



Travel and ePay User Group Meeting

January 10, 2019

BFS – Business & Financial Services

A Division of Business & Administration Services (BAS)



UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE



Agenda

- Travel Policy Update (Aver Smith)
- Airbnb for UC (Dorthea Ford)
- Ancillary Charges (Sandra Danford)
- Allowable vs. Not Allowable Receipts (Sandra Danford)
- Accounts Payable Contacts (Sandra Danford)
- ProCard Expanded Use: Airfare & Lodging (Aver Smith & Dana Allen)







Travel Policy Update

Aver Smith, AP/Travel Supervisor



Travel Policy Update

Mileage Rate Increase:

- As of January 1, 2019, the reimbursement rate for the use of a private automobile for University business travel increased from 54.5 cents a mile to **58.0** cents a mile.
- The reimbursement rate for driving an automobile in connection with a move or relocation increased from 18 cents a mile to 20 cents a mile.
 - Note that reimbursements for moving-related expenses, including mileage, are considered taxable wage income after January 1, 2018







Airbnb for UC

Dorthea Ford, Accounts Payable Analyst



Airbnb for UC

Airbnb is now a UC preferred accommodation option for travel

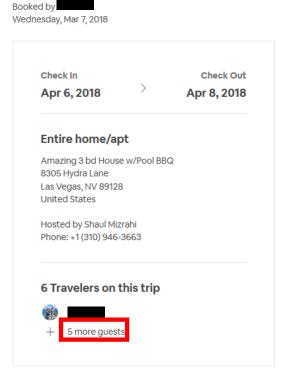
- Using "For Work Trips Filter" shows listings that provide the following:
 - Defaults to properties under \$275/night (per UC policy requirements)
 - Many of the essential amenities (i.e. wifi, shampoo, self check-in)
 - Top-rated (4.8+ star rating in the last 365 days)
 - Offers flexible and moderate cancellation policies
 - ⁻ Entire home
- Option for groups to pay for their portion of the rental separately, providing receipt to each payer.





Cost Splitting Feature for Room Sharing

Confirmation: 2 nights in Las Vegas, NV

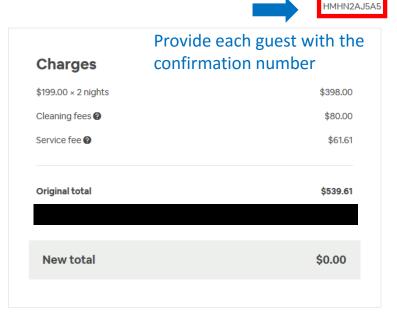


Cost per traveler

This trip was \$44.97 per person, per night, including taxes and other fees.

Security Deposit

A Host requires a Security Deposit of \$500 to book this listing. The Guest is responsible for the amount of the Security Deposit, but it will not be charged unless the host makes a claim.









Airbnb for UC

Under "Best Practices" you will find an Airbnb for UC Traveler Guide

BEST PRACTICES FOR WORK TRIPS ON AIRBNB

- 1. Review your UC's Travel Travel Policy: You'll find guidelines to make sure you're staying within budget and in an accommodation type (entire home vs. private room) that's company approved. Contact your campus travel office with any questions.
- 2. Read Reviews: Be sure to read some of the host's reviews on their listing page to make sure the general sentiments of other guests align with your needs. Tip: You can even see reviews that were marked as "Business Trip" to see if the home is the right fit for you.
- 3. Review House Rules: Each host is unique and while they want you to have a good time, they also want to make sure that you follow their house rules.
- 4. Contact Your Host: You can message a host on Airbnb before booking their place to ask them questions about their availability, their listing and your specific needs.

More information can be found in the Airbnb for UC Traveler Guide.





Airbnb for UC

For more information on the Airbnb for UC program:

• On the Connxxeus Homepage click "Learn More" on the Airbnb page









Ancillary Charges

Sandra Danford, Accounts Payable Anaylst



Ancillary Charges

 The UC Travel policy, Business and Finance Bulletin G-28 (BFB G-28) allows campus chancellors to establish <u>local policy</u> on ancillary travel charges.

• Effective 10/01/18, Chancellor Wilcox approved certain ancillary travel expenses in order to streamline the travel reimbursement process.





Ancillary Charges

The below charges are reimbursable with the following approval:

- Department approval:
 - Standard checked baggage fees up to 2 bags
 - Carry-on baggage fees up to 2 bags
 - Seat selection charges—cannot exceed \$30. Does **not** include seat upgrades

Receipts are required for charges in excess of \$75

- Department head approval and a written explanation of the business purpose:
 - Non-standard checked baggage fees
 - Wi-Fi services
 - Seat selection charges in excess of \$30. Does not include seat upgrades.

