

APPROVING STAFF TIMECARDS

Supervisor Tutorial

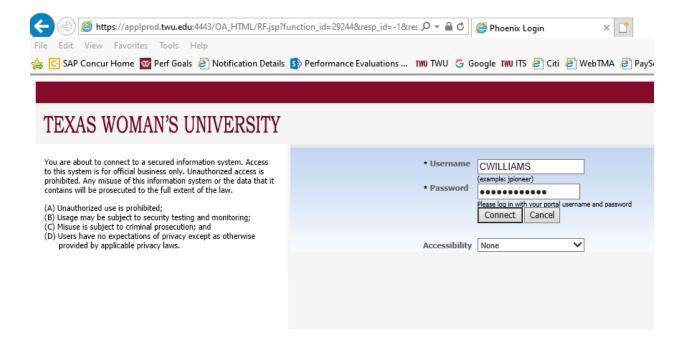
Accessing Phoenix

TWU Staff Employees enter and submit timecards for the review and approval using Phoenix, TWU Employee Self-Service.

Supervisors utilize the same access as they would to enter their own time and log in accordingly.

Logging in to Phoenix

Using Internet Explorer - Navigate to the URL: http://www.oracle.twu.edu

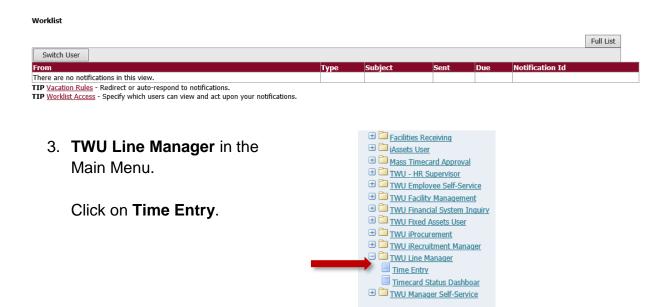


Fill in the Portal username and password and click on Connect.

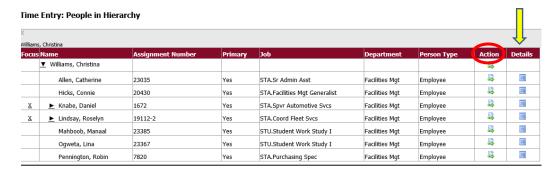
Management of Employee Timecards

Timecards can be located and managed in three (3) ways:

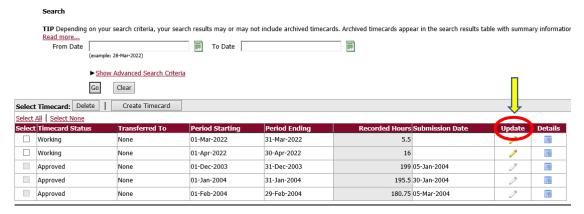
- Email Once submitted by the employee, notification of submission is sent to the direct supervisor, via email from PROD Workflow Mailer. Following review, management of the timesheet can be completed by clicking on the desired action. (Ex. "APPROVE", "REJECT", ETC.)
- 2. **Worklist** Individual timecards, once submitted by employees, will arrive in both the direct supervisor's email and the Worklist in Phoenix.



This option will show the **People in Hierarchy** and allow the supervisor to view the **Details** of each individual's assignment or perform an **Action**.



Action allows one to **Update** a selected timecard:

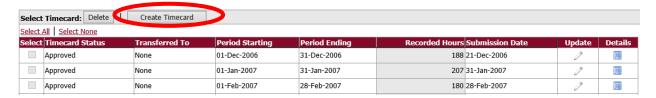


Tip: Clicking on the maroon header enables A-Z sorting by that subject.

Entering and Editing Timecard Data

There may be times that supervisors are required to enter timecard data for an employee. For this purposes, the following information is provided.

1. Under the correct employee, select Create Timecard above the list of available timecards.



Be sure to verify the dates in the box labeled **Period** are accurate. To choose a different time period, **Click** on the down arrow in the drop down box.



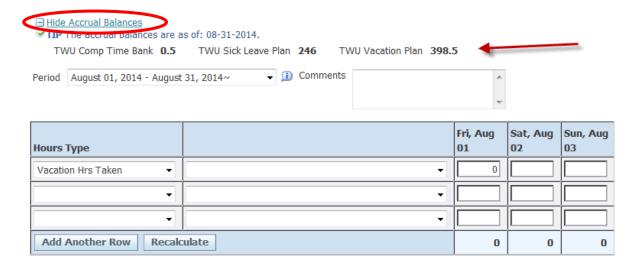
There will be two columns with drop down boxes.

The column on the left side is labeled **Hours Type** (Regular Hours Worked, Sick, etc.)

