

Information

Establishment of a New Position

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Applicability

This policy applies to University Administrators and Staff.

Administrative Authority

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Responsible Unit

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Categories

Reason for Policy:

The policy helps to ensure new administrator and staff positions are assigned to appropriate job classifications and pay grades and outlines the process to create a new position.

Statement:

All new administrator and staff positions shall be reviewed and assigned to a job classification and pay grade by the Compensation Office of the Human Resources Department and established in accordance with the procedures outlined in this policy.

Procedures:

Steps to establish a new position:

- A. The unit, in which the position will function, shall develop a Job Description Form (JDF) providing detailed information on the proposed position.
- B. The unit shall prepare an Authorization to Hire Request Form, providing information on the funding source to be used to support the position.
- C. The unit will forward the JDF, Authorization to Hire Request Form and organizational chart through the OnBase approval process.
- D. The Compensation Office will review the information submitted, determine the appropriate salary grade level, title, and job classification code for the position, and discuss the assignment with the requesting unit.

- E. The requesting unit will enter salary and title information on the PAR.
- F. The Compensation Office will review and may approve the salary and title information on the PAR.
- G. The Compensation Office will forward the PAR and approval to the Office of Planning and Budget (OPB).
- H. The OPB will review funding arrangements, refer to Restricted Accounting in Grants and Contracts where appropriate, assign a position control number (PCN), and send the new PCN to the requesting department.

Forms/Online Processes:

[Job Description Form](#)

Belknap: [Request for Authorization to Hire](#)

HSC: [Request for Authorization to Hire](#)