

HOW TO SUBMIT AN ONLINE DISBURSEMENT REQUEST

Tools for Treasurers with a SABS Bank Account

Checks vs. SDRs

	Small Dollar Reimbursement	Checks
Who can be the payee?	Students Only	Students, Individuals, or Companies
What is the issue amount?	\$20 or less	Any amount
How does the payee get the money?	Must be picked up at SABS Office	Check can be mailed out or picked up in our office
What do I need to know?	Payee must present a photo ID when picking up SDR	Payee's address if check is being mailed

Transfers

- Treasurer simply needs to submit an Online Disbursement Request – Transfers to USG will require an Invoice #
- Process to pay USG or other student organizations with money from your SABS bank account
- Funds are taken out of your account and deposited directly into the targeted account
- Recipients will be notified once the funds have been deposited into their account

Bulk Disbursement Criteria

All criteria must be met to qualify for a Bulk Disbursement:

- 3 or more disbursement requests to multiple payees
- Payees must be from UConn (student/staff/faculty/advisor/parent)
- Payment method & expense codes must be identical
- Reviewers may not be listed as a payee in the bulk request

Step 1: Virtual Front Desk

1. Go to DSA Financial and Program Support:
<https://financialandprogramsupport.studentactivities.uconn.edu/>

2. Click on Virtual Front Desk
(Note: you may need to scroll down to see this on the Homepage)

Financial & Program Support

Financial and Program Support aids in the purchasing and financial needs of the Department of Student Activities and provides financial advice and guidance to Storrs Student Trustee Organizations. Program Support assists the Department with all of its marketing and risk prevention needs.

Student Activities Banking Services

Student Activities Banking Services (SABS) provides bank accounts and banking transactions for registered student organizations (RSOs) on the Storrs campus. SABS also provides RSOs with the tools, resources, and guidance to operate under sound business practices and principles. SOLID and SABS online workshops are on HuskyCT, addressing topics such as keeping financial records; maintaining budgets; generating deposits, disbursements, adjustments; and managing events.

Virtual Front Desk
Find all of your banking needs online.

Accessing SABS Online Submissions
View the status of your SABS Banking Contract, Disbursement Request, and Marketplace Request **Submissions** and **Drafts** on [Kuali Build](#) ☑.

Online Marketplace
An online platform that allows organizations to collect money from credit and debit cards.

How To Guides
Need help with banking? Click below for how to guides.

Treasurer Financial Guide
A comprehensive guide of policy and procedures for all Treasurers and Financial Officers.

VIRTUAL FRONT DESK

KUALI BUILD FORMS

ONLINE MARKETPLACE

HOW TO GUIDES

TREASURER FINANCIAL GUIDE




Step 2: Finding the Form

3. Click on Online Disbursement Request

This step brings you to **Kuali Build**

Banking Services Virtual Front Desk

Note: If links produce error message, refresh page to launch forms.

Online Disbursement Request 	Online Banking Contract 	Viewing Bank Activity on UConntact .pdf
Online Disbursement Request Instructions .pdf	Online Banking Contract Instructions .pdf	Request a Financial Report
Online Marketplace & Dues Collection Request 	Forms & Financial Tools	Deposit Instructions .pdf

Step 3: Access the Form

1. Sign in with your NetID and password
2. If you have done so correctly you will see this page

The screenshot shows the UCONN SABS bank account withdrawal form. The form is titled "Basic Information" and contains the following sections:

- Organization *:** A search field with a magnifying glass icon and a label "Organization Number".
- Instructions:** "Use this form to request a withdrawal of funds from your SABS bank account. To make a bulk request, the following criteria must be met:"
 - Three (3) or more payees
 - Disbursement types are identical
 - Expense code(s) are identical
 - Descriptions are identical
 - Approvers cannot be a payee in the bulk request
- Confirmation:** "Are you making a bulk request? Review the criteria above to determine if a bulk request is appropriate."
 - No
 - Yes
- Officer Approval:** "Only one approval is needed if the submitter of this form is authorized to approve the disbursement (listed on banking contract) ... with the following exceptions:"
 - Two approvals are required if submitter is payee.
 - The treasurer must either submit or approve all disbursements unless they are the payee.
 - If the treasurer is the submitter they do not need to be an approver.

On the right side of the form, there is an "Actions" panel with three buttons: "Submit", "Save", and "Discard".

Step 4: Organization information

Under basic information find your Organization (If it is not on the list type the first few letters in the name). If done correctly, your Org's Number should auto-populate

The screenshot shows a web form titled "Basic Information". It has two main input fields: "Organization *" and "Organization Number". The "Organization *" field contains a search icon and a vertical line. A dropdown menu is open below this field, listing the following organizations: Medical Humanitarian Society, Writing and Literature Club, The, Tildy's Twizzlers, EDM Huskies, Health Care Engineering Club, Artists for World Peace (AFWP), Blue Line, UConn, Turning Point USA at UConn (TPUCONN), African American Professionals Association (AAPA), and No Lost Generation UConn (NLG UConn). An arrow points from the text on the left to the search input field. Below the dropdown menu, there are several lines of text, including "int.", "ine if a bulk request is appropriate.", "prove the disbursement (listed on banking contract) ... with the following", and a bulleted list of instructions: "• Two approvals are required if submitter is payee.", "• The treasurer must either submit or approve all disbursements unless they are the payee.", and "• If the treasurer is the submitter they do not need to be an approver."

Bulk Request?

