

Banner Finance

Instructions for Creating Requisitions

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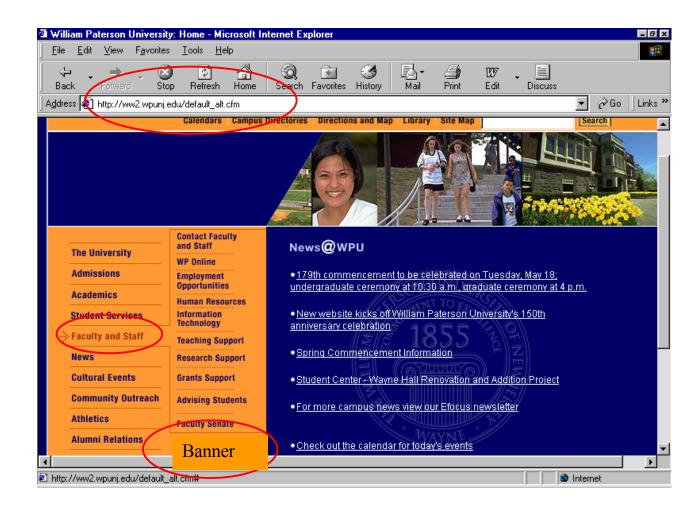
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1) Login to Banner Finance

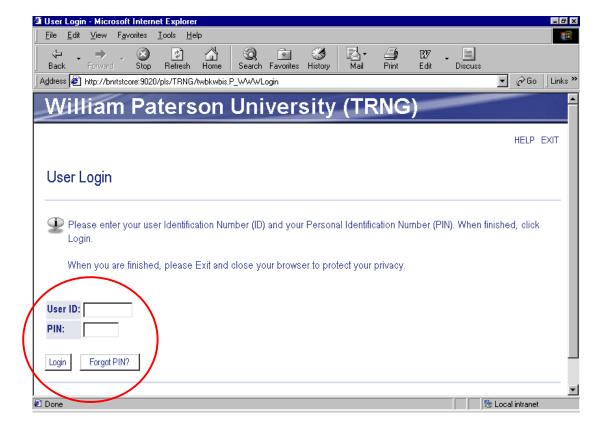
This section describes how to login to Banner Finance

Step 1.1 From Internet Explorer	
Access: WPUNJ Home Page	http://www.wpunj.edu
Select: Faculty and Staff	
Select: Banner	





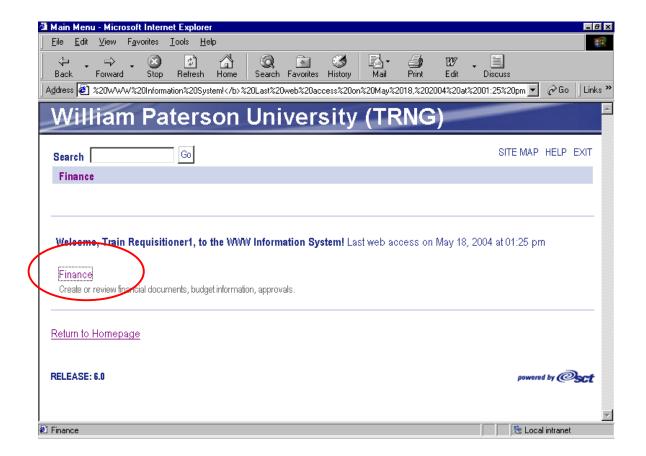
Step 1.2 User Login	
Enter: William Paterson User ID	Nine numbers starting with an 855 prefix.
	Example: <u>855</u> 123456
Enter: PIN	The User's six digit birth date (mmddyy)
	Example: 010875
Click: Login	



Users will receive User ID's and PIN's via e-mail following attendance of a Training session and prior to the 6/15/2004 start-up.



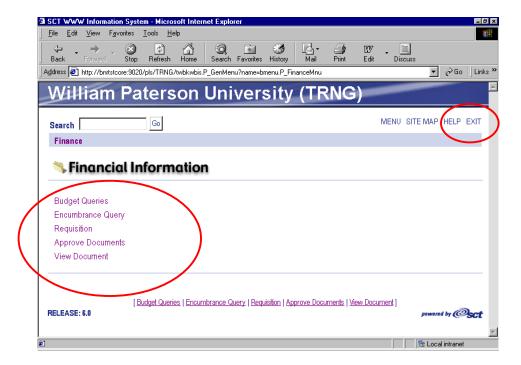
Step 1.3 Access the Financial Information Menu	
Select: Finance	



Note: Welcome message and last access date.



Step 1.4 The Financial Information Menu	
Budget Queries	To run a budget query
Requisition	To create a requisition (This selection is to be used only to create a requisition. To view a completed requisition use View Documents)
Approve Documents	To approve a completed requisition
View Documents	To view requisitions, purchase orders or invoices
Exit	To Logout



Note: The Financial Information menu also appears at the bottom of screen on most forms.

Access to each menu selection will be restricted by your Banner security profile as a requisitioner, approver, or inquiry and by your Organization (Department).

For instructions on navigating the Banner Financial Information Menu Selections please see these related documents:

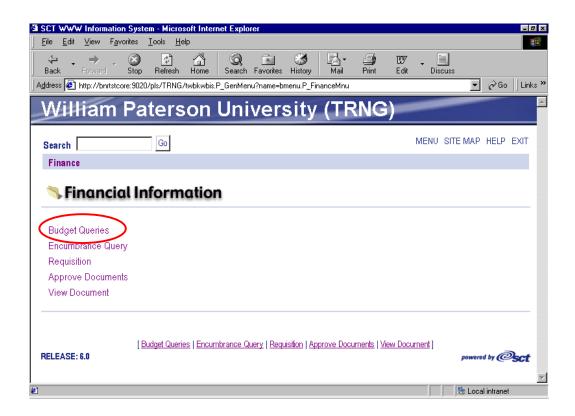
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2) View Budget

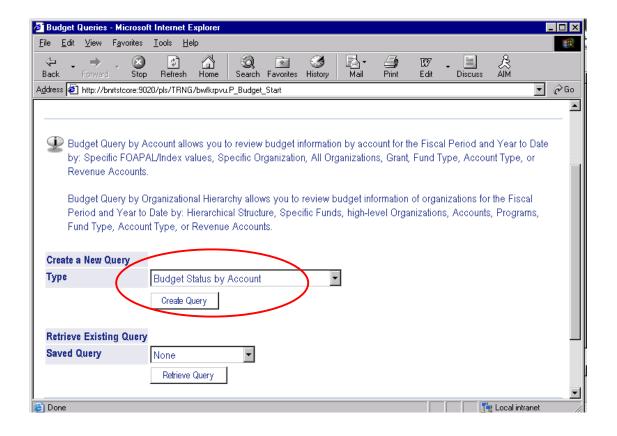
This section describes how to check a budget to determine available funds.

