#### **Purchasing Updates and Resources**

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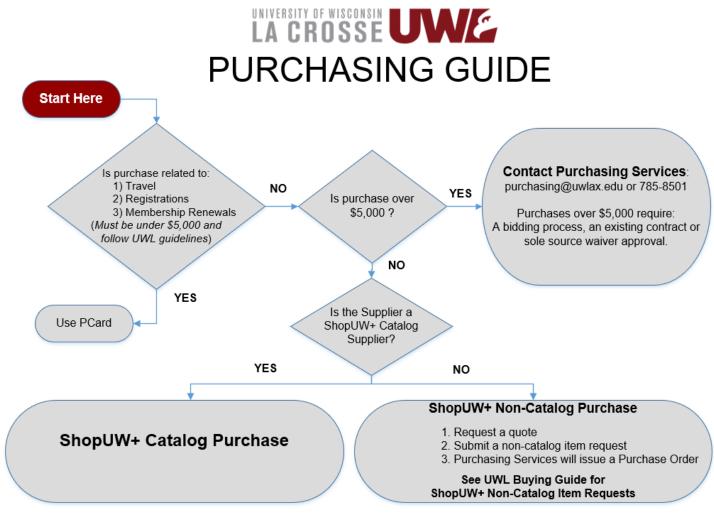
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#### Colleagues,

It has been a little over four months since the April 16<sup>th</sup> the launch of ShopUW+ occurred across all thirteen UW campuses. With the upcoming academic year approaching, we wanted to share some updates and resources.

#### UWL Purchasing Guide

The following guide has been developed to clarify the proper mechanism to utilize for purchasing and goods and services.



# **Guidelines for PCard purchases**

Please find information related to the PCard purchases referenced in the UWL Purchasing Guide above at: <u>Business</u> <u>Services Policies & Procedures</u>

- <u>Travel Related PCard Payment Procedures</u>
- <u>Registration Fee Payment Procedures</u>
- <u>Membership Policy</u>

# **Catalog Purchase Requests**

ShopUW+ Online Shopper Training provides an overview of the system and guidance for ShopUW+ Catalog purchase requests. For information visit: <u>ShopUW+ Online Training</u> and go ShopUW+ Shopper Skills.

### Non-Catalog Purchase Requests

The attached UWL Buying Guide provides assistance for purchasing non-catalog items. This guide provides Shoppers with detailed instructions for completing a non-catalog item request. UWL Buying Guides for ShopUW+ can be found at: <u>UWL Buying Guide - ShopUW+ Non-Catalog Item Requests</u>

### In-house Training via Microsoft Teams

UWL Purchasing Services will be hosting the following Teams meetings:

**Purchasing and ShopUW+ The Basics**: this session is a presentation with Q&A targeted to Shoppers with minimal exposure to UWL purchasing and ShopUW+.

(Click the links below to enter the meeting on the specified date/time)

- <u>Tuesday, August 31<sup>st</sup> at 3pm</u>
- Thursday, September 2nd at 10:30am
- Wednesday, September 8th at Noon
- Tuesday, September 14th at 11:00am
- Wednesday, September 22nd at 2pm
- Thursday, September 30th at 10:30am

**Requester Tips & Tricks**: this session is a focused on tips and tricks for Requesters and will be an interactive session with demonstrations.

- <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>September 1<sup>st</sup> at 10:30am</u>
- Thursday, September 9th at 3pm
- Thursday, September 16th at Noon

# Additional In-house Training Opportunities:

**Department training**: by request, Purchasing Services can meet with your department on Teams or in person to provide a customized review of ShopUW+ for Shoppers and Requesters.

**Approver training**: by request, Purchasing Services can meet with Approvers on Teams or in person to provide a customized review of the Approver role in ShopUW+.

If you have additional questions, please email Purchasing at [purchasing@uwlax.edu]purchasing@uwlax.edu

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