Receipts are required for charges in excess of \$75

- Exceptional Organizational Unit Head Approval and a written justification of the business need:
 - Early Bird Check-in or priority boarding
 - Seat Upgrade to Economy Plus/Extra Comfort within the economy class airfare or similar -- excludes Business or First Class airfares (see BFB G-28 for policy requirements on business or first class airfares)

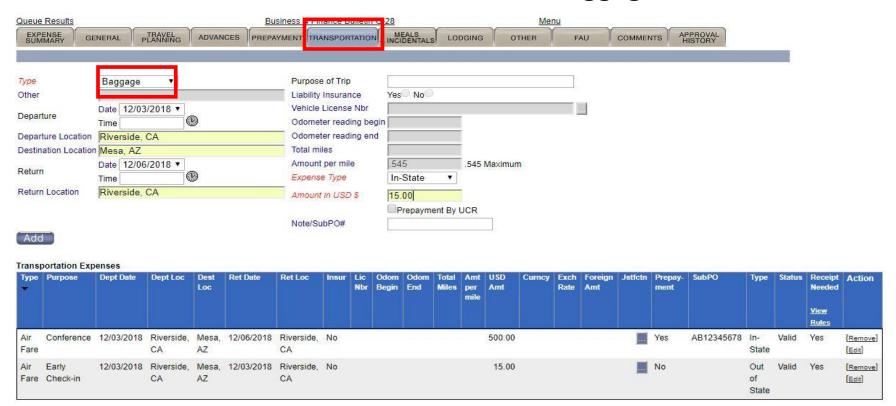
Receipts are required for **ALL** charges





iTravel Expenditure Categorization

- Transportation tab-Baggage
 - Standard checked baggage fees
 - Carry-on baggage
 - Non-standard checked baggage fees

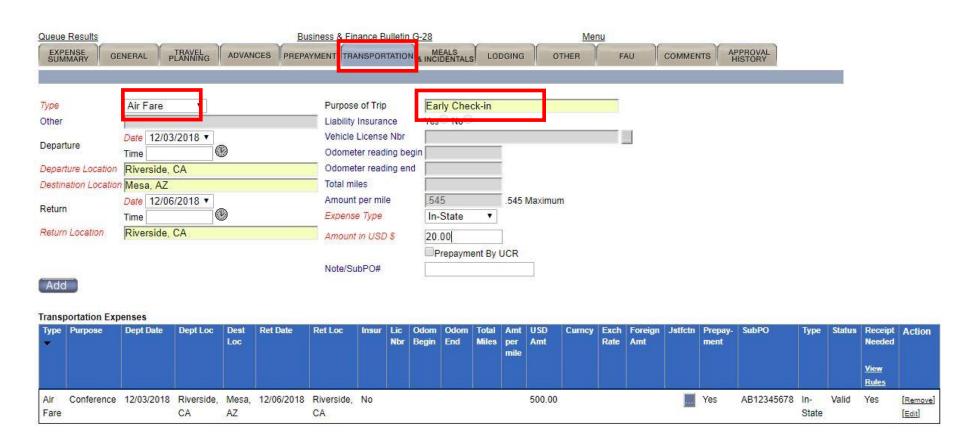






iTravel Expenditure Categorization

- Transportation tab-Airfare
 - Early Check In or priority boarding
 - Seat Upgrade to Economy Plus/Extra Comfort