If submitting an individual check or SDR, please skip to Slide #11

If submitting a bulk request, please continue to the next slide

Are you making a bulk request? Review the criteria above to determine if a bulk request is appropriate.

- No
- Yes

Bulk Request

Important: You do not need to fill out sections titled **Breakdown – Line 2, Breakdown – Line 3, and Breakdown – Line 4** unless there is more than 1 expense code needed

Criteria for Bulk Requests:

- Three (3) or more payees
- Disbursement types are identical
- Expense code(s) are identical
- Descriptions are identical
- Approvers cannot be a payee in the bulk request

If your request meets the Criteria:

1. Select Yes under Bulk Request
2. Click the *Link to Download Bulk Request Form*
3. Download the excel file
4. Fill out all required information about the payees
5. Save the excel document to your desktop
6. Upload the document by clicking *Select a file*

To make a bulk request, the following criteria must be met:

- 3 or more disbursements to multiple payees
- Disbursement methods are identical
- Expense code(s) are identical
- Reviewers cannot be a payee in the bulk request

SABS Online Disbursement Request Organization:

Payee	Disbursement Method	Address for mailing disbursement	Amount	Breakdown - Line 1 - Expense Code	Breakdown - Line 1 - Amount	Breakdown - Line 1 - Description (What,Where,When)	Breakdown - Line 2 - Expense Code	Breakdown - Line 2 - Amount	Breakdown - Line 2 - Description (What,Where,When)

Step 5: Request Information

Select the disbursement type from the options provided

Request Information

Disbursement Type *

Check - Pickup at Office (SU 314)

Check - Mail to Payee (Address required for processing)

Small Dollar Reimbursement (SDR) - Pickup at Office (SU 314)

Fill in the Payee's Name exactly as it will appear on the check

Payee *

Disbursement Breakdown

Expense Code	Description (What, Where, When)	Amount	
<input type="text" value="--"/>			
		sum: --	

Expense Code: Please select the appropriate Expense Code from the dropdown

+ Add Another Row

Total Amount

If you are unsure what Expense Code to use, please refer to our Chart of Accounts found under Forms and Financial tools



If multiple expense codes are needed, please click Add Another Row

Step 6: Officer Approval

Enter Officer Approval (to review and approve the request):

1. If the treasurer is the submitter, select one Officer from your Banking Contract (Last Name, First Name)
2. If the treasurer is not the submitter, the treasurer must be selected as the Approver
3. If the Treasurer is the payee:
 - The President is required as an Approver in place of the Treasurer
 - A second Approver (not the treasurer) is also required

Officer Approval

Only one approval is needed if the submitter of this form is authorized to approve the disbursement (listed on banking contract) ... with the following exceptions:

- Two approvals are required if submitter is payee.
- The treasurer must either submit or approve all disbursements unless they are the payee.
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The signature field must be approved by the listed officer. (click on blue button)

1st Officer to Approve *

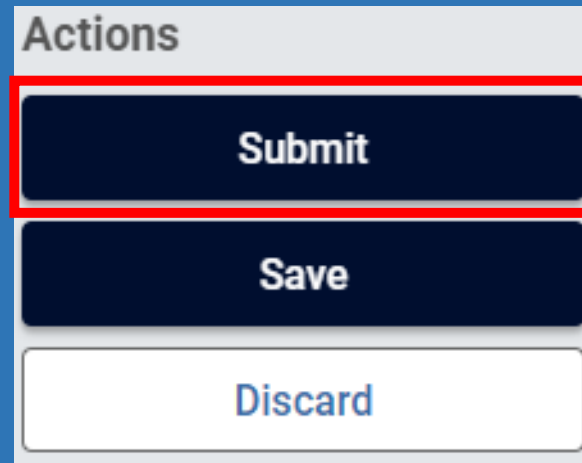
Q

2nd Officer to Approve (If Applicable)

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Step 7: Submitting your Disbursement Request

Once you have filled out all the required fields and have looked over the information for accuracy, click Submit under the Actions tab on the right of the request



Actions

Submit

Save

Discard

What happens next?

See next slide for next steps



What's next?

1. All Approvers on the form receive an email from Quali Notifications:
 - Subject will say: "Request for Approval: SABS Disbursement Request"
2. (If applicable) The second Approver will only receive their email once the previous Approver has approved the form
3. Approvers must open the form, review the data, sign, and approve or deny the form as submitted
4. SABS will process the form when approval is complete (you will be notified)
5. Email dsabusinessservices@uconn.edu with any questions or problems you encounter
6. Instructions for Approvers can be found on the last slide



Instructions for Approvers

Open the email from Kualiti Notifications with the subject line “**Request for Approval: SABs Disbursement Request**”

1. Click the **Begin Review** box in the email to open the form
2. Review the Disbursement information
- 3a. If you agree with the information:
 - a. Click on the **Sign this form** box under your name
 - b. Type your name in the box to E-sign the form
 - c. Click **Save**
 - d. Click the **Approve** box in the top right corner of the form (under Actions)
 - e. Comments are optional then click the **Approve** box
- 3b. If you do not agree with the information in the request:
 - a. Click the **Send Back** box in the top right corner of the form (under Actions)
 - b. Enter reason in the **Add Comments** box and click the **Send Back** box
- 3c. If you do not want this request to exist or be an Approver for this request:
 - a. Click the **Deny** box in the top right corner of the form (under Actions)
 - b. Enter reason in the **Add Comments** box and click the **Deny** box