

Updates on Faculty 180
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Information and resources

All information is on the Provost's Website under the Faculty 180 Tab.
www.uaf.edu/provost/faculty-80/

- Login using UA credentials
- Helpful videos (overview, how to input data, how to collect citations, importing citations)
- Webinar of AAR, webinar of SNRE/CES AAR
- Navigation guide
- Tips and FAQs
- Unit contacts for F180
- Upcoming events and deadlines – note the two trainings especially for new faculty
- Your feedback – google doc

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Feedback

We received feedback from about 20 faculty via the online google form.

Michelle and I also took notes at each of the information sessions we had about problems faculty encountered.

Michelle and I have also responded to numerous emails and phone calls and have compiled lists of questions and problems (and a few compliments).

Some things we can fix on our end, some things Faculty 180 can fix.

Data uploads

F180 doesn't automatically pull from Banner, so there is no regular refreshing of data. We generate reports from Banner and upload those into the F180 format. The intention is to upload courses taught at the end of each semester, and to upload faculty at the start of contract periods. We're not quite there yet.

Things that have been fixed (or a workaround developed)

1. Confusion over workload units and percent workload.
 - a. section A - Put in either your workload units (UNAC, 30 units) or your workload parts (5 parts - UAFT). The percentage will calculate automatically. Your base academic year will total to 100 %
 - b. section B – add overloads, summer appointments, contract extensions, as units or parts. Part C will recalculate your yearly total and will shift percentages of the year as appropriate.
2. Team taught courses should now upload to both/all instructors activity reports
3. CRN will populate from banner screens

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4. Formatting issues on printouts – some fixed, some not. Still working on making sure exactly the same info prints via each route. Working with Deans to settle on view that they want to use for evaluating annual activity reports.
5. Administrative assignments on faculty workloads – should be under service. If you have > 50% administrative assignment, you are out of the bargaining unit and are probably not doing AAR.
6. Special category for undergraduate thesis – no, but put comments in box above.
7. Narrative self-evaluation – cannot select both options, but you can submit without attaching and without answering. Remember to either send under separate cover, attach a file (pdf or word), or type into the box in the form.
8. Michelle has added more narrative in many of the questions marks to try to clarify information.
9. Ian Olson has worked on a solution for variable credit courses. What will be posted is an average of all your variable credit registrants in the particular course/section. (E.g., if you have 8 students taking vocal private class, 4 for 3 credits, 2 for 2 credits, and 2 for 4 credits, it will show up on your teaching assignments as 8 students and 3 credits)
10. Should get accurate upload of courses this time. There were many mistakes on independent studies, courses where sections have different names (music lessons), etc.
11. Team taught classes should now upload to each faculty's F180.
12. Start and end dates on student advising, grad committees – no longer requires dates, just semesters.
13. Sabbaticals – most likely place is under research, but could also go as non-credit teaching or service. There is currently no specific designator for sabbatical. Use the text boxes as appropriate to clarify.

Things still being worked on by F180

1. Message of leave this page? You have unsaved stuff?
2. Uploading grants and sponsored projects
 - a. Ian is checking to see what useful and accurate info is in Banner, and if it is organized in a way that would allow us to upload to multiple faculty
3. Uploading citations – still cannot select UAF colleagues when uploading from google scholar/etc. And you can't change that lack of UAF id afterward. Means you can't graciously upload citations for your colleagues and have them just verify. A bigger problem is that it currently means everything gets double/triple counted if your colleagues are on it but not identified as UAF colleagues
4. Adding an option on university service to identify something at Departmental level (in addition to Unit)
5. Non-English names with umlauts, accents, etc. – some will upload correctly, but you can't type them in correctly or edit them
6. Get rid of requirement for non-credit teaching to have a class title or any class affiliation.
7. Allow assignment of units for non-credit teaching
8. Listing more than one degree as a terminal degree
9. Reports won't print a "revised and resubmit" status
10. Slowness of the system

Things that cannot be changed.

1. Terminology about CV vs Activity input form, vs initiated activity input form, vs standard CV, etc.

Things Michelle and I are still working on.

1. Sabbatical – where/how is it entered on workload?
2. Can we get rid of the required month on journal publications? More important for those published would be volume/number
3. Can we get rid of pre-proposal on activity classifications for journal articles?

New interface

F180 is rolling out a new interface. Estimated date of release is July 2015.

The screenshot shows the Faculty 180 user interface for Scott K. Harris. At the top right, there are links for Quicklinks, Help, Logout, and FACULTY180. The main header says "Welcome Scott K. Harris". On the left is a navigation menu with categories like FACULTY, ADMIN, DASHBOARD, PROFILE, and ACTIVITIES. The "To-Do" section contains a table with three items: "Complete Evaluation: IS Department Chair Review" (Not Started, Due November 15, 2014), "Complete Formal Activity Input Form Fall 2014" (Saved, Due December 20, 2014), and "Verify Coauthor" (Waiting, Due None). Below this is the "Manage Your Data" section with four boxes: Profile, Activities, Evaluations, and Vitas & Biosketches. At the bottom is the "Search Faculty" section with dropdown menus for "Faculty Activities" and "Interests", a text input field, and a "Search" button.

Quicklinks Help Logout FACULTY180

Welcome Scott K. Harris

To-Do + Add a Quicklink ? Help

| Action Item | Status | Due Date |
|---|-------------|-------------------|
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Manage Your Data

- Profile**
Contact information, rank, degrees, work experience...
- Activities**
Courses, research, service, professional development...
- Evaluations**
Assess evaluations from other faculty or evaluate them.
- Vitas & Biosketches**
Access standardize vitas or create a personalized one.

Search Faculty + Add a Quicklink ? Help

Faculty Activities Interests

Text input Search

Faculty 180 Navigation Guide
Annual Activities Reporting

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