

Registrar Update

Course Request System (CRS) Implementation & FERPA

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Why we need to act on CRS?

- Application is in older technology version no longer supportive
- Security vulnerability
- Active plugins and functionality have been deprecated and unable to upgrade
- Limited admin and functional partner capability. Require ITS support for minor changes
- Difficult to test in non-prod environment due to version and available options
- Limited knowledge of existing framework due to old technology
- Look and feel outdated

Where are we headed

- The campus has purchased a 3rd party system – Courshedog
- Implementation has started and the Registrar's Office is in the early stages of initial data verification with Courshedog.
- The target go live at this time is December 2024, but we will be narrowing in the exact date as we get a little closer and we can consider the system availability in relationship to established deadlines.
- More information will be available as faculty return to campus for fall quarter.

FERPA

- What is FERPA?
 - Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 from the Department of Education.
 - The student's right of privacy for their student record
- Who is responsible for FERPA?
 - Most staff and faculty on campus
- What can happen if the campus is not in compliance with FERPA
 - Ultimately it can impact our funding from the Department of Education

What is my ask

- I have created a FERPA presentation that is targeted to Teaching Assistants and Faculty.
- The presentation is now part of TA onboarding
- I ask that you share this presentation with your department faculty.

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FERPA Compliance

FERPA refers to the [Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974](#). It gives college students the right and responsibility to control access to their educational records. It also gives school officials the shared responsibility of protecting those records.

- UCR Staff Page: [Ensure FERPA Compliance](#)

Learn all about access and responsibilities when it comes to student records.

- VIDEO Tutorial: [FERPA Basics & How it Impacts Faculty and Teaching Assistants](#)

Learn FERPA basics in a video presentation led by the UC Riverside Registrar, Bracken Dailey.

Duration: 27 minutes

THANK YOU!

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