## How to get Reimbursed for Meals with Interview Candidates

1. Go to the UWL "Accounts Payable" website: <u>http://www.uwlax.edu/Accounts-Payable/</u> Once there, you will see the following menu items (boxes):



Click on the "Sign into e-Reimbursement" option.

You will be asked to log in with your Net ID credentials.

2. Once you are signed in, you will see a screen that looks like this:



Select "Create"

3. You will see a screen that looks similar to the old paper Travel Expense Report (TER):

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Assuming you took an interview candidate to lunch:

- 1. Report Name: type something along the lines of "Lunch with *name of candidate*"
- Expense Justification: type something along the lines of the following...
   "Took interview candidate to *lunch*. Candidate is for position xxxx."
   **NOTE**: Employee may include more than one candidate on an expense report by noting the name in the detail section.
- 3. Business Purpose: Click the drop-down menu arrow ▼. Select "Recruiting"
- Destination: Start typing in "La Cr" and then click the drop down menu arrow ▼ and select La Crosse, WI. This will complete the text field.
- If you have already scanned in your receipts and you have an electronic copy of the candidate's interview schedule, then click on the <u>Attachments</u> link and upload those documents. If **not**, minimize this e-Reimbursement activity and scan in those documents.
  - a. As a reminder, meal receipts must be itemized, meaning the receipt details the purchases made (meals and drinks).

- 6. Un-check the "Travel Expense Report" box. Travel-related boxes (e.g., "Date Depart") will disappear.
- 7. Click on <u>Accounting Defaults</u> and a new pop-up menu will appear.

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The account number automatically defaults to your home department. Be sure to check number with your Supervisor. Often this account number is different and may need to be changed.

- 8. Click "**OK**" to return back to the Expense Report.
- Under the "Details" and "\*Expense Type" click on the drop-down menu arrow ▼.
   Select "Meals-Hosted" from the menu options. The screen will refresh.
- 10. Select the date of the meal.
- 11. Type the amount of the expense. (Presumably the currency is U.S. dollars.)
- 12. Under "Payment Type" select "Personal Funds."
- 13. Billing Type: Select "In-State" (unless it isn't for example, if you ate in La Crescent).
- 14. Click on "Detail" to open a new window to fill in the details:

Number of people in the Party: []	
Description: []	
Amount Spent: []	

Click on the <u>Return to Expense Report</u> link when you are finished.

- 15. Click the box labeled: "Check for Errors"
- 16. Click **"Save for Later**" if you want to modify the report later. Click **"Submit**" if you want to submit the reimbursement request.
- 17. A screen will appear to read/review the Acknowledgement and Statement of Accountability. If all is consented click "**OK**".

After submission, the Expense Report is routed to the appropriate department approver(s) and auditor for review and approval. Travelers/Alternates will receive e-mail notification of expense report approval, return, or denial.