CHRS Recruiting Temporary Faculty Pool Guide

Assumptions/Prerequisites

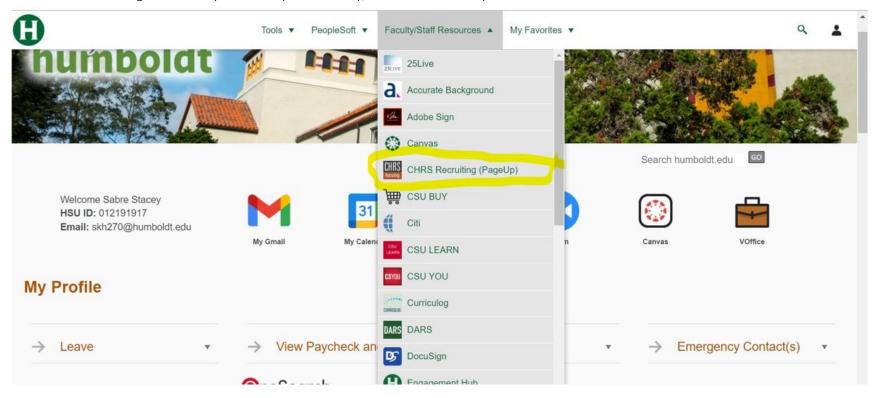
Role: Department Chair or Academic Support Coordinator

System Permission Level: CSURSPUT Hiring Manager Plus (Chairs) or CSURSPUT Department Admin Plus (ASCs)

Job Card: Identified as Search Committee Chair (Chairs) or Admin Support (ASCs)

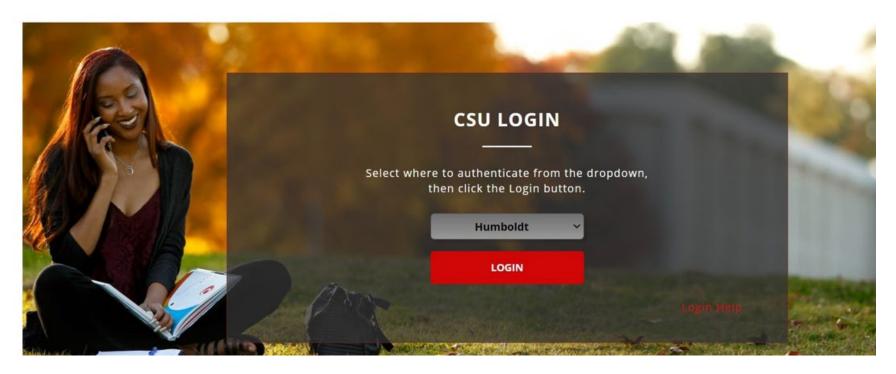
Logging in:

Access CHRS Recruiting from the myHumboldt portal Faculty/Staff Resources drop-down menu:

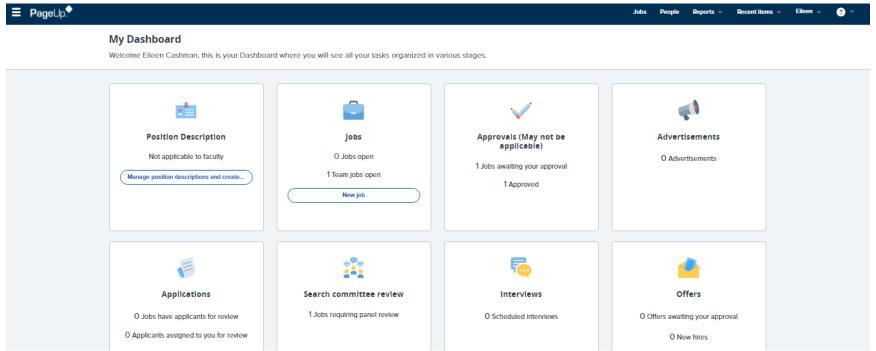


Next, choose our campus "Humboldt" from the CSU campus drop-down menu:





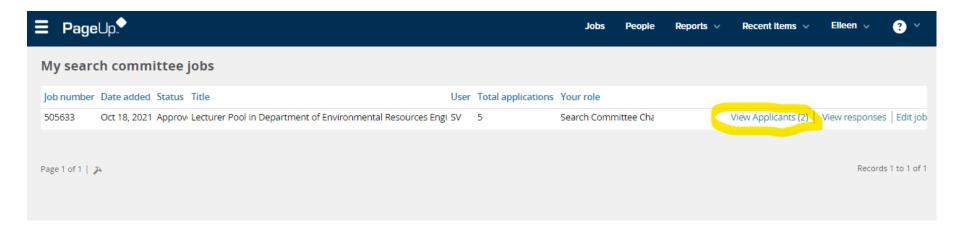
Once logged in, you'll see this Dashboard (note: ASCs will have a different view than department chairs):