Step 2.1 From the Financial Information Menu	
Select: Budget Queries	



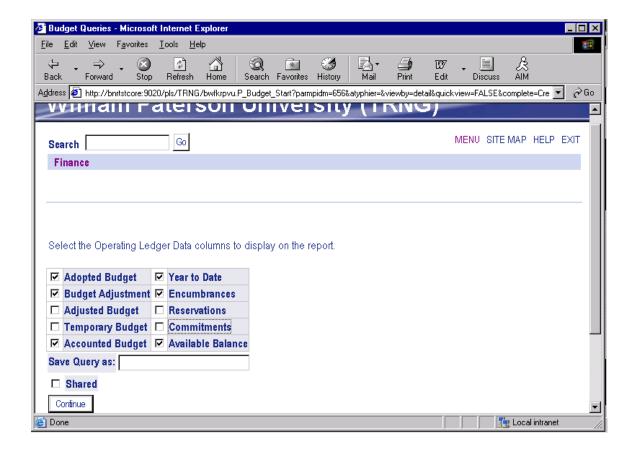


Step 2.2 To Create the Query	
Type: Select: Budget Status by Account	This is the default setting
Click: Create Query	
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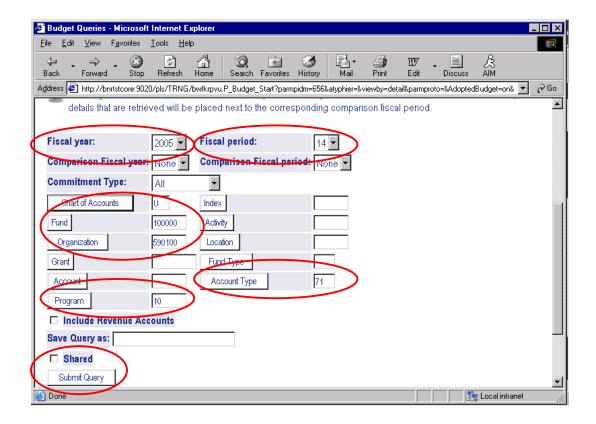


Step 2.3 Select the Columns to Display	
Check: All of the following: Adopted Budget, Budget Adjustment,	
Accounted Budget, Year to Date, Encumbrances, Available Balance	
Click: Continue	



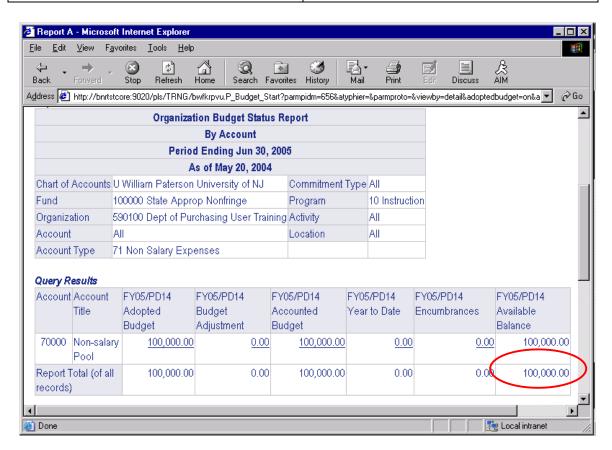


Step 2.4 Set the Account Selections	
Select: Fiscal Year 2005	
Select: Fiscal Period 14	
Select: Commitment Type All	
Select: Fund	Six digit number Example: 100000
Select: Organization	Six digit number Example: 590100
Select: Program	Two digit number Example: 10
Select: Account Type	Always 71 for non salary
Click: Submit Query	





Step 2.5 View the Budget Status	



Note: The available non-salary balance is the number in the bottom right corner.

Step 2.6 Exit the Query	
Scroll to the bottom of the screen and select from the	
Financial Information Menu	

[Budget Queries | Encumbrance Query | Requisition | Approve Documents | View Document]



3) Requisition Overview

A Banner requisition is created as the first step in the WPUNJ procurement process. All requisitions created in Banner must also be approved in Banner before Purchasing can transfer them into a purchase order.

Requisitions should NOT be entered in the following situations:

- for any employee travel expense
- for registrations or prepayments that are part of travel by an employee
- for payments to a University employee or student
- for charges incurred in a previous fiscal year

In each of these situations use a travel expense voucher or a voucher payment form.

Banner assigns requisition numbers. These numbers are assigned sequentially as each requisition is created. **Be sure to keep a record of your requisition numbers.**

Once a requisition is created, a budget reservation is established. This moves the funds from the available budget. The reservation is changed to an encumbrance when the requisition is transferred to a purchase order. When the invoice is processed the encumbrance is relieved.

Banner requisitions cannot be changed once created.

In order to make changes you must: 1) have the department head disapprove the requisition. All disapproved requisitions will be deleted from the system overnight. This will relieve the budget reservation and return the funds to the budget. 2) recreate the requisition making the required revisions. Banner will assign a new requisition number.

Banner has a web session time out feature that will close the application after a prolonged period of inactivity. Any requisition that is started but not fully completed will be lost if a time out occurs.

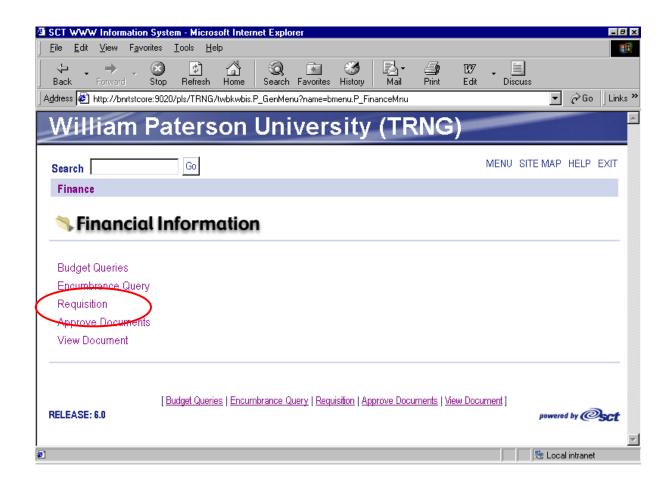
Created requisitions move into approval queues based on the requisition's accounting data Fund and Organization hierarchy. A requisition will always have at least two approval queues, one at the Department Level and one at the Purchasing level. A requisition may also require a Grant or other approvals.



4) Creating a Requisition

This section describes how to create a requisition in Banner.

