Contract Additions & Changes Job Aid

The Contract Additions & Changes eForm is used to create a brand new contract, or update an existing contract for existing faculty members.

Change an Existing Contract

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1. Navigate to the eForms Action Request page and click on the Add a New Value tab.
2. The Initiate New eForms Request page is displayed. Select the Contract Additions and Changes option from the “Action” drop down menu.

3. The Contract Additions and Changes eForm is displayed. Use the Justification text box to explain or “justify” the reason for the new eForm action requested.

4. From the Employee Information section:
   a) Enter or look up the employee ID in the Empl ID field.
   b) Select the checkbox next to the Empl Record used for the contract change.
   c) The Effective Date will default with the current date; update this field with the effective date of the change(s) for the contract.

5. The Current Job Information section displays the current contract in place. Use the Proposed Job Information section to update the existing contract.
a) The Empl Class, Pay Group, and Comp Frqucy

b) Select the appropriate option from the **FICA Status** drop down menu:
   - **Exempt** – individual is exempt from FICA payments, Social Security and Medicare taxes. (Applies to full time students or Non-Resident employees with F-1 or J-1 visas.)
   - **Subject** – individual does not qualify for FICA exemption and must make FICA payments (Social Security and Medicare taxes).

c) **Proposed 9 MO Academic Rate @ 100%**: Use this field to update the proposed salary based on a 100% appointment.
   - **Proposed 9 MO Academic Rate @ FTE**: Based on the FTE, this field will reflect what the faculty member will be paid (using the 100% 9-month academic rate and FTE).
   - **Proposed Monthly @ FTE**: Based on the FTE, this field will reflect what the faculty member will be paid on a monthly basis (using the 100% 9-month academic rate and FTE).

d) The **Contract Information** section will default with the current Contract Number, Pay Type, Term, Start and End Dates, etc. Use this section to make changes to the existing Contract Information:
   - From the **Contract Actn** drop down menu, select the “Update Existing Contract” option (The system displays the current contract number.)
   - The **Contract Pay Type** if the employee is paid over a contract, 9 months, or 12 months:
     - Faculty 9/12 – paid in 12 equal monthly payments
     - Faculty 9/9 – paid over 9 months
     - Pay Over Contract – paid over a contract (specific period of time)
   - Based on the “Contact Pay Type” selected, the **Payment Term** will default to the appropriate value:
     - Pay Over 12 months
     - Pay Over Contract
- Pay over ‘X’ months
- Pay with Lump Sum

- Provide the **Contract Start Date**, **Contract End Date**, and **Payment End Date**.
- The **Contract Worth** will display what will be earned during that time period.
- If the employee’s contract will continue year after year and should be renewed automatically, select the **Renewal Indicator** checkbox and use the **Renewal Count** text box to enter the number of renewals. (e.g. 99)

6. The **Current Funding** for the position is displayed; use the **Proposed Funding** section to make any changes to the existing funding source(s) or distribution(s).

   **Note:** Funding may be split between different Cost Centers or Projects but the total funding percentage must equal 100%. Use the plus or minus sign to add/remove an additional funding source.

   ![Current Funding and Proposed Funding Screenshots]

7. Once all the required fields have been completed, click the **Save** button. Notice a **Request ID** number has been assigned, with a **Status** of “Saved.”

   ![Contracts: Add New or Change Existing Screenshot]

8. Expand the **Attachments** or **Comments** section to attach required documentation and include any special comments.

   ![Attachments and Comments Screenshot]

9. After you’ve added your attachments and comments, click the **Submit** button.
10. The eForm **Status** shows “Pending Approvals” and the current approval routing is displayed at the bottom of the page.