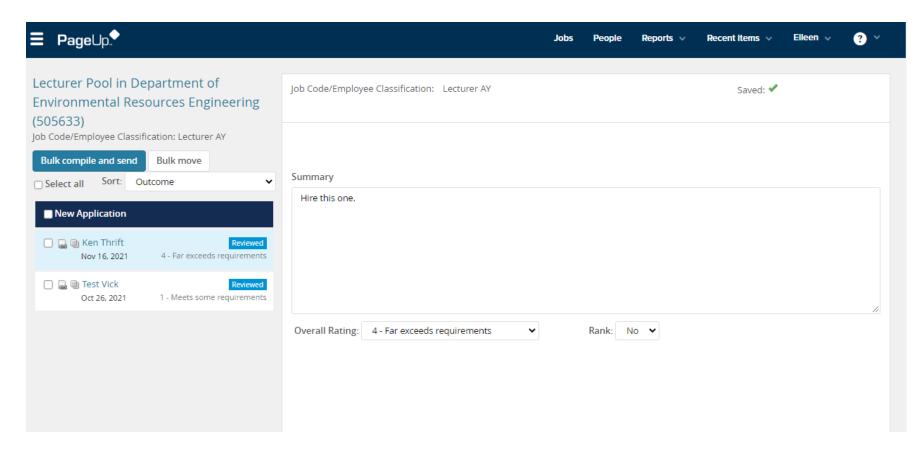
Step 1 - Reviewing Applicants:

From the Dashboard, click on the "Search committee review" tile. Now you can see your job list, and how many applicants have submitted applications.

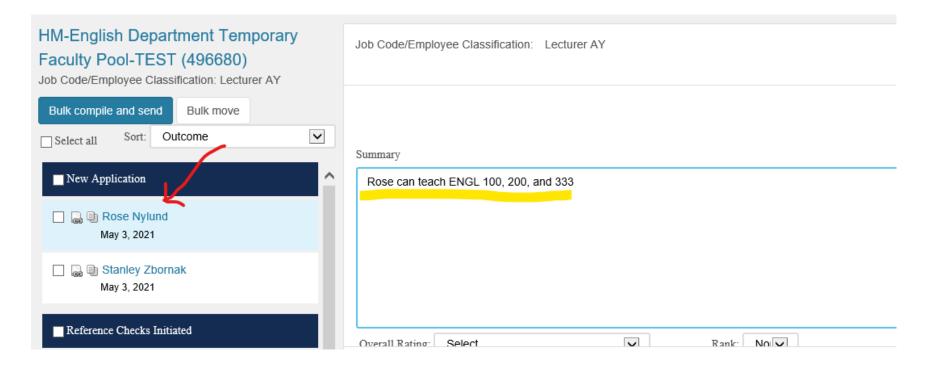
Click the blue "View Applicants" link on the right to see all the new applications that have come in that you have not reviewed yet:



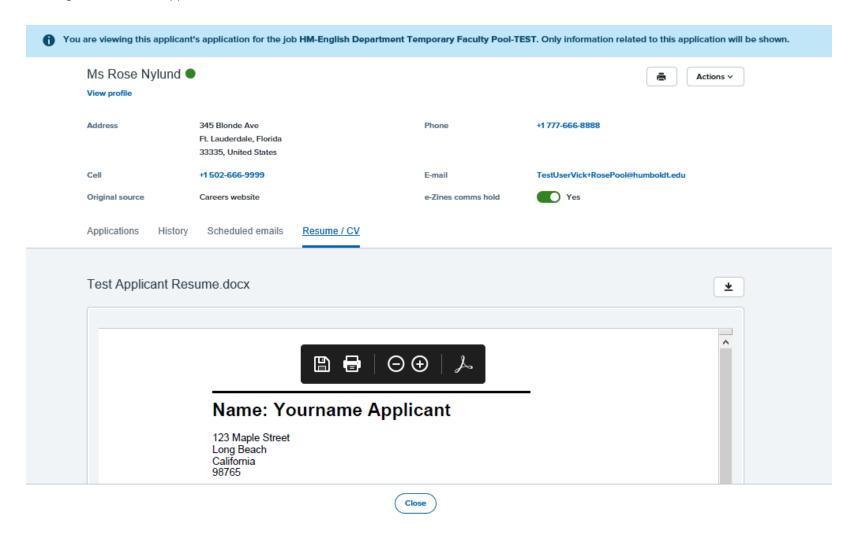
On this page, you can see the list of applicants on the left hand side, along with a place to make notes on the right. You can also provide an overall rating.



