Navigating BUworks Central

BUworks Central is a system built on SAP that applies integrated business administration tools and processes.

The BUworks Central portal can be accessed here: https://ppo.buw.bu.edu/



Call us at 617-353-HELP (353-4357)

The Home page includes a section on how to get help and it provides users with a Quick Links section for easy access to web pages that users at BU frequently use.

Need Help?

IS&T has the answers.

The The IT Help Center provides centralized technology support for BUworks Central to the Boston University community via phone, e-mail, or the Service-Now ticket system.

- Contact us <u>online</u> or email us at <u>ithelp@bu.edu</u>.
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The number of tabs that you see at the top of your screen depends on your business role and your security authorization.



Below is a high-level description of the tabs that you might have access to through BUworks Central.

Tab	Description	
Employee Self Service	Provides easy access to information and services for employees.	
Manager Self Service	ger Self Service Provides access to human resource functions related to areas and staff for which a person is responsible.	
Finance	ce Provides access to Finance portal functions. Most are restricted to Central users and ISR Providers. The only distributed function is Asset Relocation.	
ACCTX Walk	Provides a translator to convert account information from legacy ACK to SAP and from SAP to legacy ACK.	
Reporting	Provides access to Business Warehouse (BW) reports for each of the BUworks functional areas which includes: Finance, Human Capital Management (HR), and Supplier Relationship Management (purchasing).	
Procurement	Provides access to procurement functions.	
Worklist	Shows Tasks, Alerts, Notifications, and Tracking for workflow items have been sent to a person.	
NebGUI Provides direct access to SAP ECC.		

High-Level Overview of Tabs

The icon on the left-hand side below can clicked on for help and the icon on the right-hand side below either expands or collapses the section.





If you click on the reporting tab, you will be brought to a new page similar to the one below.

There are sub-tabs towards the top of the page that you can use to navigate to different pages.



On the right side of the page, there is a link where users can get help.



BW Reporting Help

The reports are in the menu pane on the left side of the screen.



Clicking on one of the reports will bring you to a new page similar to the one shown below.

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