Step 4.1 From the Financial Information Menu	
Select: Requisition	This selection is to be used only to create a requisition. To view a completed requisition use View Documents.

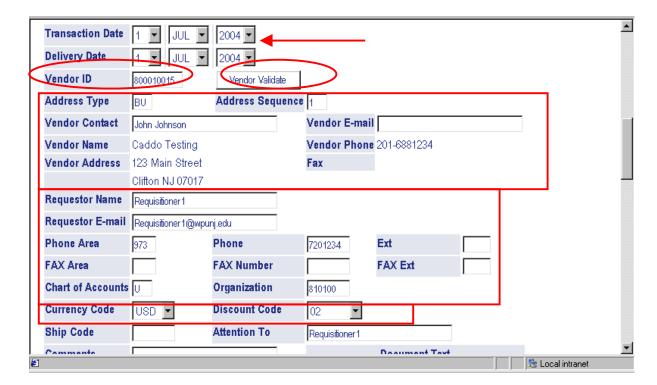




Step 4.2 Enter Date and Vendor ID	
Select: Transaction Date	The current date will default. Note: Requisitions entered for a new fiscal year that are being created prior to the start of that fiscal year must be forward dated to July 1.
Select: Delivery Date	The Delivery Date is a required field and it must be equal to or in advance of the Transaction Date
Enter: Vendor ID	Enter the vendor nine digit ID. Example: 800010015 Leave blank if this is a new vendor. Place the new vendor address information in document text. (See the instructions for inserting document text.)
Click: Vendor Validate	Vendor information defaults from the vendor file.

Note: The Vendor data that defaults from the vendor file: Address Type and sequence, Contact, Name Address, E-mail, Phone, Fax, Currency and Discount Code.

Note: The User ID data that defaults: Requisitioner Name, E-mail, Phone, Chart and Organization





Vendor Address Types

There are two Vendor Address Type Codes in Banner, BU for Business Address and BI for Billing Address. The BU is the purchase order mailing address. The BI is where the payment check will be sent. All requisitions are to be created with the BU Address Type Code.

Vendors with Multiple Addresses

Vendors will have only one Banner ID. Vendors with multiple addresses will share this one ID. The Address Sequence number will identify vendors with more than one address. When a vendor has only one address, the Address Type BU and Address Sequence 1 will default into the vendor section of the requisition, once the Vendor Validate button is clicked. If no vendor address data defaults, this is a signal that the vendor has multiple addresses. The user must type in BU and the sequence number 1. Click Vendor Validate and view the address information. If this is not the correct address, enter a 2 in Address Sequence, click Vendor Validate and view the address. Repeat this process until the correct BU and Address Sequence is found.

Vendor Discount Codes

If the vendor is created with a discount code it will default into the requisition once the Vendor Validate button is selected. If there is no default the user must select from the dropdown. If you do not know a vendor's discount code use Code 02 Net 30 Days. The available discount codes are as follows:

Discount Code	Title
01	Net 10 Days
02	Net 30 Days
03	Net 45 Days
04	1% 10 Days,Net 30



Step 4.3 Enter Ship To	
Enter: Ship to Code	This is the delivery address. The Ship To code selections are University buildings and cannot be changed on the requisition. Use the Attention To field to add specific delivery information such as name, floor or room number. Document Text may also be used to convey delivery information. See the following pages for instructions on inserting Document Text.

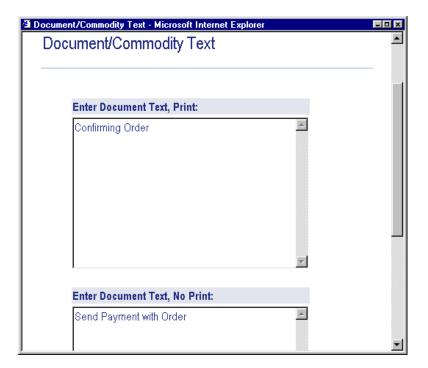


<u>Code</u> <u>Cod</u>	2
ATRIUM Atruim BSHAHN Ben Shahn Center Visual Arts COACH Coach House COLLHL College Hall HOBART Hobart Hall HUNZKR Hunziker Hall HWING Hunziker Wing LIB Cheng Library MANOR Hobart Manor MORRIS Morrison Hall OLDHAM Gorab Alumni House PBSFTY Public Safety Building	CTR Recreation Center Science Hall A Shea Center for Perf Arts ABX Shea Box Office RM Storeroom CTR Student Center JLR Trailer - Morrison Hall JLEY 1600 Valley Road YNE Wayne Hall



Step 4.4 Insert Document Text	
Click: Document Text Button	Example: Confirming Order
Document Text	

Step 4.4A Document Text - Continued -	
Type in Document Text	



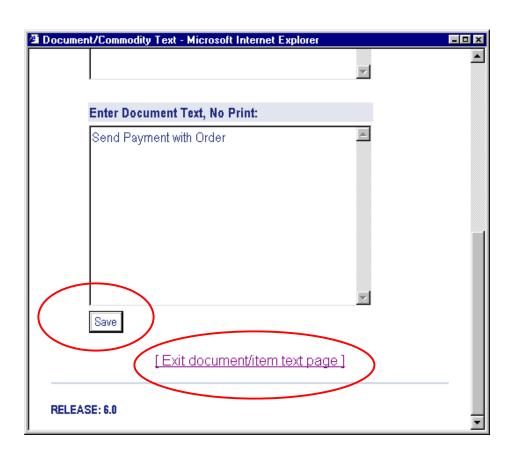
Note: Use the Enter Document Text, Print box for a message that will print in the header section on the Purchase Order.

Note: Use the Enter Document Text, No Print box to communicate special instructions to the Purchasing Department. Examples include new vendor name and address information, fax instructions, hold check, include attachment with PO.

Note: You can copy and paste from another document.

