Remote Onboarding Guide for New Hires  
Academic Division

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### New Hire Responsibilities: On or Before Your First Day of Work

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| Complete Section 1 of the I-9 Form via Workday |
| Complete Benefits eLearning Modules Alex and Picwell |

### New Hire Responsibilities: Orientation & Onboarding

**Complete the following:**

- Attend “Grounds for Success” Zoom Presentation
- Activate Your Account
- Follow the “New to UVA” IT Checklist
- Explore Workday
- Complete Section 2 of Your I-9 Form
- Complete Tasks Assigned in Workday
- Complete Orientation Training in Workday
- Enroll in Emergency Alerts
- Obtain Your ID Badge
- Obtain Your Parking Permit
- Select Your Benefits
New Hire Instructions

Academic Asynchronous Virtual Orientation
Grounds for Success (GFS)

* Please note that the instructions below should be used in conjunction with any other onboarding instructions you receive from your department.

New Hire Responsibilities: On or Before Your First Day of Work

1) Get Acclimated
   - Visit the [HR COVID-19 Website](#). Understand [COVID Vaccination Guidelines for New Hires](#).
   - Access the [New Hire Resources](#). You will find many helpful links to navigate your first few weeks.
   - Check in with your manager and discuss the following:
     - Guidelines and expectations for working from home OR schedule, location, etc. for reporting to work
     - IT – where you can obtain a laptop/technology/mobile phone, if required at this time
     - Overview of school/unit and VP area
     - Department mission, goals, and culture
     - Tour of department/unit (if applicable)
     - Introduction to department/school leaders, team members, key contacts, and customers
     - Continue to stay in contact (especially if you will be working remotely)
     - Job description and performance expectations
     - Designated or non-designated status
     - Confidentiality and privacy expectations

2) Complete Section 1 of the I-9 Form via Workday

3) Complete Benefits eLearning Modules [Alex](#) and [Picwell](#)
New Hire Responsibilities: Orientation and Onboarding

1) Attend “Grounds for Success” Zoom Presentation beginning at 9 a.m. on orientation Mondays. UVA’s Academic Division continues to observe regulations in response to COVID-19, which means there is no in-person Day 1 orientation. Instead, orientation has been modified to be delivered through a synchronous Zoom presentation and asynchronous computer-based learning modules. Among the topics discussed during the Zoom session will be the Remote Onboarding Guides, which assist both managers and new hires with the onboarding process.

Attend the “Grounds for Success” Zoom session [here](https://virginia.zoom.us/j/93305676413?pwd=OVliREVTdWwzUEM0YTFYQ2Fva29wUT09#success), or use the information below

Meeting URL: [https://virginia.zoom.us/j/93305676413?pwd=OVliREVTdWwzUEM0YTFYQ2Fva29wUT09#success](https://virginia.zoom.us/j/93305676413?pwd=OVliREVTdWwzUEM0YTFYQ2Fva29wUT09#success)

Meeting ID: 933 0567 6413

Passcode: 261853

Or, join by phone: 1-651-372-8299 or 1-786-635-1003

If you are unable to attend, the Zoom session will be recorded and linked [here](https://virginia.zoom.us/j/93305676413?pwd=OVliREVTdWwzUEM0YTFYQ2Fva29wUT09#success)

2) Activate Your Account

1. Read the account activation email you received from identity.virginia.edu on or before your start date.
2. Follow the Account Activation Guide to create a UVA password and set up a device for 2-Step Login (Duo). You will use these login credentials to log in to Workday and other UVA systems in the future.
3. If you haven’t already, add a [secondary device to 2-Step Login Duo](https://accountactivationguides.it.virginia.edu/duo_device_setup) as a backup authentication method.

*Do you have a prior affiliation with UVA?* As a former or current employee, student, applicant, contractor/vendor, etc., you have already activated your account and will not receive an email.

- If you have forgotten your UVA credentials, [learn your UVA computing ID or reset password](https://accountactivationguides.it.virginia.edu/duo_device_setup)
- If you have not enrolled your preferred devices, [add your devices to 2-Step Login (Duo)](https://accountactivationguides.it.virginia.edu/duo_device_setup)
- Use these login credentials to log in to Workday and other UVA systems in the future.