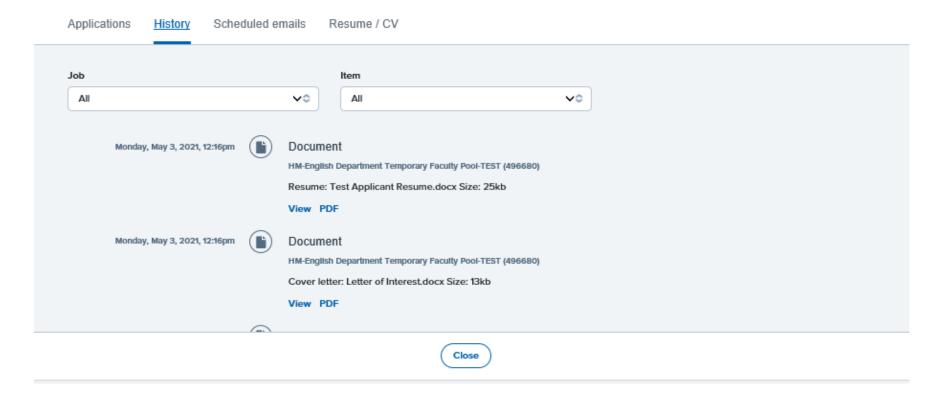
Click the person's name to open the applicant card and view the CV, as well as contact information and other application materials, and a history of communication with them.



Viewing the CV via the Applicant Card:

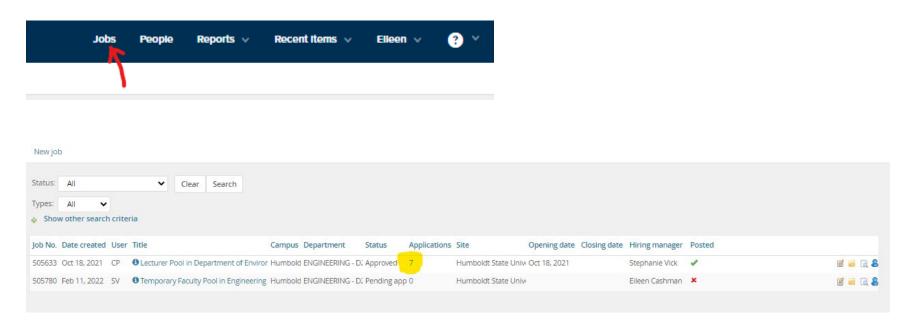


Viewing the History via the Applicant Card:



Once you have screened each applicant, you can move them in bulk to the "Department Chair Review Successful" or the "Department Chair Review Unsuccessful" statuses as a holding place.

To do this, navigate to the job (either from your Dashboard or by clicking "Jobs" on the toolbar as shown below) and click on the "Applications" link:



Step 2 - Bulk Move Applicants:

Click the checkbox next to the applicants you want to change the status for. You can select different actions for the different colored boxes (green, yellow, and red). Each color is a different "bucket" we can move them to.

In this example, we've checked the green box for applicants "Anne Wasson" and "Bobby Beck." We've checked the yellow box for applicants "Melissa Jones" and "Testing CHRS."

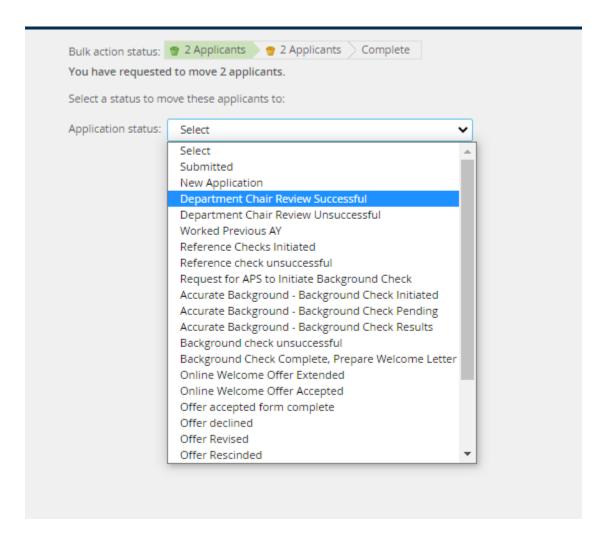


Once you've made your selections, click the "Select a bulk action" drop-down menu, and select "Bulk Move":

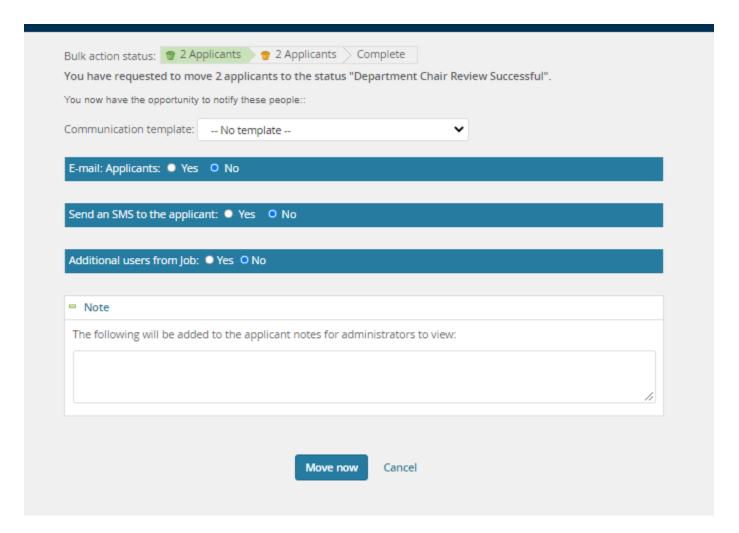


The next screen is where we're going to define what happens with each color we've selected, i.e. what action results from being in the green or yellow "bucket."

