



# Performance Review Workshop

#### WELCOME!

#### TODAY'S PRESENTERS:

Liliana Rojas – Director, Employee Relations & Professional Development

Mara Krasts – HR Project Manager

#### **AGENDA**

- Workflow and Updates
- Preparing for Performance Reviews
- Breaking it Down Taking a Deeper Look at the Template
- SMART Goal Method
- Thinking Ahead for Next Year
- Additional Resources
- Questions





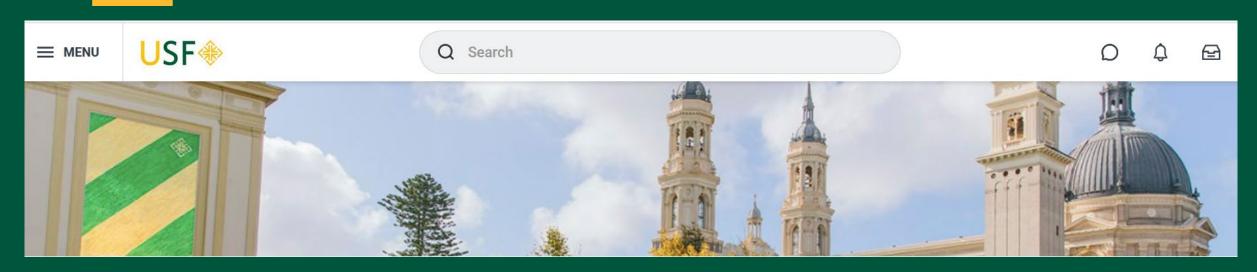


# Workflow Reminders: 2023 Appraisals

- There are no changes to the non-union appraisal template or ratings for 2023.
- The process will launch on Jan. 3, 2024, as previously communicated
- Your direct reports will have until Jan. 17 to complete their self-appraisals
- Once direct reports complete and submit their appraisals, you will automatically receive a Workday inbox notification to complete a review
- Once the review is approved you will schedule a 1:1 with your employee.
- REMINDER: The Manager's Manager cannot edit the submitted appraisal
- IMPORTANT: Do Not Submit the final appraisal until after your 1:1



# Sample Self-Appraisal in Workday



- Reminder: Employees can save their work and finish later
- New for 2023 users can attach documents to performance appraisals
- Content from a Word document can be copied and pasted into the Workday template

# Non-Union Appraisal Template

**Part 1: Accomplishments** - Please enter 3-5 accomplishments from the previous appraisal period based on your 2023 goals and objectives. Please include at least one example of how the accomplishment supported USF's mission, vision and values.

Part 2: Professional Strengths - Please identify 3 professional strengths.

Part 3: Development - Please identify 3 areas for further development.

**Part 4: Goals and Objectives** - Please enter 3 goals or objectives you would like to accomplish for the upcoming year. Please ensure that one of your goals or objectives supports USF's mission, vision and values.

# **Overall Ratings**

- **Sets a new standard:** Consistently exceeds expectations and delivers beyond the goals of the role. Influences others to perform better.
- Often exceeds expectations: Regularly exceeds expectations. Requires little to no additional direction.
- Consistently meets expectations: Consistently meets expectations. Achieves a majority of the goals for the role.
- Needs development: Does not consistently meet expectations. One or more of the goals were not achieved. Additional direction and support are needed.





# Preparing for Performance Appraisals

# The Performance Review Cycle

Regular one-on-one meetings throughout the year provide an opportunity for continuous feedback and avoids any surprises at review time.



# Preparing for Performance Appraisals

- Review your notes from one on ones and formal discussions; you should have meaningful comments to record. There should be no surprises.
- Thoughts about how this role supports the department goals and how this employee fulfilled their role
- Thoughts about development; what are this employee's opportunities?
- Job description; read and review and update if required (Compensation)
- Familiarize yourself with the ratings; what does "consistently meets expectations" look like for your department or division?
- Make this a meaningful conversation; don't just copy/paste your employee's self-appraisal!



