

RAS

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Research Administration Support System (RASS)

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OSP Roundtable Agenda

- RASS project update
- Distribution emails (Awards, Amendments, Non-Financial Agreements, Subawards)
- RASS and KFS/financial dashboards
- Demo of sponsored project portal features in RASS

OSP and college research offices using RASS as of March 2019:

- OSP Live in RASS for normal operations
- EZRA to RASS data migration completed
 - RASS is system of record for OSP data
 - EZRA dual data entry to keep the Sponsored Projects Portal and RA Dashboard up-to-date
- During October 2019 begin:
 - Distribution emails sent from RASS
 - KFS integration data from RASS instead of EZRA
 - EZRA dual data entry will continue to keep the Sponsored Projects Portal and RA Dashboard live

Sponsored Projects Portal features in RASS beginning January 2020:

- Campus users live with RASS
 - Existing functionality replaced with RASS
 - Sponsored Projects Portal offline to campus users

Proposal development features in RASS beginning April 2020:

- Campus users live in RASS for proposal development
- Replace manual/paper processes
 - No more Form-10!

For updates follow the RASS blog:

<https://blogs.cornell.edu/rass/>

RASS system of record for OSP data:

- KFS / Financial dashboard data changes:
 - Agencies
 - Statuses
 - Grant descriptions
 - Project functions
- Distribution emails
 - New email format with attachment
 - Emails for sponsored project awards and amendments, non-financials (MTAs, NDAs, DUAs), and subawards
 - Up to a 3-4 day delay before data shows updates in Sponsored Project Portal and RA Dashboard

Stages & Statuses in KFS & OBIEE

- Award received by OSP
- Award Setup and Review
- Signatures and Distribution
- Award Finalized
- Award amendment received by OSP
- Amendment setup and review
- Signatures and Distribution
- Award Finalized
- Award Awaiting Closeout
- Award Closed.

RASS Demo

- Searching in RASS
- Overview of awards
- Award amendment requests
- Deliverable dates and uploading documents



Research Administration Support System Project

How to get involved

- Contact us with questions
 - Carrie Susskind, RASS Product Manager
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- Opportunities for feedback
 - Demonstrations with your unit
 - Functional testing