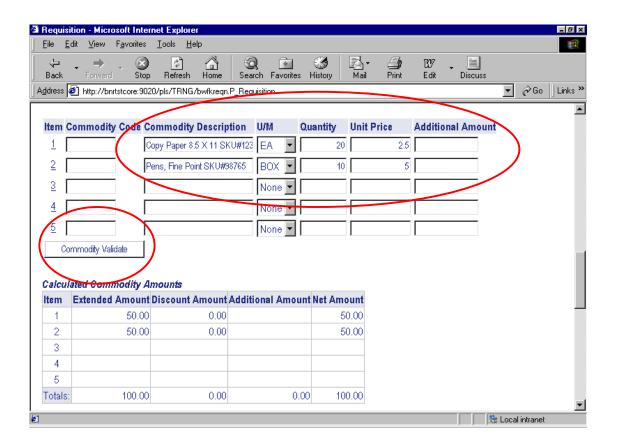


Step 4.4B Document Text - Continued -	
Click: Save	To save the document text
Click: Exit Document Text Page	To return to the Requisition



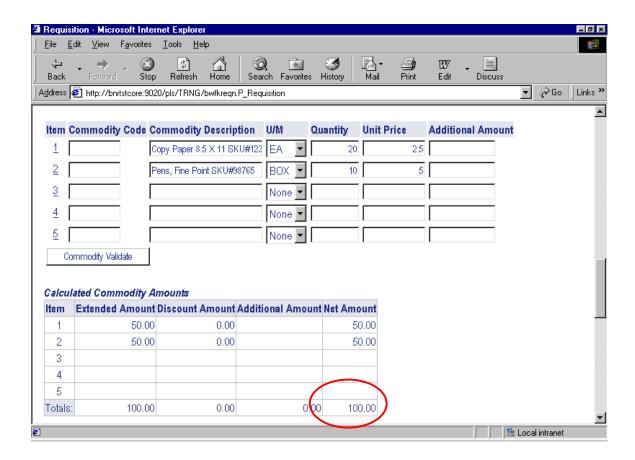


Step 4.5 Enter Item (commodity) Data	
Commodity Code: Leave blank	This field is not being used by WPUNJ
Commodity Description: Enter the item	Enter multiple lines up to five.
Select U/M: Enter unit of measure	Must select from the dropdown menu
Enter: Quantity	
Enter: Unit Price	Each line item requires a price. Do Not use the \$ sign. Line items can not be used for text only purposes. Use Item or Document text.
Additional Amount:	Enter a dollar value here for additional charges such as handling or freight. These charges can also be created as a separate line item.
Click: Validate Commodity	





Step 4.5A Enter Item – Continued -	
View the Calculated Commodity Amounts	



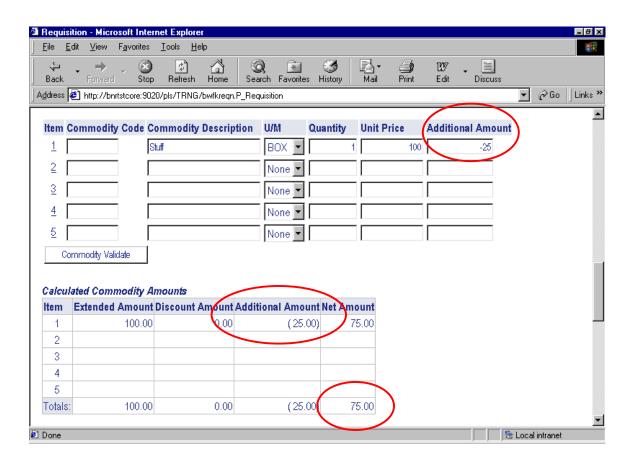
Note: The Calculated Commodity Amounts section extends the unit price for each line item to show the total value of the requisition.



Including a Discount

The Additional Amount field may also be used to include a discount. In the following example a \$25 discount is taken on Item 1.

Additional Amount: Enter: -25	Discounts can not be taken in percents.
Click: Commodity Validate	



Note: The Calculated Commodity Amounts section reflects the (25.00) in the Additional Amount field and the Net Amount Total is adjusted to \$75.00



Step 4.6 Enter Item Text	
Click: Item Number	

	ional Amount
(1) Copy Paper 8.5 X 11 SKU#123 EA ▼ 20 2.5	
2 Pens, Fine Point SKU#98765 BOX ▼ 10 5	
<u>3</u> None ▼	
4 None ▼	

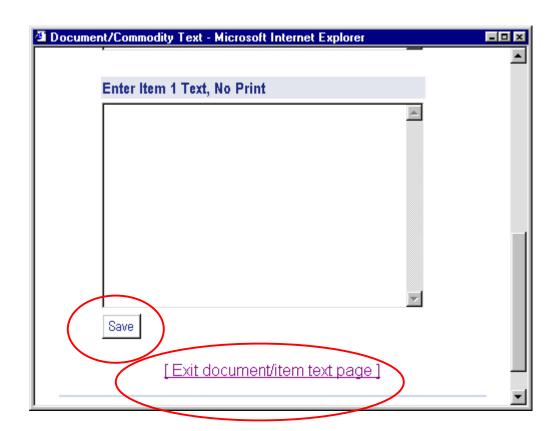
Step 4.6A Enter Item Text – Continued -	
Enter: Text	Text will print under the item on the PO



Note: You can copy and paste from another document to expand the item description and include special instructions or specifications.

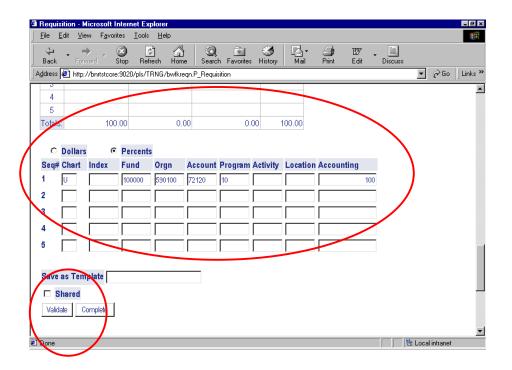


Step 4.6B Item Text — Continued -	
Click: Save	To save the Item text
Click: Exit Item Text Page	To return to the Requisition





Step 4.7 Enter Accounting Data	
Check: Dollars or Percent	Identifies how charges will be allocated
Enter: Chart: U	WPUNJ Chart of Accounts is always "U"
Enter: Fund	Six digit number Example: 100000
Enter: Organization	Six digit number Example: 590100
Enter: Account:	Five digit number Example: 72120 (Office Supplies)
Enter: Program:	Two digit number Example: 10
Enter: Accounting value	Use100 if allocating by percent to a single Fund/Org/Account/Program. See the next page for instructions on charging multiple FOAP's
Click: Validate	To validate the accounting information



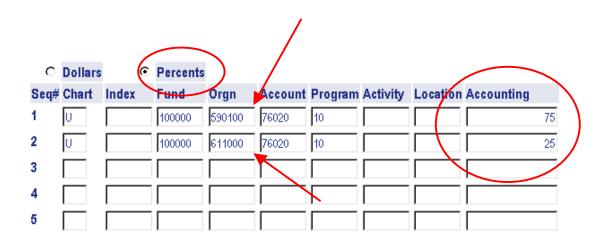


Scroll to the top of the form to see the validation message.



