

TRAVEL EXPENSE APPROVAL

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APPROVING TRAVEL EXPENSE REPORT THROUGH SAP CONCUR



To access Concur: Click Here

Accessing Expense Reports Pending Approval:

From the Concur Homepage, click one of the following:

Approvals link on the Quick Task Bar	SAP Concur C Requests Travel Expense Approvals
Required Approvals link to the left of the left of The California State University banner	SAP Concur C Requests Travel Expense Approvals App Center CSU State University Hello, MA Approver Hello, MA Approver Required Approvals
Required Approvals link found under My Tasks	MY TASKS

Approval Options:

1. Approve a submitted Expense Report

a. Click the name of the Expense Report you want to open.

Approvals Hom	e Requests	Reports			
Approva	als				
00 Trips	01 Requests	01 Expense Reports			
Expense Rep Report Name	orts	Employee	Report Date	Amount Due Employee	Requested Amount
CABO Meeting		Test, MA Traveler	06/16/2021	\$750.00	\$750.00

- b. Review each line for compliance and to ensure required receipts and itemizations have been provided
 - i. Click the icons associated with expenses to display attached receipt images, account allocations, comments, missing receipt affidavits, and exceptions
 - ii. Click the > symbol to expand the expense entry to display itemization details

Expense Approval

;	Gummary	Details • Recei	pts ▼ Print / Em	ail •				
Ex	penses	Transaction Dat	Expense Type	Enter Vendor N	Additional Infor	City of Purchase	Payment Type	Amount
>	Ø	07/07/2021	Hotel/Lodging	Marriott Hotels		Long Beach, Ca	Out of Pocket	\$600.00
	0	07/07/2021	Airfare	United Airlines		Long Beach, Ca	Out of Pocket	\$150.00

iii. Click Details, Allocations to view account allocations for the entire report

Summary	Details • Receipts •	Print / Em	nail •					
Expenses	Report Report Header							View 🔹 🔞
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0	Audit Trail Approval Flow	ire	United Airlines		Long Beach, Ca	Out of Pocket	\$150.00	\$15
	Comments							
	Allocations	-						
<	Allocations							2
						TOTAL	AMOUNT TO	TAL APPROVED

c. After reviewing all items, click Approve

2. Send an Expense Report Back to the Employee -

Approvers cannot modify expense reports. If the report requires correction, send it back to the Employee

- a. Click the name of the report you want to open
- b. Click Send Back to Employee / User

CABC	Meeting	G [Test, MA Travele	er]					1	Send Back to User App	Approve & Forward
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õ	07/07/2021	Airfare	United Airlines		Long Beach, Ca	Out of Pocket	\$150.00	\$150.0	Amount Due Company	Amount Due Employee
									\$0.00	\$750.00

c. Use the Comment field in the Send Back Report window to explain the reason the report is being returned to the employee, then click OK

COST OBJECT APPROVER = Delegation of Authority (DOA)

- When entering an expense report, the Concur system allows you to charge to one or multiple chartfield designations (split by amount or %).
- If expenses are shared between a home department and an outside department, upon submission, the expense report will simultaneously forward to the appropriate approving authority for that chartfield designation.
- Each approver can take individual action on the expense report, but the report will not forward to Payment Processing for final review until it has been approved by all appropriate approvers.

VIEW APPROVED REPORTS

- You may go back to review any reports you have already approved
- From the Approvals tab, click Reports
- On the left side of the screen change your View to filter for the reports to review:



NOTE: The same procedures apply for locating, reviewing, and approving Travel Requests

APPROVAL WORKFLOW

Request Flow	Expense Flow
Domestic	
Traveler submits	Traveler submits
Approver-HR Reports to	Approver- HR Reports to
Supervisor	Supervisor
Budget Approver 1 - DOA	Budget Approver 1 - DOA
Processor Approve [AP Office]	Processor-Don't Approve

Banned State, International, & High Hazard	
Traveler submits	Traveler submits
Approver-HR Reports to	Approver- HR Reports to
Supervisor	Supervisor
Budget Approver 1 - DOA	Budget Approver 1 - DOA
Exception – Risk Manager /	
President Designee	Processor-Don't Approve
Processor Approve	

War Risk	
Traveler submits	Traveler submits
Approver-Supervisor	Approver-Supervisor
Budget Approver 1	Budget Approver 1
Exception – Risk Manager /	
President Designee	Processor-Don't Approve
War Risk	
Processor Approve	

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