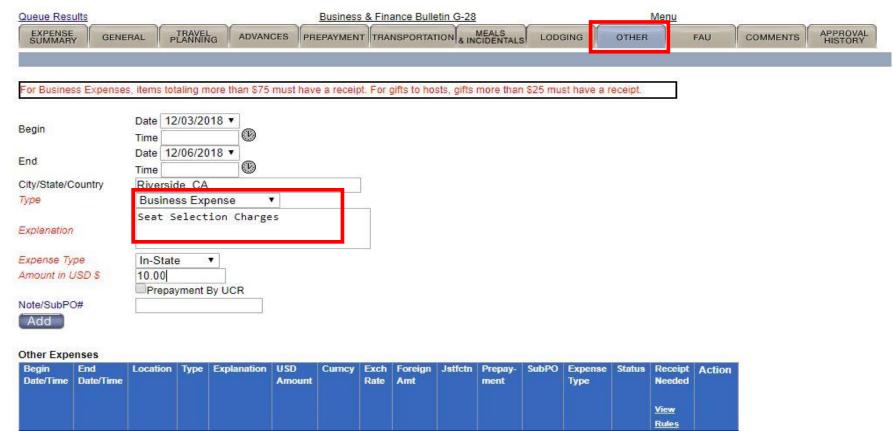






iTravel Expenditure Categorization

- Other tab-Business Expense
 - Seat selection charges
 - Wi-Fi services









Allowable vs. Non-Allowable Receipts

• Sandra Danford, Accounts Payable Analyst



Allowable vs. Non-Allowable Receipts

Allowable Receipts

- Business name
- Fully itemized
- Reflects payment method
- Amount paid
- Shows dates of travel/rental/lodging

Non-Allowable

- Non-Itemized
- Payment method not included
- Dates of travel/rental/lodging not reflected
- Statements and any other non-receipts



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Date

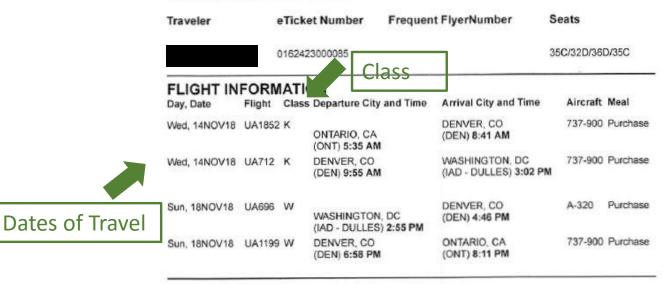
United logo link to home page

Confirmation: FE0N71

Check-In >

Fully Itemized Airfare Example

TRAVELER INFORMATION



FARE INFORMATION

Fare Breakdown Airfare:	445.58U	Form of Payment: VISA Last Four Digits 6022	
U.S. Transportation Tax: U.S. Flight Segment Tax: September 11th Security Fee: U.S. Passenger Facility Charge: Per Person Total:	33.42 16.40 11.20 18.00 524.60U:	1	Payment Method
eTicket Total:	524.60U		

The airfare you paid on this itinerary totals: 445 58 USD

The taxes, fees, and surcharges paid total: 79.02 USD

Additional charges may apply for changes in addition to any fare rules listed. Fare Rules:

NONREF/0VALUAFTDPT/CHGFEE

Cancel reservations before the scheduled departure time or TICKET HAS NO VALUE





Vancouver

Nov 9, 2018 - Nov 14, 2018 | Itinerary # 7376067913400

Important Information

- . We combined two one-way tickets to get you the best deal on this flight. If you need to make changes or cancel, you'll need to do it twice-once for each one-way ticket.
- · All passengers traveling to the US must provide valid travel documents and details of their full US destination address for US Immigration.
- · Proof of citizenship is required for international travel. Be sure to bring all necessary documentation (e.g. passport, visa, transit permit). To learn more, visit our Visa and Passport page.

Total Price

\$103.43 Los Angeles to Vancouver

Vancouver \$120.02 to Los Angeles

Total Price \$223.45

All prices include taxes & fees and are quoted in US dollars. Your two one-way fares may be processed through multiple transactions.

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No Payment Method

We hope you had a great trip. Thank you for choosing Expedia for your travel reservations.

Los Angeles (LAX) → Vancouver (YVR)

Nov 9, 2018 - Nov 9, 2018, 1 one way ticket

Traveler Information

No frequent fiver details provided Ticket# 8387176380566

* Seat assignments, special meals, frequent flyer point awards and special assistance requests should be confirmed directly with the airline.

Nov 9, 2018 - Departure Nonstop

Total travel time: 2 h 50 m

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Los Angeles

LAX 7:55pm WestJet 1699 Vancouver YVR 10:45pm

Economy / Coach (L) | ECONO | Confirm seats with the airline*

Airline Rules & Regulations

- · We understand that sometimes plans change. We do not charge a cancel or change fee. When the airline charges such fees in accordance with its own policies, the cost will be passed on to you.
- . Tickets are nonrefundable, nontransferable and name changes are not
- · Please read the complete penalty rules for changes and cancellations

Price Summary

COMPLETED

WestJet

\$103.43 Traveler 1: Adult Flight \$83.00 \$20.43 Taxes & Fees

Total: \$103.43

All prices quoted in US dollars.

Additional Flight Services

 The airline may charge additional fees for checked baggage or other optional services.

49 points

For this trip

Expedia.