Charging Multiple Fund/Organization/Account/Program (FOAP)

The requisition total value may be split or allocated across two or more FOAP's. The maximum number of FOAP's that can be used for one requisition is five. The allocation may be by dollar value or by percent. The allocation is distributed proportionately across all line items. For example, a requisition with two line items and two FOAP's allocated at 75% and 25% will result in each line being allocated 75% to one FOAP and 25% to the other FOAP. The following is an example of a requisition with two FOAP's allocated on a percent basis:



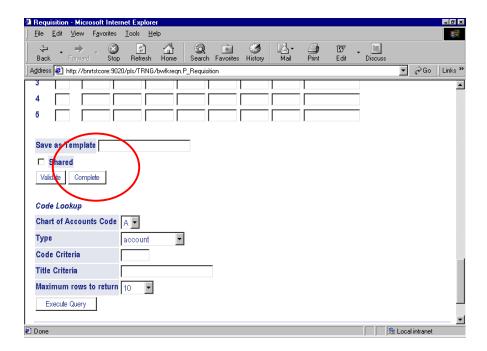
Note: In this example: the Percents button is checked, the Organizations are different, the Accounting field is allocated 75 and 25 percent. The % sign is not required.



Step 4.8 Save the Document

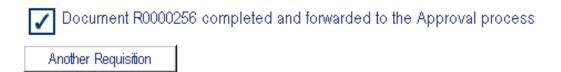
Note: A completed requisition can not be changed. Double check your work before saving the requisition.

Click: Complete



Note: Scroll to the top of the form to view the document number completed message. **Make sure to record the requisition number.**

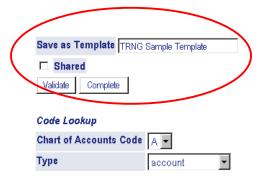




Note: Click: Another Registration to start another document.



Step 4.9 Creating a Template	
Prior to saving the requisition by clicking	
Complete	
Save as Template: Enter a template name	Example: Printer Ink Template Do not click the Shared button. The template will be saved as a personal template.
Click: Complete	



Note: Clicking Shared while creating a template will allow all Banner users to view your template. **Make sure the Shared button is not clicked in order to create a personal template that only you will see and access.** The personal template is linked to the user ID and will be available only to the user.

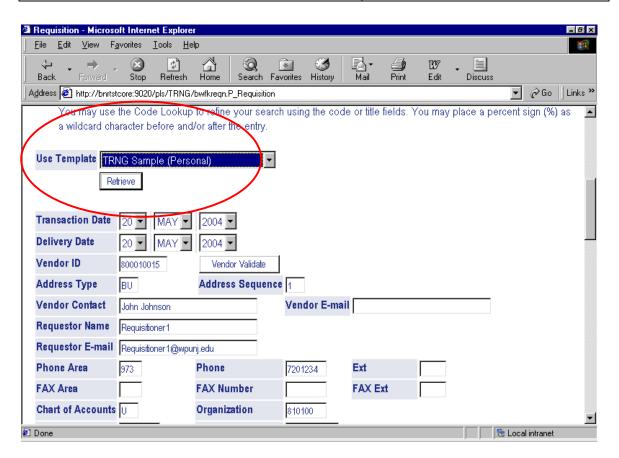
Note: The document created message and the template saved message.

- Document Validated with no errors
- Document R0000260 completed and forwarded to the Approval process
- ▼ Template TRNG Sample 2 Template (Personal) saved

Note: A template can only be saved with a complete and validated Requisition.

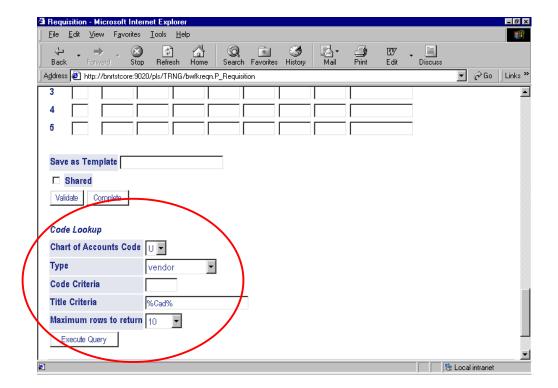


Step 4.10 Retrieving a Template	
Start with a blank requisition	
Use Template: Select the Template	
Click: Retrieve	The template data will populate the requisition fields. You can then add or change the data as needed.





Step 4.11 Seaching for a Vendor Using Code Look up	
Chart of Accounts Code: Select: U	WPUNJ will always use Chart of
	Account "U".
Type: Select: Vendor	
Title Criteria: Enter: %Cad%	To provide a list of all vendors
	containing "Cad" in the name.
Maximum Rows to Return: Enter: 100	This determines the number of data
	lines to be returned.
Select: Execute Query	To run the search





Step 4.11A Vendor Search – Continued -

Scroll to the top of the screen to view the search results for any vendor title (name) containing Cad.

Code lookup results

Vendor ID	Name
800010015	Caddo Testing
@00000110	Caddo
@00046374	Academic Management Svcs Corp

Step 4.11B Vendor Search – Continued -

Note: Record the Vendor ID or perform a Highlight / Edit / Copy

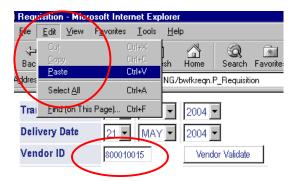
Code lookup results Vendor ID Name

800010015 Caddo Testing @00000110 Caddo @80046374 Academic Management Svcs Corp



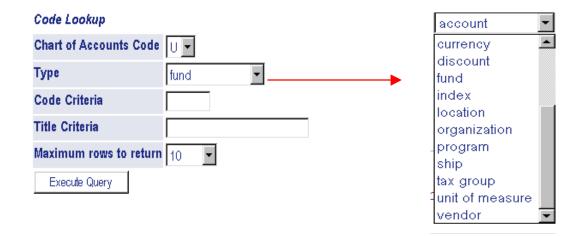
Step 4.11C Vendor Search – Continued -

Click in the Vendor ID field and perform an Edit / Paste





The Code Lookup may be used to perform data searches for a number of different fields. It may be used before you start the requisition in order to gather data or it may be used when you reach each data entry point as you are creating the requisition.



The most common searches under Type will be for: ship (the delivery location), unit of measure, vendor, account (FRS object code), fund (FRS ledger), and organization (FRS department account).

Use the Code Criteria or the Title Criteria in combination with the Type to narrow your search. See the vendor search example from the previous page. The Code represents the Banner code, for example the vendor ID 80010015. The Title represents the name or description, for example Caddo.

Use the wild card % to further narrow your search. The two wildcards that can be used are: % and

The %, percentage stands for any number of characters, whereas the (_) underscore stands for only one occurrence of a character.