Starting with the 2 green applicants, we're going to make those mean "Department Chair Review Successful." Then click the blue "Next" button.



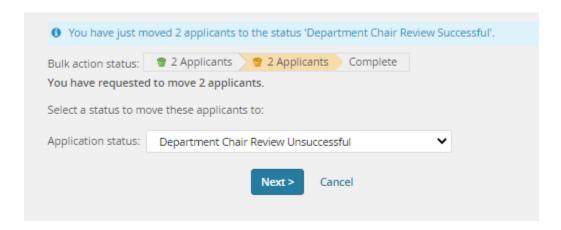
On this screen, leave everything as it's currently marked, and click "Move now."



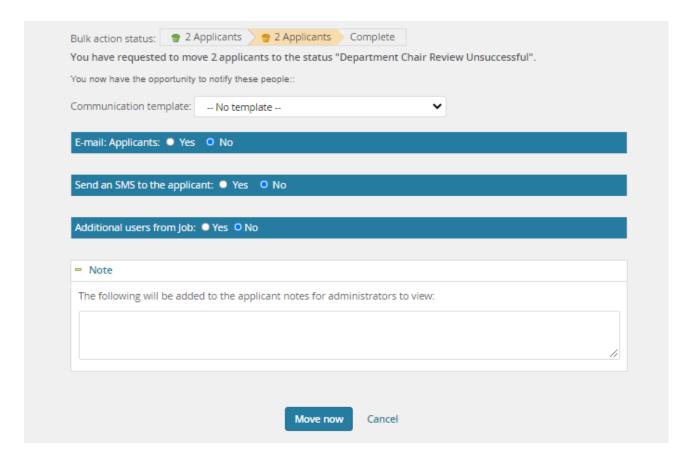
You'll see a message warning you to not close your browser, and you'll see the processing screen. After it's done, it will take you back to your bulk move screen to deal with the yellow applicants.

Now we'll follow the same steps for this group. (Note the blue message at the top of my screen confirms that I moved the green applicants to a new status.)

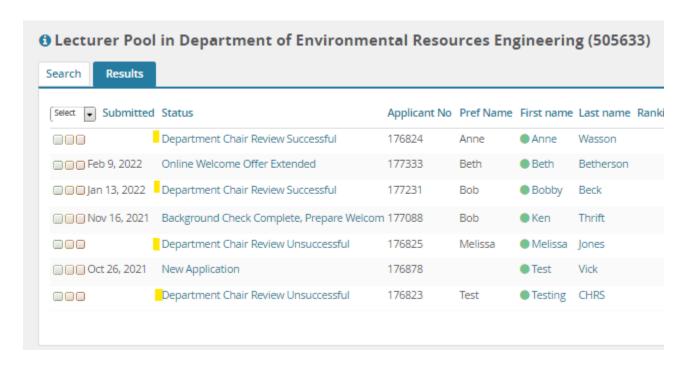
For this yellow group, we'll make this the "Department Chair Review Unsuccessful" bucket, and click Next:



No changes needed on this screen. Click "Move now."



Once you're done with your bulk move, it will take you back to the applicant screen. Now, you can see new status noted for each applicant you moved with this bulk process:



Incumbent Lecturers Reapplying to the Pool

For any incumbent lecturers (those who worked in the prior academic year), you will do the same review steps, but the application status will instead be either "Worked Previous AY" for those you do not yet have work for, or "Hire Complete - Worked Previous AY" for faculty who will have course assignments.

While not a requirement, current temporary faculty unit employees may complete the application to the department's temporary faculty pool to indicate their continued interest in temporary faculty employment in their current department. This serves as a communication tool for a temporary faculty member to inform the department about courses or assignments in which they are interested. It is not required to maintain entitlements. This replaces the Form 585: Request for Subsequent Lecturer Appointment.

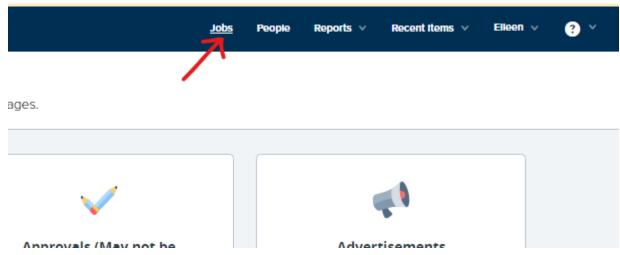
Incumbent lecturers do **not** need reference checks or a new background check in order to be reappointed.

