\$1,123	\$121,777
Totals	\$78,338	\$2,960,086	\$246,790	\$89,777	\$10,865	\$3,385,856

# Professional Development Expenditure Summary



#### Assessment Findings

- Overall, the reporting available in Concur is accurate:
  - Concur reporting allows us to factor in costs for specific categories of charges, these include:
    - "Seminars", "Conferences", "Registration Fees", "Meetings" and "Professional Development" categories.
  - We can account for costs associated with the above categories for all costs related to the travel, including mileage reimbursement, meals, transportation/lodging and registration fees
  - With Concur reporting, we get concise information

- Assessment Findings
  - The pain points in finalizing the reporting occurs with the following:
    - CPO (Cash Posting Orders)/ProCard These are expenses
      paid by a third party, or paid via a department ProCard. Such
      expenses can be accounted for by using the Payment Type
      dropdown list available in Concur. However, this is dependent
      on individuals completing this information as they reconcile

Previous Comment Entered By Manorama Sinha: Test					
Expense Type	fransaction Date	Travel Business Purpose	Conference/Event Name	Trip Type	Enter Vendor Name
Conference/Seminar/Cour	04/15/2020	01. Conference Attendee	Test March 2020	Out of State	
Payment Type	Amount USD V	Comment	Request		
Procard - Conference Registrat	100.00		06/17/2020, \$100.00 - Test M		
Cash/Personal Card CPO/3rd Party					
Procard - Conference Registration					
University Paid					

- Assessment Findings Continued
  - Paper Travel Claim Forms (4%) These are processed outside of Concur, thus requiring us to manually review these charges in order to complete reporting

- Implications for Practice
  - Travel will address the following:
    - CPO (Cash Posting Orders)/ProCard A required field in Concur will need a response from the traveler. This information will only be as good as what is provided by the traveler.
    - Paper Travel Claim Forms (4%) Continue to push Concur over travel based travel claims.
    - Strategic Concur Training Hold in-person or group training for those departments, add requirements for individuals submitting paper claims
    - Prioritize Concur Reimbursements Essentially, make the Concur submitted claims the priority.



- Benefits of Concur versus Paper Travel Claims
  - Paperless and Faster Reimbursement
    - Especially important during this time of working remotely!
  - The Concur "Duty of Care" Module "Locate" and "Active Monitoring"
    - This is our 24/7 risk monitoring to proactively care for traveling employees. This service utilizes real-time data already provided by travelers using Concur to track expenses
    - Travelers receive alert notifications before and during a planned trip



#### Risk Notice: Washington D.C., United States

Our Risk Service has received the following information at 2020-04-23 15:56:07 EDT:

Risk Notice Level Summary (event valid from 2020-04-24 until 2020-04-27):

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA: COVID-19 lockdown extended in Washington, D.C. from 24 April-15 May - Update

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Medium Risk

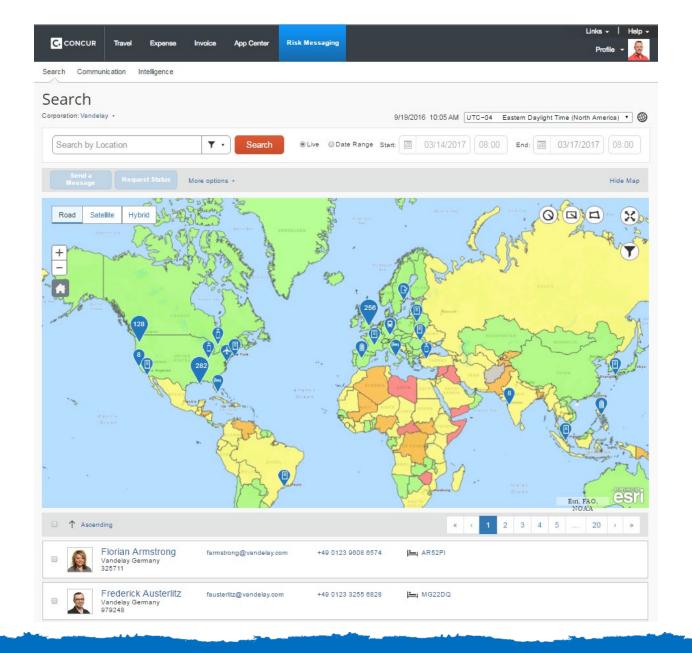
Washington, D.C. Mayor Muriel Bowser indicated that the COVID-19 stay at home order will be extended from 24 April to 15 May. Residents engaged in essential activities such as obtaining medical care and food will be exempted as will those employed in essential businesses. Going out for recreational activities will be permitted. Violators will face steep fines or prosecution.

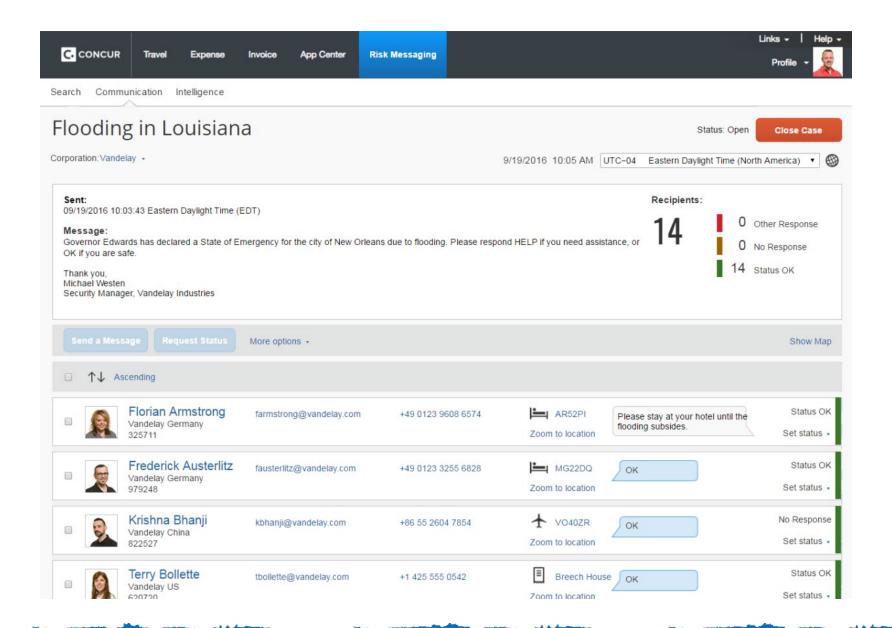
ADVICE: Follow all official directives.

1 traveller may be affected

Communication People Alerted Departure Time Travellers









- Questions?
  - Thank you!