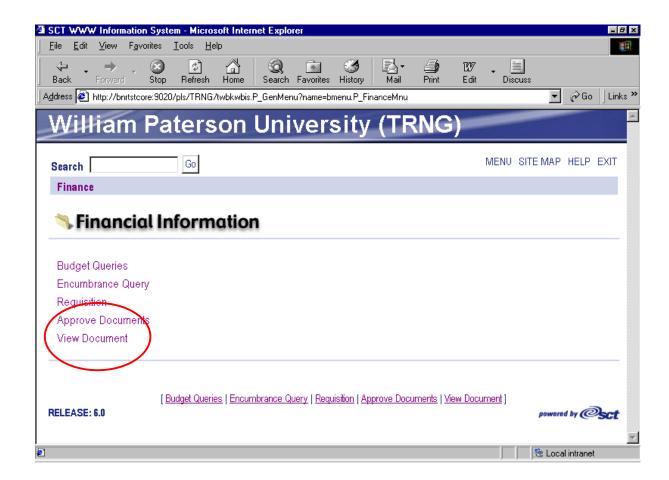
Enter this criteria
%ma%
ma%
%ma
_m%



5) Viewing a Requisition

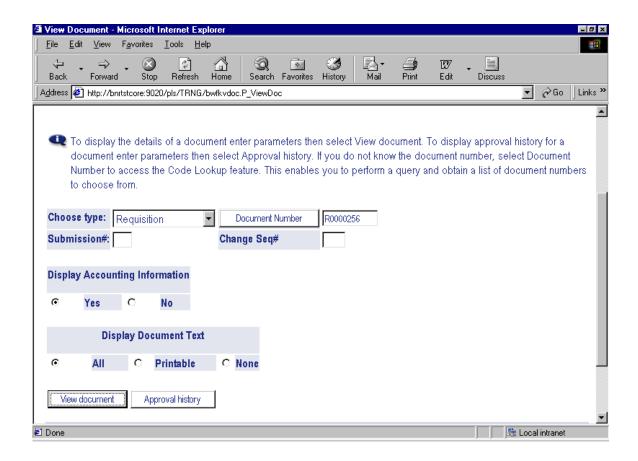
This section describes how to view a Banner requisition using the View Document Menu.

Step 5.1 From the Financial Information Menu	
Select: View Document	



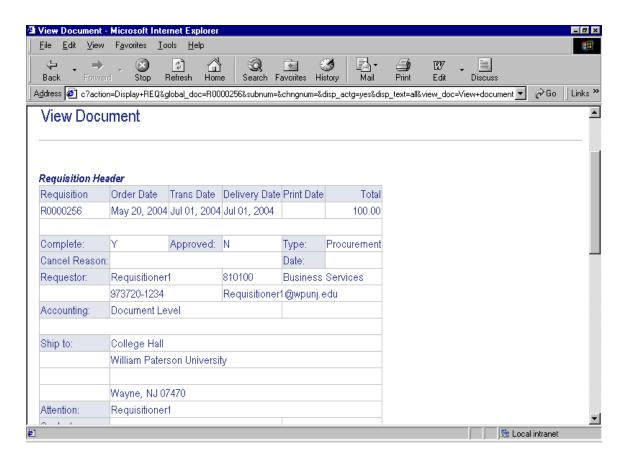


Step 5.2 Select the Requisition to View	
Select: View Document	
Choose Type: Requisition	
Display Accounting Information: Click: Yes	To see the Accounting data
Document Number: Enter the requisition number	Example: R0000256
Display Document Text: Click All	To view both Print and No Print Text
Select: View Document	





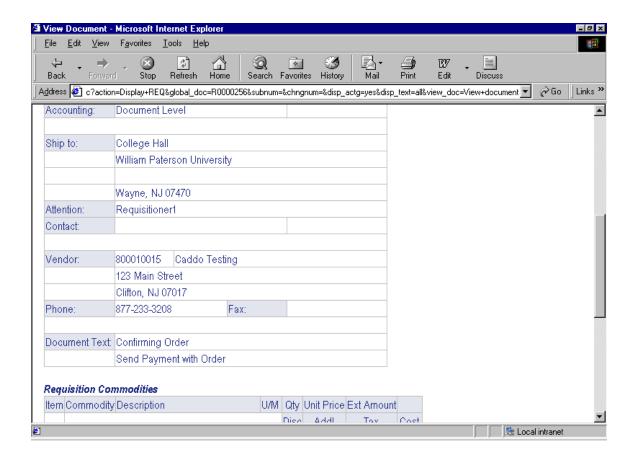
Step 5.3 View the Requisition	



Note: The Requisition Dates, Total, Approval Status, Requestor data, Ship To and Attention fields.



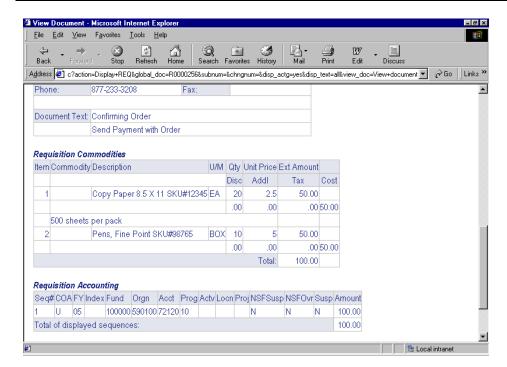
Step 5.3A View the Requisition – Continued -	
Scroll down to view more of the requisition	



Note: The requisition vendor data and document text.



Step 5.3B View the Requisition – Continued -	
Scroll down again to view more of the requisition	



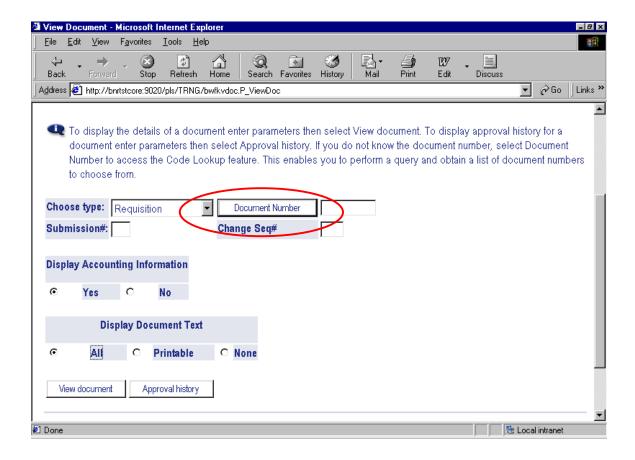
Note: The requisition Commodity and Accounting sections.