Step 3 - Reference Checks:

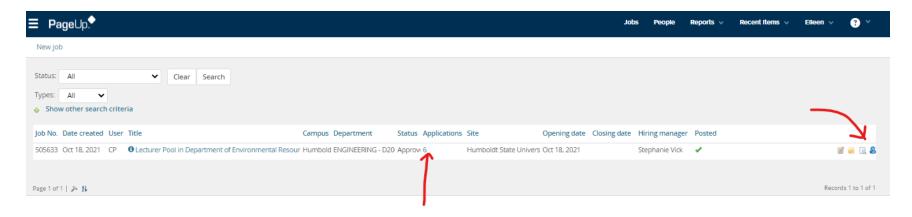
The Department Chair (or ASC) will move the applicant to the "Reference Checks Initiated" step. The references that the candidate provided in their application will be automatically contacted by email so that they can complete the webform.

Find the applicant* you want to conduct reference checks for by clicking the word "Jobs" in the blue bar at the top of your screen:

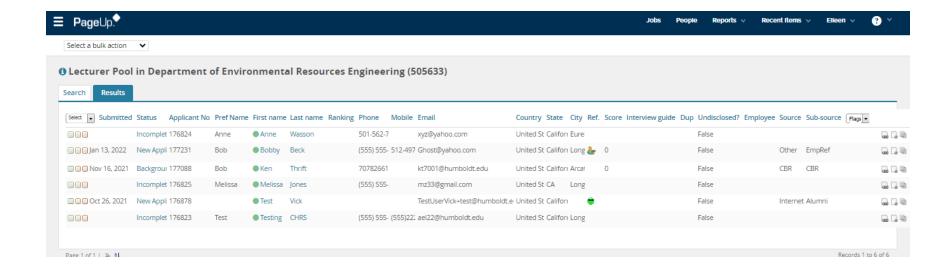
*Note that the bulk move process can be used to conduct reference checks if you are doing this for multiple applicants at the same time.



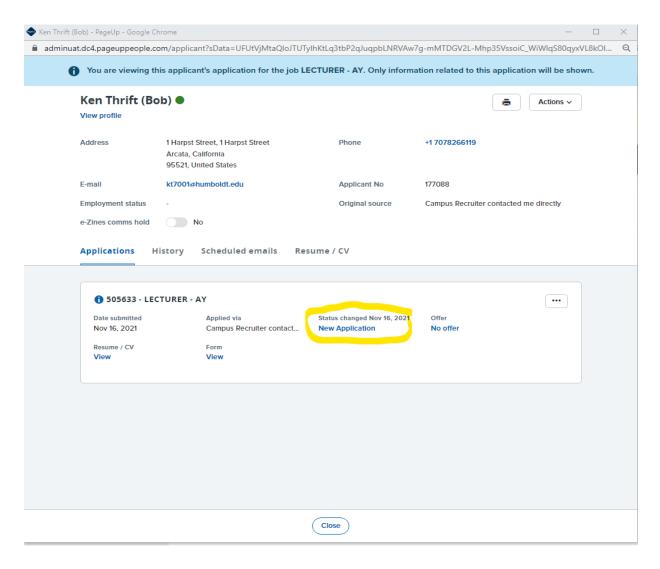
On this page, you can click on the blue number appearing below "Applications," or the little blue person icon at the far right:



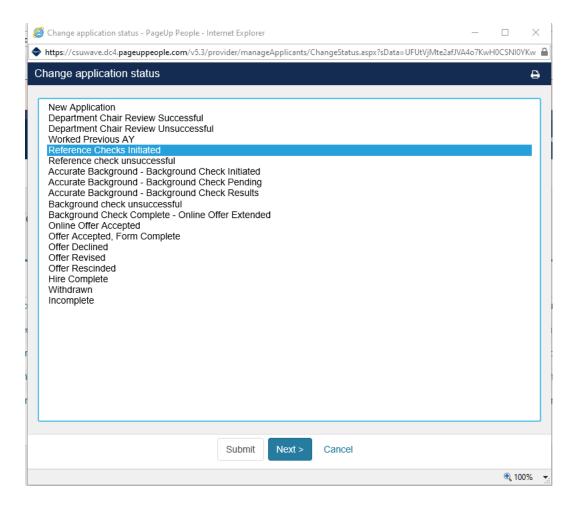
Now you'll see all applicants for this position, regardless of what status they are in:



Click the name of the person you want to conduct reference checks for, and the applicant card will open. Click the blue link (shown here as "New Application") to change the status for this applicant:



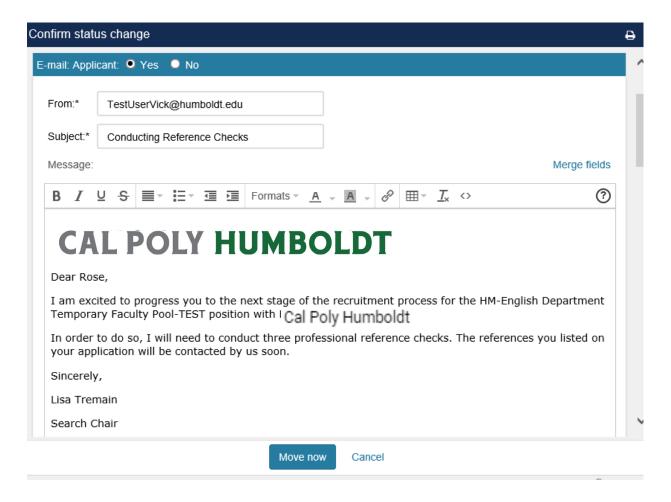
Once the status window opens, select "Reference Checks Initiated."



