

## UF Raise Review File 2014: Salary Increases for Staff

The UF Raise Review File is used to provide raises that are being awarded by University of Florida administration or the Florida Legislature to a large UF population. When these raises are to be awarded, department administrators are provided with access to the UF Raise Review File. These raises are then automatically loaded into the myUFL system from this file.

This guide has been developed to assist in reviewing the UF Staff Raise Review File in support of UF's 2014-2015 merit based salary increase program. Under this program, eligible staff will participate in a 2.5 percent merit pool. Merit raises will be awarded based on criteria established by the colleges and units and will be effective July 1, 2014 for 12-month, August 7, 2014 for 10-month, and August 16, 2014 for 9-month employees. In addition, all eligible staff with annualized incomes of \$50,000 or less will receive a \$500 one-time payment. A separate [instructional guide](#) has been prepared to discuss the processing of the one-time payment. The Raise Review File will be available to departments from August 4, 2014 through 12:00 PM on August 18, 2014.

### Security

The security roles needed to review the UF Raise Review File are:

**UF\_EPAF\_Department Admin**  
**UF\_EPAF\_Level 1 Approver**

### Eligibility Criteria for merit increase

The eligibility criteria for the salary increase are listed below:

#### 1. Salary Plan

TEAMS and USPS employees are eligible, assuming other eligibility criteria are met. Staff members in a collective bargaining unit will be governed by the terms of their respective contracts. Part-time employees, probationary employees, and employees on leave of absence are eligible; however, employees on leaves of absence without pay will have their pay increase delayed until they return to pay status. **A separate [instructional guide](#) has been prepared to discuss faculty increases.**

#### 2. Raise Amount

Eligible staff will participate in a 2.5 percent merit pool. Merit raises will be awarded based on criteria established by the colleges and units. The merit increases will be effective July 1, 2014 for 12-month staff, August 7, 2014 for 10-month staff, and August 16, 2014 for 9-month staff.

#### 3. Hire Date

To be eligible for the salary increase, employees must be hired on or before June 30, 2014.

#### 4. Bargaining Units

Eligible bargaining unit members may only receive an increase subject to union negotiations; therefore, additional information will be communicated when agreement is reached.

#### 5. Performance

Employees with a performance appraisal of "minimally achieves" or higher are eligible to be considered for a merit increase. Employees with "below performance standards" or any below satisfactory performance designation or faculty who are currently on a "performance improvement plan" are not eligible for merit increases. In the absence of a current performance evaluation, employees will be considered to be at the "satisfactory" or "achieves" performance level. Any merit increases will be distributed on a pro-rated basis based on employee FTE.

#### 6. Disciplinary Action, Layoff, and Non-Reappointment

Employees who have received notification of non-renewal or layoff are not eligible for a merit increase. Employees who have received discipline in the form of a written reprimand or who have been suspended since January 1, 2014, are also not eligible for a merit increase.

### Paychecks

Salary increases will be included in paychecks on September 5, 2014.

### Procedure

- ▶ Log on to myUFL using your GatorLink username and password
- ▶ Navigate to **Workforce Administration > Job Information > UF Raise Review**

**Figure 1:** Search screen

- ▶ At the **Find an Existing Value** tab, search for eligible employees
- ▶ Enter **Department ID**, Raise Type **S14**, and Effective Date
- ▶ Click **Search**

**UF Raise Review**

Enter any information you have and click Search. Leave fields blank for a list of all values.

**Find an Existing Value**

Maximum number of rows to return (up to 300): 300

Department: begins with 11111111

Description: begins with

Fiscal Year: =

Raise Type: begins with S14

Effective Date: = 07/01/2014

Case Sensitive

Search Clear Basic Search Save Search Criteria

**Figure 1**

Enter Department ID.  
Enter S14 in the Raise Type field.  
Enter Effective Date.  
12-month: 07/01/14  
10-month: 08/07/14  
9-month: 08/16/14

**Figure 2:** UF Raise Review screen

► All eligible employees in that department ID will be listed (see also **Special Notes** below).

Raise Review

### UF Raise Processing

Below is a listing of employees eligible for raises in your department. Please review the information and enter/change the amounts of increase as needed. If an employee is not getting a raise, please remove the check under 'Process' which appears next to the Empl ID. If an employee needs to be added, deleted or moved to another Department ID, please contact the appropriate personnel office.

Raise Type: 2014 Staff 2014 Merit Increase  
 Department: 02030000 PV-HONORS OFFICE  
 Raise/Bonus Effective Date: 07/01/2014

Eligible Employees														
Process (?)	Empl ID	Empl Record	Pay Status	Name	FTE	Sal Plan	Empl Class	Union Code	Freq	Component	Annual Salary	Raise Amount	New Salary	% Change
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	01393139	0	Active	Employee 1	1.000000	TU2N	REG		Hourly	Merit	\$33,554.160		\$33,554.160	0
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	70101600	0	Active	Employee 2	1.000000	US2N	REG		Hourly	Merit	\$37,709.280		\$37,709.280	0

  

Department Totals			
Current Total Annual Salary:	\$71,263.440	Department Raise Total:	\$0.00
New Total Annual Salary:	\$71,263.440	Percent Change:	0

**Figure 2**

### Special Notes

1. If changes to the Raise Review File are needed for employees (add, delete, or transfer an employee to a new department ID or change an FTE), please submit the request to [2014salaryincrease@ufl.edu](mailto:2014salaryincrease@ufl.edu).
2. All changes to the Raise Review File should be submitted by 12:00 p.m. on August 18, 2014.
3. Job/Position Actions and Special Pay Increases
  - i. ePAFs that modify an employee's job data record and have an effective date after June 30, 2014 can cause an error to occur when the raise file is executed on August 22, 2014. As a result, departments should minimize position actions that impact employee job data records.
  - ii. Special Pay Increases received after June 30, 2014 may be effective date no earlier than August 22, 2014.
  - iii. For ePAFs requiring special consideration after June 30, 2014 please e-mail your request to [2014salaryincrease@ufl.edu](mailto:2014salaryincrease@ufl.edu).

### **Timeline Review**

August 4, 2014 through 12:00 PM August 18, 2014: Raise Review File will be available to departments.

August 22, 2014: Raise Review File with salary increases will be loaded into myUFL

August 25, 2014: Staff increases available for review in my UFL

September 5, 2014: First paycheck with merit increases (retroactive to July 1 for 12 month employees)

### **Questions?**

Departments with questions regarding this staff increase may contact Classification & Compensation at (352) 392-2477 or [2014salaryincrease@ufl.edu](mailto:2014salaryincrease@ufl.edu).

For technical questions: Call UF Help Desk at (352) 392-HELP or email [helpdesk@ufl.edu](mailto:helpdesk@ufl.edu)