Step 5.4 Print the Requisition	
Select File / Print	



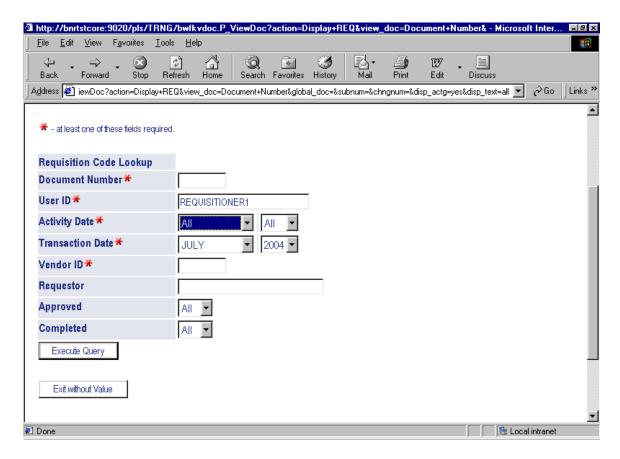


Step 5.5 To Search a List of Requisitions	
From the View Document Screen	
Click: Document Number	





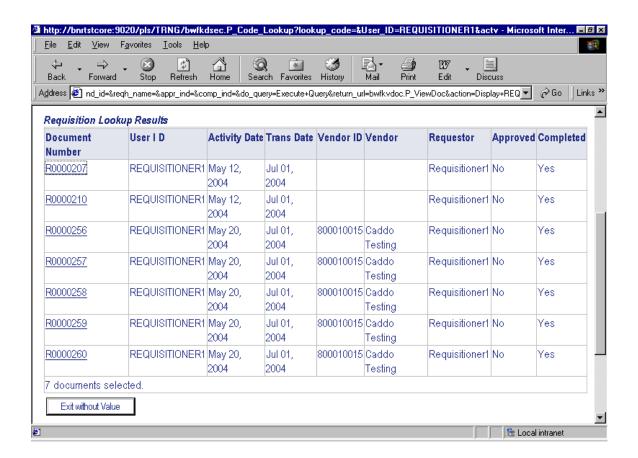
Step 5.6 Enter the Search Criteria	
View the search options	
User ID: Enter User name	To view all requisitions created by the user.
Transaction Date: Select July and 2004	To narrow the selection of data
Select: Execute Query	



Note: Activity Date is the date the requisition was created. Transaction Date is the date selected by the user. Usually these dates are the same. The exception is when the requisition is dated in advance for the start of a new fiscal year.

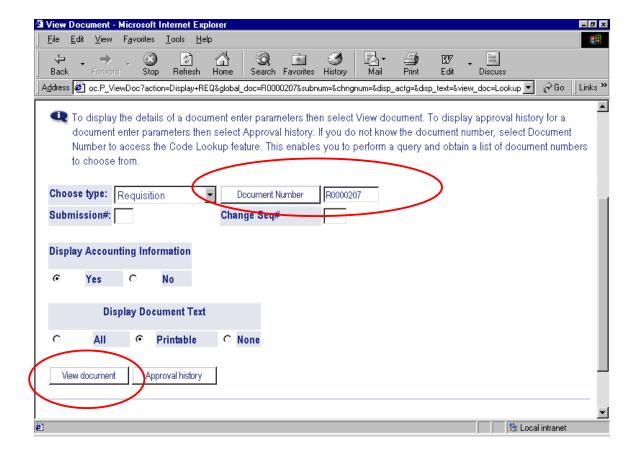


Step 5.7 View the List of Requisitions	
Click on a Requisition Number	To view the individual requisition



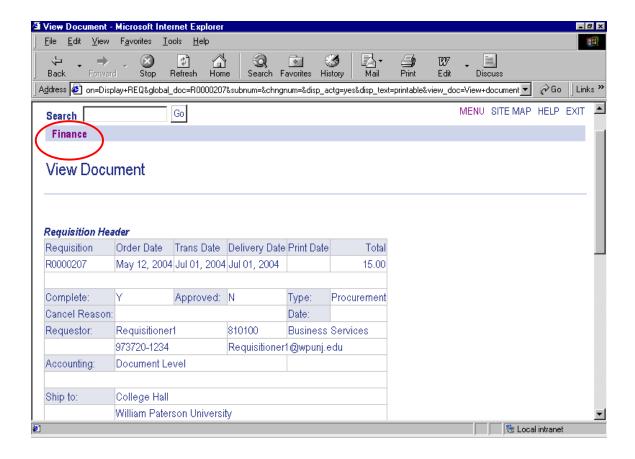


Step 5.8 View One Requisition from the List	
Note: The Document Number defaults	
Click: View Document	To view the individual requisition





Step 5.8A View the Individual Requisition – Continued -	
View the Individual Document	
Click: Finance to return to the Financial Information Menu	

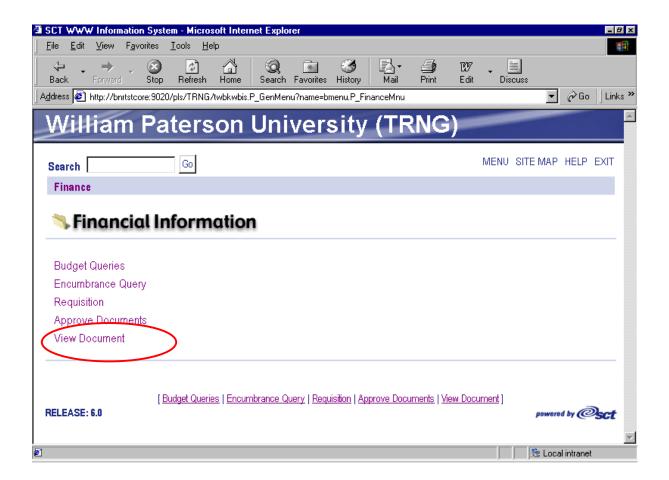




6) Viewing the Approval History

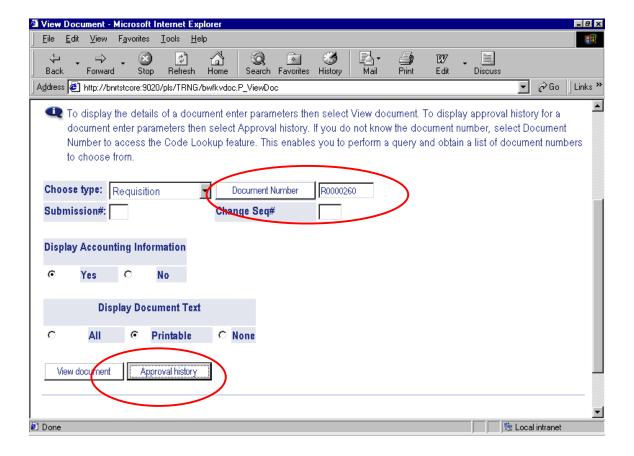
This section describes how to view the approval history of a requisition.

