# Completing a Student Salary Adjustment Request Form (SARF)





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#### How forms get processed







A link to the Student SARF is located on the SEO website http://www.bu.edu/seo/payroll/forms/ (log in using your BU credentials)

Please note, the Form requires a supported browser. If you use an unsupported browser, the form may not behave as intended. A list of supported browsers can be found at <a href="https://www.bu.edu/tech/services/admin/document-management/onbase/clients/">https://www.bu.edu/tech/services/admin/document-management/onbase/clients/</a>



# 1a Student Salary Adjustment Request Form

Student whose	SARF Student Submission Form	Can be found on Student
salary needs adjusting	Student Employment Information         Student UID *       Student Last Name *         Student UID *       Student First Name *         Student UID *       Student Code	Job Information and Earnings History screen on SEO section of the
Select whether student is being paid	Section 1: Current Distribution	
an Internal Order	Does the current distribution to a Cost Center or an Internal Order?*         Image: *         Date: *         Image: *	Cost Centers 10 digits and start with a 1, 2, or 3. Internal Orders 10 digits and start with a 9.

Date range Tip #1 – include the appropriate weeks from the Job Earnings History (hint it's always a Sunday) rather than dates from postings in SAP. Date range Tip #2 – if the change spans multiple weeks, include the whole date range, do not submit a new form for every week.

IMPORTANT: When filling out the form, please use the TAB key to go to the next field, not the return or enter keys (which will trigger a submission of the form).





# 1b Student Salary Adjustment Request Form







## 2 Student Salary Adjustment Request Form

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	Section 2:
If the form includes any Internal Order numbers (95-) then "Yes" will be autofilled.	If any of the Internal Order Numbers above start with "95", then this form affects a Sponsored Program. Internal Order Numbers starting with "95" will be highlighted in orange. Is this SARF Sponsored Program Related?* Yes No Justification supporting the necessity of the transfer: (150 char)
Based on the information you entered above, you will be asked two (less than 90 days) or four (over 90 days) questions. Answer all the questions displayed	A detailed explanation of what caused the error and how it was discovered. An explanation that states to "correct the clerical error" or "transfer to correct grant or contract" is not sufficient: (150 char)*  Provide the extenuating circumstances for the delay in processing the adjustment: (150 char)*  Identify the controls that will be implemented or what action has been taken to ensure the error does not occur again: (150 char)*
If over 90 days, requires Pl	PI Full Name* PI Email* PI



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	Attachments Required	
<ul> <li>Attach any required supporting documents</li> <li>Job Information and Earnings History</li> </ul>	Job Information and Earnings History*          Attach Job Information and Earnings History	
<ul> <li>Business Warehouse (BW) Report</li> <li>Personnel Activity Report (PAR)</li> </ul>	Optional BW Report Attach BW Report	
You should have these documents saved as a PDF or image file (.tif, .jpg) in an accessible location on your computer (local hard drive, OneDrive, Network Drive).	Optional PAR Attach PAR	
Submitter & Alternate – Enter your name and email, and the name and	Optional Additional Documentation Attach Additional Documentation	
email of a back-up in your area. If you are your own back-up, enter your information twice.	Submitter & Alternate         Name and email for Submitter:       Name *         Image: Name and E-mail of Additional Administrative Contact:       Name *         Name and E-mail of Additional Administrative Contact:       Name *         Image: Name *       Email - Must be an @bu.edu or @bumc.org address *	
	By submitting this form, you are asserting that you are authorized or have been given the authority by a responsible to request this adjustment.	party
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#### **Attachment Best Practice**

It's best practice to save the JIEH as a PDF for the attachment, do not copy/paste the information.

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Attachments

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Job Information and Earnings History

Attach Job Information and Earnings History

Business LinkStudent Employment JOB INFORMATION **BNINGS HISTORY** Name: imhe Sem/Yr: FALL 🍅 epartment Mail Code:9 Department: § Supervisor: Job Number: Type: SE Start Date: 2019/09/02 ate: 2019/12/29 Grade Level: 0 Pay Rate: \$ 500.... Longevity Increase: \$ Longevit Off Cycle Date Off Cycle Increase: \$ Last Rate Change Date

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JOB INFORMATION AND EARNINGS HISTORY
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DISTRIBUTION Entry Date Unit Department Object Source





## 4 Student Salary Adjustment Request Form

Saving form The form is being saved.

Once you submit the SARF, you will see a "thank you" message and you will receive an email notification. If this message does not appear and you are still seeing the form, there is an issue. Something on the form needs to corrected; once corrected you should click "submit" again.

Thank you for submitting the Student Salary Adjustment Request Form (Student SARF). Soon you will receive an email with a Student SARF ID number. This number should be retained as a reference for tracking purposes for inquiries about this submission.

If you have any questions and your student SARF effects a sponsored award, please contact Post Award Financial Operations at 617.353.4555; If not, please contact Student Employment Office 617.353.3594





# What happens if PAFO or SEO find an issue with the SARF

If there is an issue, the initiator will get an email notification.

You will need to address the issue before the form can be processed. Follow the instructions in your email notification.

#### **Potential Issues**

- Wrong / missing names or emails
- Wrong / missing attachments
- Incorrect dates
- Missing Pl approval
- Incomplete justification





# **Additional Resources**

Link to Quick Start Guide <u>http://www.bu.edu/researchsupport/files/2020/06/Student-SARF-Quick-Start-Guide-5.29.20.pdf</u>

#### Contacts

Post Award Financial Operations, <u>pafo@bu.edu</u>, 617 353 4555 Student Employment Office, <u>seo@bu.edu</u>, 617 353 3594 IS&T for technical issues (submit a ticket)