*If you are unable to get your UVA password, computing ID, or set up a device for Duo, contact the UVA Help Desk at 434.924.4357 for assistance.*

3) Follow the “New to UVA” IT Checklist

To finish your IT setup, e.g., request a UVA email account, set up Zoom, etc., see the [New to UVA IT Checklist](https://accountactivationguides.it.virginia.edu/duo_device_setup).

*If your department offers its own IT support, known as a Local Support Partner (LSP), you may complete these steps in conjunction with your LSP on, before, or after your first day of work.*
4) Explore Workday

Workday is a human resources technology system used to manage most HR activities, including benefits, pay, time, absence, and more. Further information is available on the [Workday Central Site](#).

After logging in to Workday, look around and familiarize yourself with common tasks and the resources available to you. We recommend that you:

- Review the [New Hire Workday Basics Job Aid](#)
- Visit the [Workday Training Site](#) for tutorials on basic Workday tasks
- Review the [UVA Benefits for New Benefitted Employees](#), a recorded presentation on your health, dental, vision, retirement, life, disability and PTO benefits (more information on Benefits in Step 10 below)

5) Complete Section 2 of Your I-9 Form

You will complete Section 1 of the 1-9 on your own in Workday.

You will receive an email from Human Resources prompting you to complete Section 2. You will need to take a picture of your List A, List B and/or List C documents and upload them into the Worker Documents Section in Workday. A list of acceptable documents can be found [here](#).

Uploading Worker Documents in Workday:

- Navigate to your profile by clicking on your picture in the upper right corner of Workday.
- Click Actions, then scroll to Worker History, then click Maintain Worker Documents.
- Click on Add.
- Click Select files or drop files where indicated.

Respond back to the email that you received from Human Resources when you have uploaded the appropriate documents so that they can confirm receipt and complete your I-9 process.

*PLEASE NOTE that once UVA returns to normal operations, the Department of Homeland Security still requires that you present these documents in person at 2420 Old Ivy Road within three business days.*

If you have any questions, please promptly contact [AskHR@virginia.edu](mailto:AskHR@virginia.edu).

6) Complete Tasks Assigned in Workday

*Note that Workday Onboarding tasks are delivered in the order shown below. The first task is completion of your I-9, which you did in step five above. A task must be completed before the next task is delivered. Delivery of the next task is not immediate; please be patient and contact AskHR@virginia.edu if you do not receive these tasks.*
• Review and update your personal information including veteran status, emergency contacts, phone numbers, and address. If relocating from out-of-state, please ensure local address is up-to-date for tax purposes.
• Sign up for direct deposit
• Complete your W-4 form
• Complete your VA-4 form
• Update your Selective Service status (males between the ages of 18-25)
• Select benefit options within 30 days of your hire date

7) Complete Orientation Training in Workday
*Please note you will not have access to Workday Learning or these trainings before your start date.

All training courses must be completed within two (2) weeks of date of hire

You have five (5) UVA Academic Training courses assigned as a “program” in Workday:
   • Grounds for Success Online
   • Getting Paid & Taking Leave
   • Policies and Standards
   • Safety and Security
   • Information Security Awareness Training (ISAT)

If these training courses do not auto-populate for you in Workday you may access them here:
   • UVA Academic Training

Click Enroll on the course, then click Submit on the confirmation page. You will receive credit for completing these modules regardless of how they are accessed.

You have one (1) Mandatory UVA Academic Training course assigned as a “program” in Workday:
   • Emergency Preparedness, Targeted Violence, & Terrorism Awareness

If this training course does not auto-populate for you in Workday you may access it here:
   • Mandatory UVA Academic Training

Click Enroll on the course, then click Submit on the confirmation page. You will receive credit for completing this module regardless of how it is accessed.