Then, click the blue "Next" button.

A new window opens to confirm the change in status. Here, you can confirm the email to the applicant looks the way you want it to. The system will auto-populate their information from their application materials.

If no changes, click the blue "Move Now" button.



View of notification email that applicant receives:

Conducting Reference Checks Indox x



California State University Careers <TestUserVick-995@mail.pageuppeople.com>
to TestUserVick+RosePool ▼

3:16 PM (0 minutes ago)

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Dear Rose,

I am excited to progress you to the next stage of the recruitment process for the HM-English Department Temporary Faculty Pool-TEST position with Cal Poly Humboldt

In order to do so, I will need to conduct three professional reference checks. The references you listed on your application will be contacted by us soon.

Sincerely,

Lisa Tremain

Search Chair

Cal Poly Humboldt

Email received by reference:

Reference for Rose Nylund Inbox X





noreply@calstate.edu <noreply-995@mail.pageuppeople.com> to TestUserVick+MacAfeeReference •

3:16 PM (1 minute ago) 💠 👆 🚦

Hi Casey MacAfee,

Rose Nylund is a candidate for the HM-English Department Temporary Faculty Pool-TEST position at the Humboldt campus of our California State University system and has identified you as a reference. Please provide your reference as soon as possible so that we may give the candidate due consideration for this role.

Click the following link for specific instructions and to provide the reference:

https://admin.dc4.pageuppeople.com/gateway/Default.aspx?sData=UFUtVjMt0E4I9h_to9-hyEYG4Z4eXL_s4SCU7UhTGJmcMuFqNoksUu4cuMbprb1AjTHtKP2pu1N2JDxqfJJaSUMN7JW wnUa5Uf9IIIPmQmww7MRJmD6RfuSzYMcavmQgZqdYq096Eab0sS5HWNpIH6Z-XYIwxsfl1oO7KwM1YXvkdb9w6EU%7e

Please be advised that the link above will expire on 15 May 2021.

If prompted, please enter the following information:

Pin: 324

Password: qqzbflTtWm

You may refer any questions about this reference check to our team. Note that we may also follow up with you regarding any questions we might have about the information you've provided. Thank you for taking the time to complete this document thoroughly and completely.

Sincerely,

Lisa Tremain

Humboldt

30LTldt142@hsu.humboldt.edu

After clicking the link contained in the email, the reference is taken to this page:

Reference check

You are providing a reference for Rose Nylund for the position HM-English Department Temporary Faculty Pool-TEST.

Please fill in all mandatory fields marked with an asterisk (*).

Faculty Pool Online Reference Check Form

Thank you for taking the time to provide a reference check for this applicant. They are applying for a temporary faculty position at Humboldt State University. Please contact Academic Personnel Services (aps@humboldt.edu) if you have any questions.

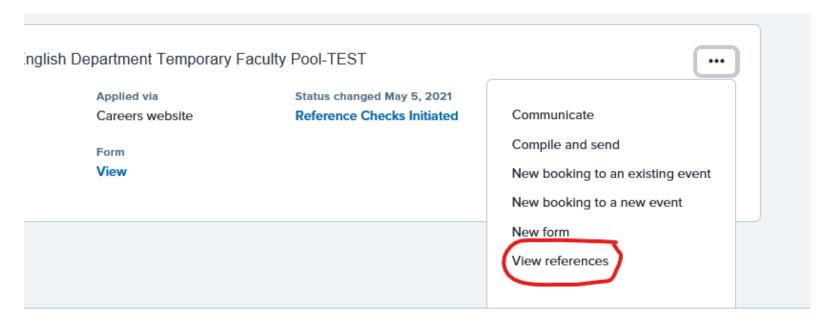
How long have you known the applicant?:*	Select	•
Relationship to applicant:*	Select	•
Applicant's Position (Job Title) at Your Organization:*		
How does this person interact with students? With peers?:*		

Can you please describe the applicant's most outstanding quality as a teacher?:*	
Please describe how the applicant has incorporated concepts of diversity, multiculturalism, inclusion, and or equity into their course content and pedagogy.:*	
As an instructor, how does the applicant create a classroom culture that intentionally welcomes and supports students from different racial/ethnic and socio-economic backgrounds?:*	

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Would you re-employ the applicant?:*	○ Yes	
	○ No	
	○ N/A	
Would you recommend the applicant for this role?:*	○ Yes	
	○ No	
	○ N/A	
	Submit	

- 1. How long have you known the applicant? (drop down menu offers range of answers)
- 2. Relationship to applicant: (drop down menu offers relationship types e.g. supervisor, professional, personal, etc.)
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- 7. As an instructor, how does the applicant create a classroom culture that intentionally welcomes and supports students from different racial/ethnic and socio-economic backgrounds?
- 8. Would you re-employ the applicant? (fill in yes, no, or n/a)
- 9. Would you recommend the applicant for this role? (fill in yes, no, or n/a)

Once the references have been completed, the Department Chair can access them via the applicant card.