# Setting the Stage for a Successful Review

- Schedule time in a private room or Zoom
- The supervisor and employee should come to the conversation prepared to review the employee's self-appraisal and the approved manager's appraisal in Workday
- Manager starts with employee self assessment then moves on to their assessment of the employee's performance; this is a two-way dialogue
- Manager shares the Overall Rating with the employee
- IMPORTANT: The Overall Rating cannot be changed once the manager's manager has approved







# **Breaking it Down**

- Accomplishments
- **Professional Strengths**
- Development
- Goals and Objectives

# Accomplishments

- Projects the employee completed on time and in which their participation played a great role
- Projects to which the employee contributed more than was expected from them
- All additional tasks the employee undertook; how did they flex their role?
- Courses or trainings the employee completed
- Did they achieve the goals and objectives set for 2023?



# Professional Strengths

A strength is "the ability to consistently provide near-perfect performance in a specific activity."

–Gallup, "How Employees' Strengths Makes Your Company Stronger"



# **Examples of Professional Strengths**

- Builds strong relationships / is empathic / seeks diverse perspectives / includes others in decision-making / is collaborative
- Shares information / helps others learn and develop / attends to own learning / puts learning to use / uses resources
- Embraces change / leads change / is adaptable
- Inspires others / shares vision
- Thinks critically / makes good decisions / supports reasonable risks / learns from mistakes / thinks strategically / effectively analyzes situations and data
- Communicates clearly / shares ideas and solutions / listens actively
- Is accountable / encourages accountability in others / is responsible



# Development

- It's important to know your opportunities for your professional growth
- Thinking about areas for improvement should be a positive, growth-oriented experience instead of a negative view of an employee's current skillset.

#### Common areas for improvement at work:

Policy & Procedure Organization

Active Listening Teamwork

Accepting Feedback Flexibility

Written Communication Decision-making

Delegation Conflict Resolution

Attention to Detail Leadership

# Goals and Objectives

A goal is an outcome you want to achieve; an objective is a specific and measurable action that can be reached in a short amount of time, related to a goal.

#### **GOALS: Broad statement**

- Setting goals can provide motivation and allows your employee to show how they aim to improve in their position and contribute to your department.
- Common types of goals: Productivity, Skills, Training, and Achievement-Based goals
- SMART goals

#### OBJECTIVES: Defines measurable actions to achieve an overall goal

- Specific actions and measurable steps that the employee must take to achieve a goal.
- Strong objectives are specific, measurable, achievable, realistic and time-bound.







# SMART Goal Method

#### **SMART Goal Method**

Specific: What will be accomplished? What actions will the employee take?

Measurable: What data will measure the goal? (How much? How many? How well?)

**A**chievable: Is the goal doable? Does your employee have the necessary skills and resources?

Relevant: How does the goal align with broader goals? Why is the result important?

Time-Based: What is the time frame for accomplishing the goal?







# Performance Management Best Practices

# **An Ongoing Process**

- Hold regular 1:1 meetings with direct reports and take detailed notes
- Hold a mid-year check-in
- Provide regular feedback
- Iterate as goals or objectives change





# Performance and Development Feedback

#### Two way conversation:

- Both parties noting what's working, what's not
- Both parties participating in problem solving any issues
- Both parties working at any iteration

#### Start with the positive:

- Creates safety
- Provide specific examples of areas for development
- Move to "what to do differently" and provide support
- Conclude with expression of confidence

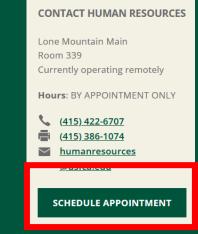
Take notes – you'll want these as you prepare for next year's reviews.



### ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- SMART Goals: USF Goal Setting Guidance
- Giving Feedback
- Employee performance issues should be directed to Employee
   Relations via the Human Resources inbox
- 10-8 appointments will be available beginning Jan. 3, 2024 through the appointment calendar on your myUSF home page or on the HR

home page









# THANK YOU!

# **QUESTIONS?**