- · 45 base points for this trip
- . 4 bonus points for +silver Bonus



Fully Itemized Lodging

10-03-18

0.00

900 University Ave. Riverside, CA 92521 Room No. Arrival

: 0774 : 09-30-18 10-03-18

Date

Departure Page No.

: 1 of 1 : 994777

Conf. No. Cashier No. : 7670694

User ID

Folio No.

: 761

Invoice No.

INFORMATION INVOICE

Membership No.

A/R Number

Group Code UNIV0918

University Risk Management 8 Company Name

Date	Description	Additional Information	Charges	Credits
09-30-18	Room Charge		232.00	
09-30-18	Taxes Room Tax		14.08	
09-30-18	Taxes State Sales Tax		15.89	
10-01-18	Room Charge		232.00	
10-01-18	Taxes Room Tax		14.08	
10-01-18	Taxes State Sales Tax		17.63	
10-02-18	Room Charge		232.00	
10-02-18	Taxes Room Tax		14.08	
10-02-18	Taxes State Sales Tax		17.63	
10-03-18	Visa Payment	Payment Me	thod	789.39
		XXXXXXXXXXXX8695 XX/XX		
Dates of Travel		Total	789.39	789.39
Dates of Travel		2000 PM		70202020

I agree that my liability for this bill is not waived and agree to be held personally liable in the event that the indicated person, company or association fails to pay for any part of the full amount of these charges.

Balance

Guest Signature:





Print receipt



Book again

Non-Itemized Lodging

Courtyard by Marriott Washington, DC/Dupont Circle

1900 Connecticut Ave NW

Washington

20009

DC US

Traveler info missing



+12023329300

Not an actual receipt, shows confirmation

Hotels.com confirmation number

8150633859929

Check-in

Wednesday, November 14, 2018 (3 PM)

Check-out

Sunday, November 18, 2018 (noon)

Your stay

4 nights, 1 room

Cancellation policy

Free cancellation until 11/12/18 11:59 PM (GMT-

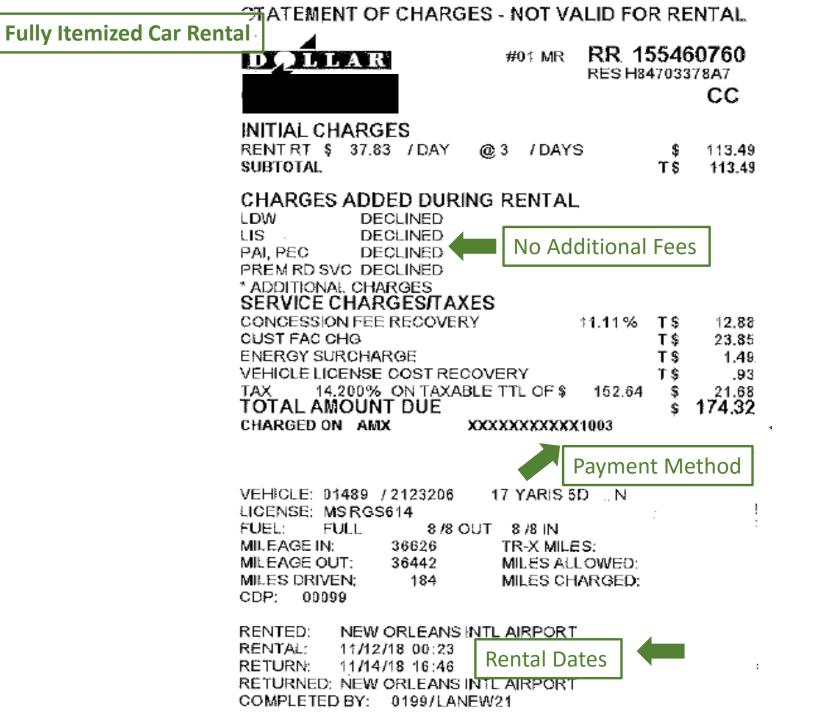
05:00)

