

The Global Glance

A Monthly Update from the Office of Global Engagement
September 2022



Visa/Immigration

Changes to H-1b Process

To make the initial process more efficient, the form to complete for a H-1b sponsorship has been divided into two parts. Hiring departments can now first complete a shorter, simpler form online. Upon receipt of the form, Steven Daubendiek will contact the administrative contact to set up a meeting to discuss the case details and determine a beginning date of the H-1b sponsorship. The initial form will help determine whether an employee or a specific job title is eligible for H-1b sponsorship before the lengthier process of determining salary requirements and possible beginning dates. [Click here](#) to find the new H-1b request form.

Contact: Steven Daubendiek, sdaubend@unmc.edu

Concur receives new user interface

On Sept. 12, a new user interface for Concur travel requests and expense reports introduced a streamlined design for a more efficient user experience. Visual changes are prominent throughout the system, however, existing functionality will remain unchanged.

To view the new layout, review the quick reference guides (QRGs) developed to assist with the transition:

Quick reference guides (QRGs):

- [Create and submit a travel request](#)
- [Create and submit an expense report](#)
- [FAQ: Concur New User Interface](#)

For questions regarding the new Concur user interface, contact Melody Stark at the NU Travel Office at melody.stark@nebraska.edu or traveloffice@nebraska.edu.

As a reminder, a Concur travel request must be [filed](#) and [approved](#) before travel can be purchased. Please familiarize yourself with the NU travel policy and UNMC policy on international travel before planning and booking travel.

Upcoming Events and Deadlines

CHRI Global Health PI Seminar Series

Improving Interprofessional Community Engagement in Sudan using Project ECHO: a Virtual Global Health Approach, will be presented Friday, Sept. 16, 9:00-10:00 a.m. (CDT) by Nada Fadul, MD, FIDSA, professor, division of infectious diseases; medical director, specialty care center; and assistant dean, diversity, equity and inclusion education programs.

To register, [click here](#).

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CPHIA opens call for abstracts

Conference in Public Health in Africa (CPHIA) 2022 organizers are accepting scientific abstracts for all conference tracks.

The abstract submission deadline is Sept. 30, 2022 at 23:59hrs (EAT).

Applicants will be notified of acceptances by Oct. 31, 2022.

For questions about the abstracts program, please email CPHIA2022Abstracts@globalhealthstrategies.com

For abstract guidelines and to submit an abstract, [click here](#).

Child Health Research Institute's Annual Conference registration now open

Discounted registration is available until Sept. 22 for the first annual Child Health Research Institute (CHRI) Conference Nov. 3-4. For more information, [click here](#). To register, [click here](#).

Abstract submission will be open until Sept. 22, 2022. [Click here](#) to submit an abstract.

If you have questions, please email them to chri@unmc.edu.

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