

# JOURNAL ENTRY PREPARATION & DEBITS VS. CREDITS



## **Training Objective**

- Provide guidance for preparing journal entries
- Inform users of the required elements for all journal entries and specific journal entries
- Provide contacts who can assist with further questions



#### Journal Entries-Introduction

- Journal Entries are a process used to enter transactions directly to the Banner Finance system.
- Journal Entry transactions are processed to reclassify, allocate or correct assets, liabilities, revenue and/or expenditures between FOAPALs.
- Journal entries can be as simple as processing a single transaction between two FOAPALs.
- Journal entries can also be used to process many transactions at one time using the FUPLOAD process.



#### The WHY: Why Are Journal Entries Important?

Why JEs are important – To Banner Users, To Students at UNC, To Colleagues and coworkers, to UNC as a whole.

- JEs must be properly entered to correctly report cash and other assets, liabilities, budget, revenue, expenditures and transfers within each FOAP.
- Large dollar value Journal entries, or FUPLOADs that affect many FOAPs, record transactions that can materially affect the accuracy of the University's financial reporting and decision making abilities.
- Journal entries can affect Student related FOAPs such as Student fee and financial aid funds. Errors could financially hurt student organizations.
- Departmental financial information must be accurate in order to be relied on for decision making and planning. Journal entries provide the means to maintain accuracy.



#### Journal Entries – What you need to know first

- Working knowledge or training related to the Basic Banner Finance and Ursa systems.
- Working knowledge of the Banner Chart of Accounts FOAPAL elements (a quick reminder is on the following screen).
- Basic understanding of the University Purchase Card System (Pcard).



#### Journal Entries – What you need to know first

#### Quick FOAPAL review:

- F Fund. Where did the money come from? 5-6 digits.
- O Organization (Org). Who is responsible for the money? 5 digits
- A Account. What kind of transaction is this? 5 digits
- P Program. Why is this transaction occurring and how would other Universities classify this transaction? 4 Digits.
- A Activity (OPTIONAL) How else can this transaction be classified in relation to a specific program or capital project? (With the exception to Foundation, Foundation requires this code.)
- L Location. (Not currently used.) Where does this transaction take place?



Revenue- UNC records revenue when it is earned, which is when the goods or services have been furnished, regardless of when the payment is actually received from the customer.

Expense- UNC recognizes expense at the time the goods or services have been received, regardless of when the actual payment is made.



## Types of Journal Entries

- 1. Reclassifying or correcting revenue, expenses, assets and/or liabilities
- 2. Transferring Available Cash or Budget (contact accountants with questions)



# Types of Journal Entries – Corrections or Reclassifications

Questions that must be answered and documented before a correcting or reclassification journal entry can be processed:

- What caused the transaction to be recorded in the incorrect FOAP?
- Why is it appropriate to move the expense to the new FOAP?
- If the original entry was made over two months prior to the correction, what caused the delay in correcting the entry?
- Only current year transactions can be corrected or reclassified. (If you have one, let your accountant know and this can be discussed.)



# Types of Journal Entries – Transferring Available Cash or Budget

Questions that must be answered and documented before a transfer of available cash or budget journal entry can be processed:

- •Why is the transfer needed?
- •What is the business purpose for the transfer?
- •Who is authorizing the transfer?



#### Basic Requirements for All Journal Entries

# All journal entries <u>MUST</u> answer the following questions:

- Why is the journal entry necessary?
- Who authorized the journal entry?
- How were the journal entry amounts determined?
- Which fiscal period does the journal entry effect?



#### Basic Requirements for All Journal Entries

## All journal entries <u>require</u> valid documentation:

- Journal entry form <u>completely</u> filled out
- Backup from Banner
- Invoice, statement, email or other form of backup
- Submit via Xtender



#### Payroll Expenses:

- Payroll expense reclassifications or corrections are <u>NOT</u> processed using journal entries.
- Always use a labor redistribution form.