The column on the right side is an optional field used in conjunction with sick time taken or for **FMLA** purposes.



Supervisors may view the employee's current leave balances directly through the timecard entry area. Click on the link **Show/Hide Accrual Balances** in the upper left hand corner of the timecard entry area.



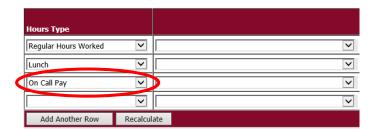
Click on the drop down arrow in the box under the column heading Hours Type. Choose the first type of hours needing to be entered.

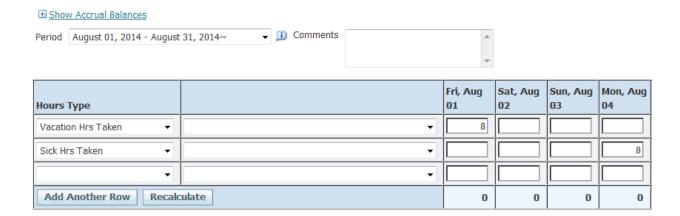
The days of the month are organized horizontally from left to right across the screen. Enter the total hours to be recorded under each date for the hours type selected for that line.

NOTE: Exempt employees will only record leave hours. Non-exempt employees will record Regular Hours Worked, Lunch Hours Taken as well as leave hours.

Entering On-Call Pay for Overtime Worked in Emergency or Non-Emergency Capacity:

If an employee performs work in either and Emergency or Non-Emergency Capacity, that time should be reported via the appropriate slip to the Sr. Administrative Assistant for FMC. The timesheet should reference the same time reported, per day, using the **On Call Pay** type under <u>Hours Type</u>. (Reference <u>FMC Internal Policy – Call Out Non-Emergency Events</u>.)





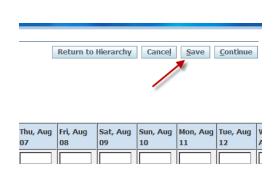
Important Reminders

- Vacation Leave for employees with no prior Texas state service will be available to use after 6 continuous months of state service.
- If all leave balances have been exhausted, please record LWOP Hours Taken on the timecard (Leave Without Pay).
- Remember to record Holiday Hrs Taken for holiday time off. Record Holiday
 Hrs Worked if the employee worked on a holiday. (Comp time will accrue for the
 holiday hours worked)
- Exempt employees who do not use any leave time or have any holidays during the month, should still complete a timecard using an hours type label and record a 0 in the first box.
- Timecards <u>must</u> be submitted within five (5) working days and approved within ten (10) working days.
- If a correction is needed to a timecard already submitted, simply click on the update icon and make the necessary change(s). Save the timecard and choose
 Continue to resubmit the timecard for approval.

Saving, Reviewing and Submitting Timecards

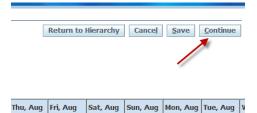
Saving:

To save entries made on a timecard **Click** on the **Save** link located above or below the timecard.



Reviewing:

Click on the **Continue** link to review your timecard entries.



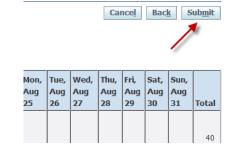
The **Review** screen will display the summary information for the Timecard.

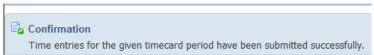
Week Starting Friday, August 01 2014 Timecard Period (days) 31 Comments

Hours Type	Cost Center	Fri, Aug 01	Sat, Aug 02	Sun, Aug 03	Mon, Aug 04	Tue, Aug 05	Wed, Aug 06	Thu, Aug 07	Fri, Aug 08	Sat, Aug 09
Vacation Hrs Taken		8			8	8	8	8		
Sick Hrs Taken									8	
		8	0	0	8	8	8	8	8	0

Submitting:

To submit the timecard for supervisor approval, **click** on the **Submit** button on the timecard Review page. A confirmation message will appear.





Reviewing & Approving Timecards

As referenced in the instructions above for **Management of Employee Timecards**, there are three (3) ways to manage the Approval, Rejection or Request of Information.

1. If using **Email** approval, simply click on the email to open and scroll to review the entries of the timecard. At the bottom of the message, click on the selected action.

Please click on one of the following choices to automatically generate an E-mail response.



If using the Phoenix Worklist, click on the desired timecard to manage to open.
 Scroll to review the entries of the timecard and, at the bottom of the message, click on the selected action.

Note: If you have a question about an entry, click on Request Information to enter details regarding the entry. If a change is necessary, simply add a Comment regarding the change and REJECT the timecard to allow the employee an opportunity to reply or make a change.