Step 6.1 From the Financial Information Menu	
Select: View Document	



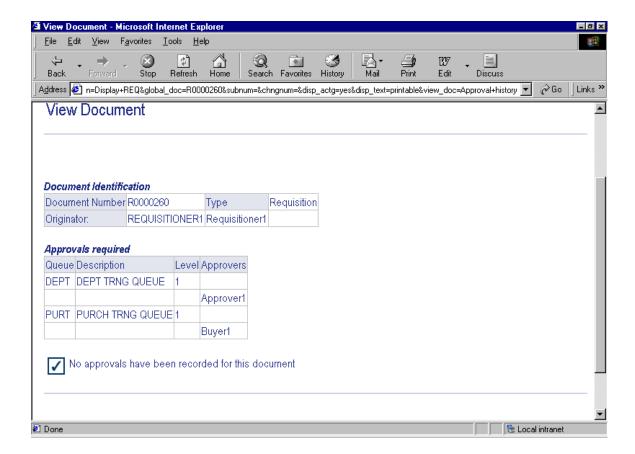


Step 6.2 Select the Requisition to View	
Choose Type: Requisition	
-	
Document Number: Enter the requisition number	Example: R0000260
Select: Approval History	





Step 6.3 View the Approval History	



Note: The Requisition has two approval queues, one at the Department level and one at the Purchasing level. Also note the name of the Approvers will appear in each queue.



The following is a view of a requisition that has been approved at the Department Level and is pending Purchasing Approval.



Note: The Approvals required and the Approvals recorded sections.

The following is a view of a requisition that has been disapproved at the Department Level.



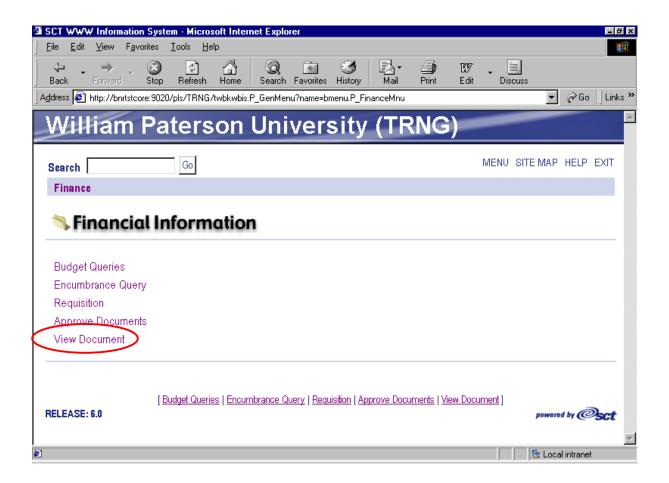
Note: The Queue DENY message.



7) Viewing Related Documents

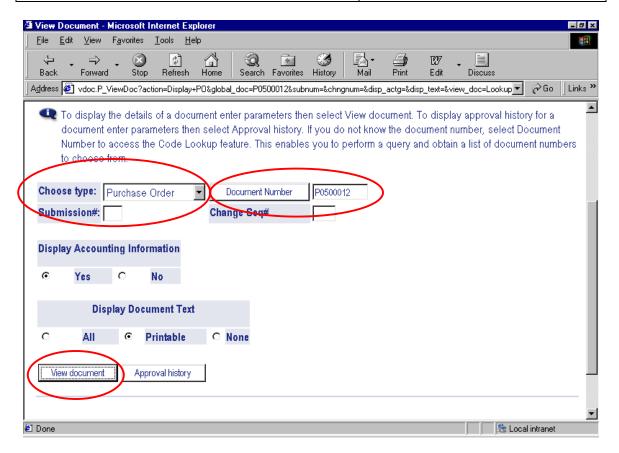
This section describes how to view the various documents linked to the requisition such as the purchase order or the invoice.

Step 7.1 From the Financial Information Menu	
Select: View Document	



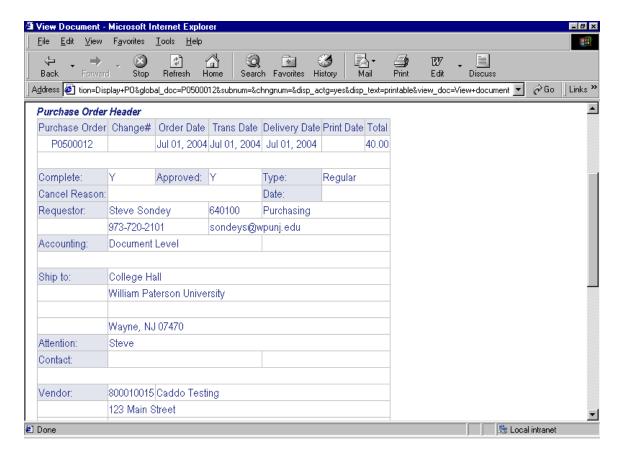


Step 7.2 Select the Document to View	
Select: View Document	
Choose Type: PO or Invoice	Purchase Orders begin with a P and Invoices with an I.
Display Accounting Information: Click: Yes	To see the Accounting data
Document Number: Enter the Document number	Example: P0500012 or
Display Document Text: Click All	To view both Print and No Print Text
Select: View Document	





Step 7.3 View the Purchase Order	



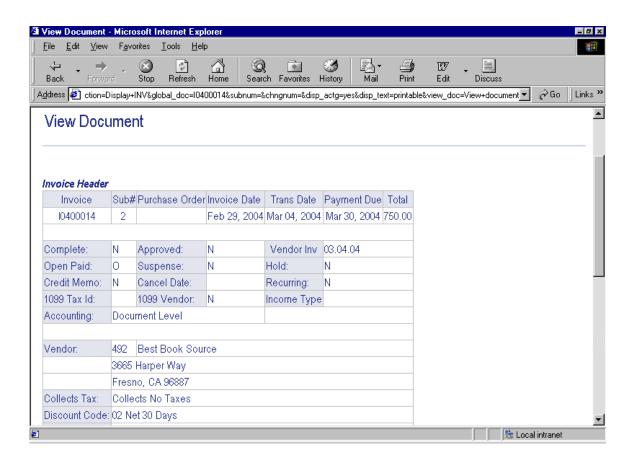
Note: Scroll down on the screen to see the rest of the Purchase Order. Select: File / Print to print the purchase order.

You can search for an Invoice by using the same search method as just described for a purchase order. From the View Documents screen, Select: Invoice and enter the invoice number.





The following is a view of a Banner Invoice.



Note: Scroll down on the screen to see the rest of the invoice. Select: File / Print to print the invoice.