



Agenda

- Why It Matters
 - Risks to UTSA
 - Risks Relating to State Tax Law Compliance
- The Process
- Summary
- Questions?



Question: In how many states does UTSA have employees?



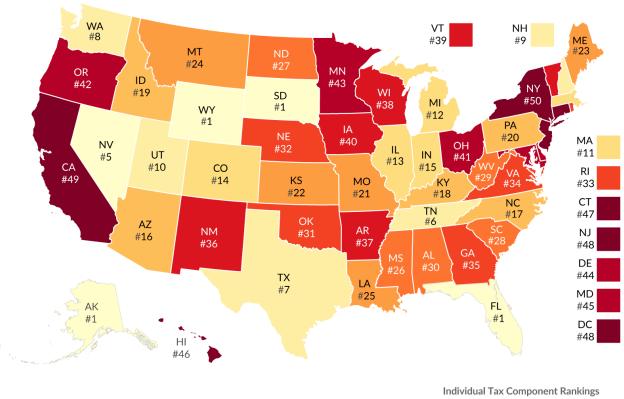


Why Does It Matter?

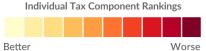
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- Risks relating to state tax laws

How Does Your State Rank on Individual Income Taxes?

Individual Tax Component Rankings, 2023 State Business Tax Climate Index



Note: A rank of 1 is best, 50 is worst. D.C.'s score and rank do not affect other states. The report shows tax systems as of July 1, 2022 (the beginning of Fiscal Year 2023). Source: Tax Foundation, 2023 State Business Tax Climate Index.



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Risks to UTSA

- Income tax withholding for employees
 UTSA is required to remit these taxes to the state
- Documentation requirements
 W-4s and W-2s
- Payroll processes
 - Changes made in PeopleSoft
 - State setup





Risks Relating to State Tax Law Compliance

- Required state reporting
 Need accurate information
- Requirements for benefits and state laws
 - Many states have additional benefits
 - Colorado FAMLI and Oregon Paid Leave
- Additional state taxes
 - Transportation
 - Specific county taxes
- Penalties



The Process (1)

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Out-of-State Work Exception Request Form Instructions

Application: An Employee or position (if vacant) may be considered for an exception to work outside of Texas if their work can be performed remotely AND at least one of the following criteria applies:

- They are a nationally or internationally recognized individual
- Have a unique skill set, area of expertise, or knowledge base
- Are in a critical position that, if vacant, will have a significant impact on UTSA's ability to conduct normal business
- Are in a position whose primary duties and responsibilities must be physically performed in another state or jurisdiction
- Other factors that present a compelling business or strategic case, as determined by the vice president for the employing unit

When completing the form, ensure that the justification is articulated from a business perspective.



The Process (2)

- Employee initiates the process with their manager
- Manager will request Out-of-State Work Exception Request form
 - Email HRBP@utsa.edu
 - Contact HR Business Partner
- Form submission and review
- Committee review
- Final steps: Notify Payroll, People Excellence and the <u>Tax Analyst/Tax Reporting</u> <u>Manager</u>
- If approved, there is an annual fee of \$5,000 per employee, charged to the department.



Summary

Risks to UTSA

- Income Tax Withholding
- Documentation

Risks to State Tax Law Compliance

- State Required Reporting
- Additional State Benefits



Process: Includes notifying Payroll, People Excellence and the Tax Analyst

Reach out with any questions

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