You have three (3) Mandatory UVA Training courses assigned as a “program” in Workday:
   • Not on Our Grounds Responsible Employee (Title IX)
     o Review HRM-041: Policy on Sexual and Gender-based Harassment and Other Forms of Interpersonal Violence (Title IX Policy): here
     o Review HRM-040: Reporting by University Employees of Disclosures Relating to Sexual and Gender-based Harassment and Other Forms of Interpersonal Violence (the Title IX Policy): here

   • Preventing and Addressing Discrimination, Harassment and Retaliation (PADHR)
     o Review HRM-009: Policy on Preventing and Addressing Discrimination and Harassment: here
     o Review HRM-010: Policy on Preventing and Addressing Retaliation: here

   • COVID-19 Awareness and Prevention
The Virginia Department of Labor and Industry (DOLI) now requires a new level of COVID Prevention training for all employees at UVA.

For additional details and a direct link to the course, please visit the COVID Prevention Training Course webpage (this page is behind NetBadge).

If these training courses do not auto-populate for you in Workday you may access them here:

- Mandatory UVA Training

Click Enroll on the course, then click Submit on the confirmation page. You will receive credit for completing these modules regardless of how they are accessed.

8) Enroll in Emergency Alerts

Sign up for emergency alert registration at https://uvaemergency.virginia.edu/uva-alerts.

9) Obtain your ID Badge

Academic ID badges are required of all University employees. You will use your ID badge to access buildings as assigned and authorized by your department, access services such as Intramural/Recreational facilities, Libraries, University Transit and various other service provider discount offerings for UVA faculty/staff.

The Academic ID Office is open by appointment only. To initiate production of your Academic ID, visit the Academic ID Office website to:

- Upload your passport-style photo
- Submit the Academic ID Application Form
- Schedule an appointment to pick-up your Academic ID

The Academic ID Card Office is located on the corner of Alderman and McCormick Roads in the Observatory Hill Dining Hall, 525 McCormick Road, Charlottesville, VA, 22903. Limited parking is available on McCormick Road using the ParkMobile app.

For any questions, the Academic ID Card Office can be reached at 434-924-4508 or via email at uvaid@virginia.edu.

10) Obtain your Parking Permit

If you plan to park on Grounds Monday-Friday, 7:30 a.m.- 5:00 p.m., you will need a parking permit. Flexible options are available depending on work location and schedule. Some parking assignments are supported by the University Transit bus system (UTS).

Complete information about parking permit and transportation options is available here. Modifications to transportation and parking operations can be tracked here.

Your name and email address have been provided to Parking and Transportation. A representative will be reaching out to you to process any applicable parking assignment.

Please note:

- The Parking & Transportation (P&T) customer service center is CLOSED. Please do not visit the office.
- For the quickest response to questions and to explore options, please email: parking@virginia.edu or utilize the chat feature on the P&T web site (live Monday-Friday, 7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., messages collected all other hours).
- Messages are being collected on the P&T office phone daily (434-924-7231). Allow one business day for response.
11) Select your Benefits

If you are a benefited employee, **you have 30 days from your hire date to sign up for Benefits.**

You will enroll in Benefits via a Workday onboarding task. Note that this is the last onboarding task you will receive; **all other onboarding tasks must be completed before you can enroll in Benefits.**

**Your first step is to watch the video:** UVA Benefits for New Benefitted Employees – This Workday Learning module provides recorded presentations on your health, dental, vision, retirement, life, disability and PTO benefits as a new employee.

**Next, access the following links to assist you with your benefit selections:**

Benefits - The UVA HR New Hire website provides comprehensive information on all benefits available to our new employees. Including two virtual benefit selection tools Alex and Picwell. We want our employees to be happy, healthy, and have peace of mind. Our generous benefits package allows you to focus on what's important - making UVA an ideal place to study, work, and grow.

More information on the Benefits enrollment process can be found on the Benefits New Hire Enrollment Job Aid. For instructions on waiving coverage please refer to page 5 of the New Hire Workday Basics Job Aid.

If you have questions, please contact AskHR@virginia.edu and put “Benefits” in the subject line.

**Have Additional Questions?**

This is an unusual time, and we appreciate your patience and understanding as we work through these circumstances. Please know, however, that we are excited to welcome our newest employees to UVA!

If you have additional questions, please email AskHR@virginia.edu.

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