**Announcements**

**Oracle Reporting Technology Upgrade**

This month, Oracle will be upgrading some of its reporting technology to improve performance. This upgrade is expected to temporarily pause access to a number of reports for some users, including across the SAAS, AP, FAS, and Asset Management systems. The upgrade will take place starting this Friday, March 4.

**Oracle Financials Cloud**

The Oracle Financials Cloud team will offer a live course for Requisitioners on the topic of ‘Oracle Financials Cloud: Streamlining Purchasing’. This course will include an explanation of Concur processes related to meetings, entertainment, and business expense reimbursements. Intended for preparers, hosts/payees, and financial managers who are familiar with policy and would like to learn about the expense procedure, including summarized guidelines and on-demand resources. Faculty and staff will learn about the Concur processes for reporting travel expenses on a Travel Expense Report.

**Oracle: Buying and Paying for PO Requisitioners**

This course includes hands-on instruction on the use of Oracle Procurement & Payables. It is designed to help you manage your department's purchasing needs.

**Oracle Financials Cloud**

The Oracle Financials Cloud team will be upgrading some of its reporting technology to improve performance. This upgrade will not impact the launch of the Faculty & Researcher Dashboard, nor will it impact the accuracy of the upcoming Faculty & Researcher dashboard release. The new dashboard brings in payroll projections, project/task health analytics, and improved performance over the current faculty dashboard.

**APEC Conference**

Mark your calendars for the American Public Accounting Conference (APEC) taking place from April 23 to April 26, 2022, in San Francisco, CA. This conference offers a unique opportunity to network with accounting professionals and learn about the latest trends and developments in the field.

**Financial Accounting Program Application Period Closing**

A reminder, Financial Accounting Program application is closing this Friday, March 4. If you would like to know more about the program, please review the application page. The deadline for applications is March 4, 2022.