## **T** Accounts

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- Every accounting entry must contain both a debit and a credit
- Debits are on the Left
- Credits are on the Right
- All debits must equal all credits (Be in Balance)
- Depending on what type of account you are dealing with, a debit or credit will either increase or decrease the account balance



## Debits and Credits Increase/Decrease

<u>ACCOUNT</u> <u>DEBIT</u> <u>CREDIT</u>

Assets Increases Decreases

Liabilities Decreases Increases

Income Decreases Increases

Expenses Increases Decreases

## Normal Balances for Accounts

Account	Туре	Normal Balance	Common Accounts
1xxxx	Asset	Debit	Cash, Accounts Receivable, Inventory, Prepaid Expenses
2xxxx	Liability	Credit	Accounts Payable, Deferred Revenue
5xxxx	Revenue	Credit	Sales, Fees, Tuition
6xxxx and 7xxxxx	Expense	Debit	Salary and Fringe Benefits, Operating Expenses, Travel, Supplies

## Journal Entry Form

Journal Entry Location: <a href="http://www.unco.edu/omnidev/general-accounting/">http://www.unco.edu/omnidev/general-accounting/</a>

Please do not save these forms on your desktop, use the latest forms available for each entry.

#### Frequently used forms:

- Deposit Transmittal
- Journal Entry Excel
- Journal Entry Banner
   FUPLOAD
- Journal Entry Non Mandatory Transfer
- Approval Queue Authorization
- Mass Approval Queue Authorization

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## Banner FGITRND Form

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## **INSIGHT FIN003 Detail Report**

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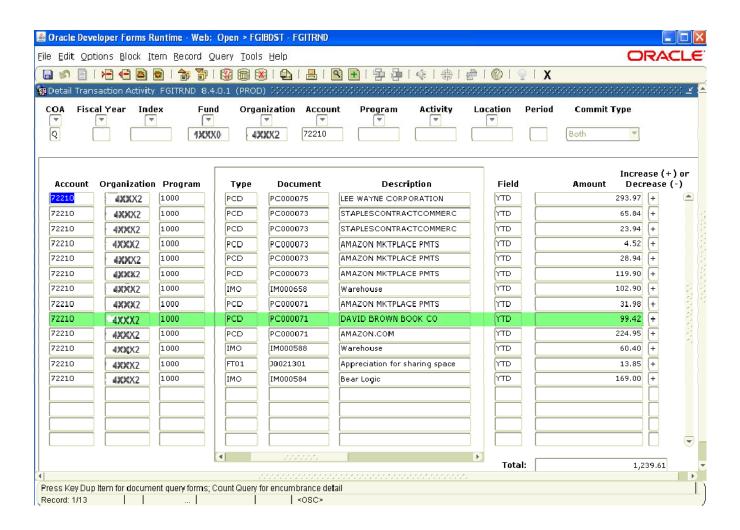
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## Banner FGITRND Form





#### NORTHERN COLORADO



#### MEMORANDUM

To: Dept Chair Org 4XXX0

Re: DAVID BROWN BOOK CO

From: Dept Chair Org 4XXX2 -

Date: August 18, 2010

The David Brown Co purchase was made on our procurement card. Please submit a journal entry to accounting to move half the expense as agreed.

## Internal Sales Crosswalk

	Internal Sales Account Codes										
	Revenue Account Codes			Expense Account Codes							
Roll-U	p: 57900 Internal Sales Operating Rev	R	oll-Up	o: 71041 Internal Purchases-Cost of Sales							
57920	Internal Sales-COS Resale Other	72	2920	Internal Purchases-COS Resale Other							
57922	Internal Sales-COS Resale Room Board	72	922	Internal Purchases-COS Resale Room Board							
57923	Internal Sales-COS Resale Facility Rent	72	2923	Internal Purchases-COS Resale Facility Rent							
57924	Internal Sales-COS Resale Dining Catering	72	924	Internal Purchases-COS Resale Dining Catering							
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57928	Internal Sales-COS Resale Supplies	72	2928	Internal Purchases-GOS Resale Supplies							
57929	Internal Sales-COS Resale Other Services	72	929	Internal Purchases-COS Resale Other Services							
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57970	Internal Sales-Services	72	2970	Internal Purchases-Services							
57995	Internal Sales-Parking	72	2995	Internal Purchases-Parking							

http://www.unco.edu/general-accounting/account-codes/index.aspx

If an internal revenue or expense account is being used, the coinciding account must be used, so 57920 needs to also use 72920.

## **FUPLOAD Form and Location**

#### http://www.unco.edu/general-accounting/forms/

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