A new window opens, where you can view each reference's responses.

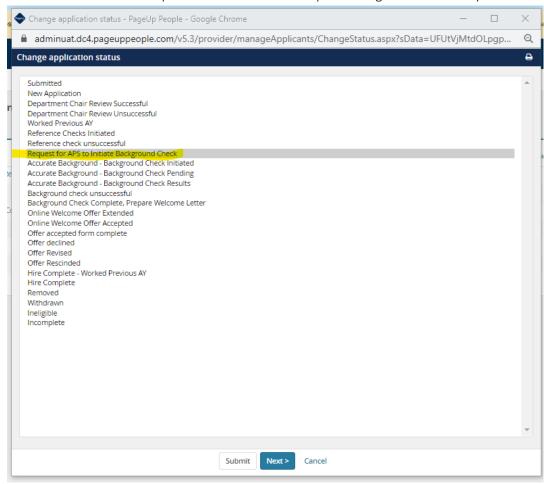


Now that I'm satisfied with the reference checks, I can make a verbal offer. The verbal offer happens outside the system between the department chair and the candidate, after confirming salary placement with the college office.

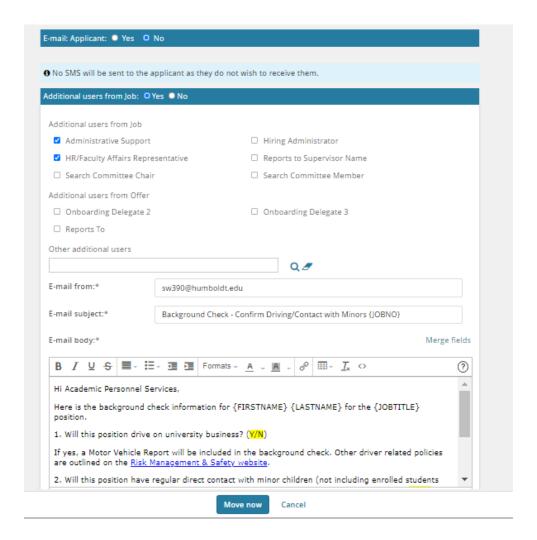
<u>Step 4 – Background Check and Offer Letter:</u>

Once the verbal offer is accepted, I'm going to move the applicant* into the status that will initiate the background check. Click the application status link, and select the "Request for APS to Initiate Background Check" status, and click the blue "Next" button.

*Note that the bulk move process can be used to request background checks if you are doing this for multiple applicants at the same time.



A new window will open. This email is a communication to Academic Personnel Services, and copied to the ASC/Admin Support on the Job, so that APS can be sure to include all the required elements of this particular background check (Live Scan, Motor Vehicle Report, etc.):



The Administrative Support person will answer the "yes" or "no" questions within the email, then click the blue "Move now" button.

APS will receive the email, and initiate the appropriate background check. If a Live Scan is required for the position, APS will communicate with the applicant to complete this.

The applicant will automatically move through the next several steps as the background check is processed in Accurate Background.

After the Background Check is done, Academic Personnel Services will review the results and make the appropriate selection. As long as the results meet requirements, APS will move the applicant to the status "Background Check Complete, Prepare Welcome Letter."

The rest of the steps in CHRS Recruiting will be managed by APS.

Preview "Offer"/Welcome Letter:

This temporary faculty pool "offer letter" has general information that applies to all lecturer appointments, such as direct deposit, and benefits eligibility. See the end of this guide for a sample offer letter.

This letter does not contain salary or WTU information.

The new hire will get an appointment letter with their specific salary and WTU information, like all other lecturers do, after the contract is built in PeopleSoft and scheduling is finalized.

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CURRENTDATE

APPLICANTENAME APPLICANTLINAME
APPLICANTSTREET1
APPLICANTSUBURB
APPLICANTSTATE
APPLICANTPOSTCODE

Dear APPLICANTFNAME,

Welcome to Cal Poly Humboldt!

A separate appointment letter will be sent to you that contains timebase and salary details based on the work the department has offered to you.

Once you have accepted this position by clicking the checkbox on your Applicant Portal, an electronic data collection form will open automatically. This form collects information such as date of birth and social security number, both needed so that we can create a Cal Poly Humboldt ID number for you.

Additionally, you may now visit your applicant portal to begin your onboarding tasks. You must complete your employee signups with Human Resources before you begin work. If you are a United States Citizen, you will be required to sign the state loyalty oath and provide proof of identity and authorization to work in the United States, as required by the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. As stated in the job posting, verification of your degree is required.

