Recruit Release Notes  Changes Launching 2016-08-10

Recruitments

A few campuses brought to our attention that Recruit was missing a few key roles. In response to this feedback, we have added the Associate Vice Chancellor approver role. This role can be added to any approval, and will allow the application to more accurately reflect real-life titles.

When positions don’t require any reference contacts or letters, applicants have been seeing some confusing information in the “How to Apply” section. Now, applicants will not be asked to provide reference information if none are asked for.

Many fields throughout Recruit have always supported Markdown syntax for text formatting. However, most users were unaware of this feature, and were unfamiliar with how to use it. In order to help out, we’ve added Markdown formatting tips to fields that accept the syntax.
Exemptions

We’ve furthered our progress on the Exemptions project by adding **Show and Edit functionality** to exemptions. Users can now open a previously created exemption and edit all of the fields they populated through the creation wizard.

We also adjusted the exemptions grid’s default sorting order. Now, the most **recently created exemptions are at top of the list**, as one might expect.

Waivers

The Waiver Activity Log just got better. We now log changes made to the waiver category and justification narrative. This information should come in handy when it is necessary to check on the history of a waiver’s changes.

In a previous sprint, we made changes to how percentages are displayed, but we forgot appointments. We now correctly **display percent times with up to two decimal places** in order to provide more accurate appointment information, too.
Bugs ‘n Stuff

- Ad Sources now appear in the Recruitment Data API
- We fixed an issue where an update to the applicant or waivers activity log would prevent the headers from sorting correctly without refreshing. Update and sort away!
- Fixed an issue where a user who added herself as the Final Approver on a waiver would not be able to immediately approve or decline
- Similarly, approvers who removed themselves from an approval wouldn’t lose their “approve” button until page reload (though the button would be broken). We no longer leave dead buttons hanging around.
- Spelunker safety: the active navigation tab now remains highlighted no matter how deep into a section you go.
- We noticed that the entire text of War And Peace could be pasted into various text fields throughout Recruit, breaking things in the process. We decided that 65,000 characters would suffice, which is now the limit. Sorry, budding novelists!