Amount paid

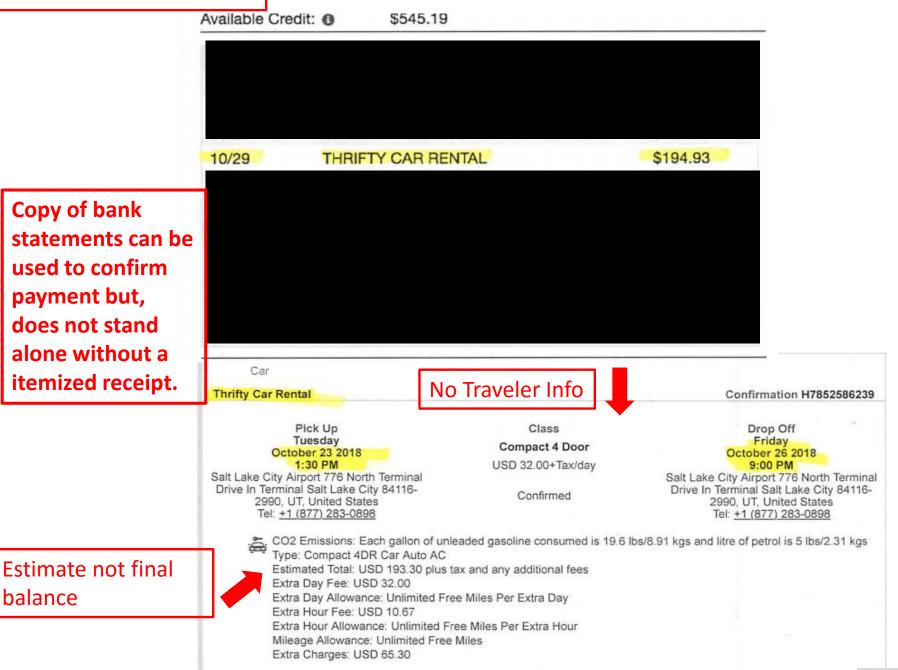


No Payment Method

\$836.38



Non-Itemized Car Rental





Missing Receipts: DME

- Must be completed in entirety
 - Wet signature or certified electronic signatures only
- Only to be used when reasonable attempts to retrieve original receipt has been exhausted



DECLARATION OF MISSING EVIDENCE FOR MISSING ORIGINAL RECEIPTS

AND/OR PAYMENTS MADE ON BEHALF OF "THE REGENTS OF THE

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE"

Instructions:

Copy this form as needed. Attach this completed form to the Travel Expense Voucher (Form U85) or the Check Request (Form U5) in place of a missing original receipt. Complete a separate form for each missing original receipt. Also, only complete the appropriate section that applies to the type of payment made.

I, Mimi Collins, declare that:

 I disbursed personal monies on behalf of The Regents of the University of California, Riverside as follows:

Date: 11/30/18 Amount paid: \$100.00

Vendor Name: ABC Vendor

Vendor Address: __1234 Smith Ave. Rivers de 🕻 4 92509_

Description of Payment: Cash

2. The original receipt is not available. The reason (i.e. Could not be obtained, lost, etc.) is as follows:

I was unable to obtain a copy from the vendor due to the age of the receipt.

3. Travel Advance payment (i.e. airfare ticket, rail ticket, registration fee, hotel deposit, etc.) made by The Regents of the University of California, Riverside – Accounting Office on my behalf:

Payee's Name: _____ Traveler's Department: _____

Trip Destination: ______ Type of Advance: ______

Inclusive Dates of Trip: _____ Dollar Amount: \$_____

Name of Faculty/Employee Sponsor (if applicable):

I request by my signature of this document reimbursement for this disbursement from my personal funds OR to have the UCR Accounting Office – Travel Office clear the above advanced payment made for me by the UC Regents.

Date: 1/8/19

Signature:





Reminders

• Sandra Danford, Accounts Payable Analyst



Reminders

Conference Registration

ePay payment

- When processing invoices/registration, the remit address must match the information on the vendor file.
- If the address does not match, submit request for vendor change via vendor request option through epay.
- Amount requested for processing in ePay must match the amount on the invoice or registration form.
- Note: The ProCard can be used for conference registrations.





Accounts Payable Contacts

- Travel questions and feedback: travelfeedback@ucr.edu or Service Now
- EPay questions and feedback: epayfeedback@ucr.edu or Service Now
- PO Invoice Related:
 - Cathy Newland: A-D, O-P
 - Rosmery Martinez: E-N
 - Philisa Merino-Dent: Q-Z, Food, Utilities and Freight,
- Travel/ePay: Christopher Baxter and Mimi Collins
- Vendor Maintenance: Valerie Davis
- Subcontracts, Travel Card, and Other Accounts Payable inquiries: Dottie
 Ford and Sandy Danford
- Escalation of Accounts Payable, iTravel or ePay issues: Aver Smith
- Director of Procurement, Business Contracts, Accounts Payable & Travel:
 Ellery Triche
- AVC Business & Financial Services: Bobbi McCracken