You may call Human Resources at 707-826-3626 (or email hsuhr@humboldt.edu) if you have any questions or need additional information.

For benefit information for lecturers and coaches, and direct deposit information, see the following pages.

Sincerely,

Academic Personnel Services Recruitment Team

Cal Poly Humboldt

c: REPORTSTOFNAME REPORTSTOLNAME

From the CFA: You are represented by the California Faculty Association, a union of more than 28,000 professors, lecturers, librarians, counselors and coaches who teach in the California State University system. In classrooms on the 23 campuses, CFA members work hard to teach our students. To join, as an active member with rights to vote and engage fully on behalf of yourself and others, go to: https://www.calfac.org/join-cfa

Direct Deposit Information for New Faculty

If you would like to set up Direct Deposit, please contact Human Resources and they will send the form to you.

Please read the following Direct Deposit information carefully:

- It can take up to 45 days after the start of your appointment (or the date your form is submitted to Payroll, whichever is later) for your Direct Deposit to take effect. A notification will be sent to your department office from Payroll once your enrollment is complete.
- You will need to pick up your paper pay warrant at the Cashier's Office (SBS 285) prior to completion
 of Direct Deposit enrollment.
- If you prefer to have your pay warrant mailed to you prior to Direct Deposit availability, please provide a self-addressed, stamped envelope to HSU Payroll, 1 Harpst St., Arcata, CA 95521.
- Direct Deposit payments post on the first banking day after the end of the pay period. For example,
 if the pay period ends on a Wednesday, funds should be available on Thursday. If the pay period
 ends on a Friday, a weekend, or a holiday, funds should be available on the next banking day.

Direct Deposit pay dates can be found on the HSU Green and Gold Calendar: https://payroll.humboldt.edu/payroll-getting-paid

BENEFITS FOR LECTURERS AND COACHES

Eligibility requirements and deadlines for enrollment into core benefits (health, dental, vision, term life and long-term disability insurance) are described below for lecturers and coaches. You will receive an email from the Benefits office with information and instructions about logging into eBenefits to enroll in the plan(s) of your choice once your appointment is in the system. Additionally, you will receive an email about a short Benefits course where you can learn more about your benefits options. If you have any questions, please reach out to benefits@humboldt.edu.

Eligibility Requirements:

If employed in a lecturer or coach academic year (AY) position, initial letter of appointment must be for an assignment of at least one full semester and a time base of at least .40 (minimum assignment of 6 Weighted Teaching Units (WTUs)).

NOTE: Lecturers or coaches in 10 or 12 Month (as opposed to AY) positions must be appointed at a time base of at least half-time (.50 timebase or 7.5 WTUs) for at least six months and one day in order to meet the eligibility requirement. 10 month or 12 month appointments and AY appointments cannot be combined to meet benefit eligibility. Please refer to your appointment letter to determine contract type, or contact aps@humboldt.edu.

If an employee meets the length of appointment requirement, but not the time base requirement, and subsequently increases his/her time base to .40 (.50 if a 10 or 12 month position), the employee becomes benefits eligible and may be enrolled.

Summer session does not count as a qualifying semester.

<u>Loss of Eligibility:</u> A decrease in time base to less than .40 (.50 if a 10 or 12 month position) will result in cancellation of coverage. Employees must re-qualify (length of appointment and a minimum of .40 or .50 time

base, dependent on type of position) after cancellation of coverage and must re-enroll to obtain coverage -- it will not resume automatically.

<u>Already Covered?</u> While CalPERS does not allow employees to be enrolled in two CalPERS plans, Humboldt does offer the Flex Cash option for those employees already covered by a non-CSU health or dental plan. Employees may receive up to \$140 per month in lieu of enrolling in Humboldt's health/dental plans.

Retirement Contributions:

Academic Year (AY) lecturers and coaches appointed full-time for at least one academic year automatically become members of the combined Social Security and Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) plans. AY lecturers and coaches appointed part-time, or for less than one academic year, become eligible for PERS at the beginning of the third consecutive semester at half-time or more.

Lecturers and coaches who are not eligible for PERS retirement must participate in the Part-time, Seasonal and Temporary (PST) retirement plan and do not pay into Social Security. Under the PST plan, a 7.5% employee contribution will be deducted on a pre-tax basis; this may affect one's eligibility to participate in an Individual Retirement Account (IRA) or other tax-deferred savings arrangements.

Deadlines:

- Employees must enroll in health, dental and Flex Cash plans within 60 days of the eligible appointment date.
- Employees interested in additional CSU Voluntary Life Insurance are guaranteed acceptance if their
 application is received within 60 days of the eligible appointment date.

Important:

At the end of your benefits eligibility, you will receive COBRA paperwork. COBRA paperwork will indicate the date that your coverage will end. If you become benefit eligible following the receipt of COBRA paperwork, you must return to Human Resources to re-enroll for benefits.

Additional Benefits Information and Enrollment Forms found here: https://hraps.humboldt.edu/employee-benefits