

Bi-Monthly Records and Information Discussion Group (BRIDG) Virtual Meeting

August 25, 2020

10:00 a.m. EDT to 12:00 p.m. EDT





Welcome and Speaker Introductions: Gordon Everett

FERMI Updates: Beth Cron

OGIS Updates: Kirsten Mitchell

Capstone Resubmissions Updates: Margaret

Hawkins

General Q&A





Welcome and Announcements

Gordon Everett Director, Customer Relationship Management





Federal Records Centers Reopening Status & FAQs

https://www.archives.gov/frc/operating-status

https://www.archives.gov/frc/temporary-closure-faq



Questions for Gordon?



FERMI Updates

Beth Cron Records Management Policy Analyst, Policy and Program Support



Federal Electronic Records Modernization Initiative (FERMI)

Two goals:

- To help agencies obtain electronic records
 management (ERM) solutions and services
 fitting their needs through an improved
 procurement process; and
- To proactively address changing trends in ERM by setting policy for new solutions and services.

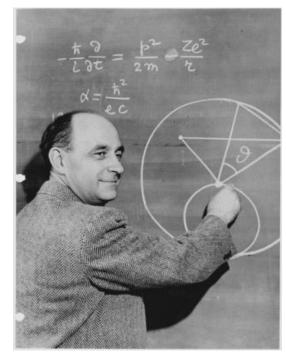


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FERMI Benefits



Ruth Hinkins, math and computing programmer . National Archives Identifier: 39147404.

- Creating governmentwide standards to foster partnerships with the private sector and support long-term innovation.
- Vendors know what Federal agencies need for ERM.
- Leverage buying power by working together.
- ERM included in shared services which alleviates burden from individual users.



Sharing Quality Services (M-19-16)



Source: M-19-16



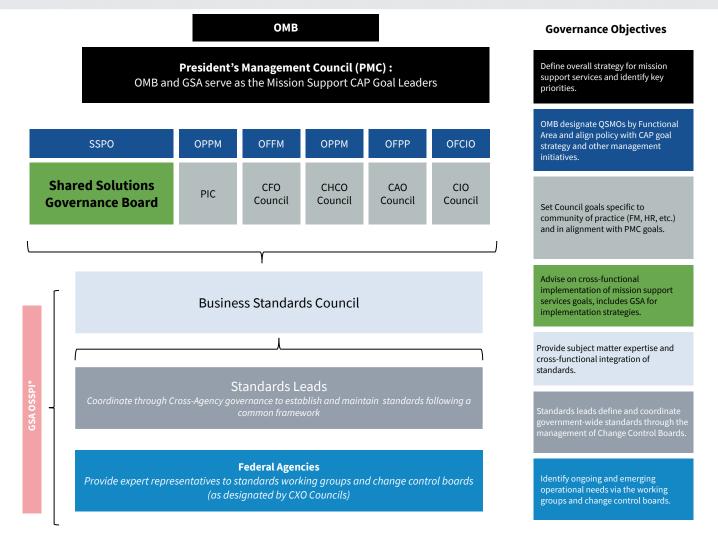
Source: ussm.gsa.gov



Source: CAP Goal 5 - SQS



Shared Services Governance and Operating Model





Universal Electronic Records Management (ERM) Requirements, Version 2

RESEARCH OUR RECORDS

VETERANS' SERVICE RECORDS

EDUCATOR RESOURCES

VISIT US

AMERICA'S FOUNDING DOCUMENTS

Federal Records Management

Home > Federal Records Management > Records Management Regulations, Policy, and Guidance > Universal Electronic Records Management (ERM) Requirements

Records Management Resources

Email Management

Records Management FAQs

Memorandums to Agency Records Officers

Federal Records Centers (FRC) Guidance and Policy for Accessioning

Records Management Policy and Guidance

Records Management Self Assessment (RMSA)

Records Management Training Electronic Records Archives

Basic Laws & Authorities Meetings & Activities

Operating Status & Schedules

View the National Archives Operating Status

Universal Electronic Records Management (ERM) Requirements



Download the Universal Electronic Records Management Requirements, Version 2 Spreadsheet

The Universal ERM Requirements identify high level business needs for managing electronic records. They are baseline ERM program requirements derived from existing statutes, standards, NARA regulations, policy, and guidance. They are a starting point for agencies to use when developing system requirements. Records management staff should work with acquisitions and IT personnel to tailor any final system requirements. The document contains a change log, abstract, list of lifecycle requirements, list of transfer format requirements, and a glossary.

NARA first released the Universal Electronic Records Management Requirements, Version 1 in August 2017. Version 2 was released in April 2020.

These requirements contain six sections based on the lifecycle of electronic records management:

- Capture
- 2. Maintenance and Use
- Disposal
- 4. Transfer
- 5. Metadata
- 6. Reporting

These requirements address born digital electronic records. The requirements are either "program" requirements, relating to the design and implementation of an agency's ERM policies and procedures, or "system" requirements, providing technical guidance to vendors in creating ERM tools and specifications for agencies to consider when procuring them. Users of this document can filter on "program" or "system" requirements as needed. This could be helpful in finding a list of requirements a system needs to manage electronic records.



Universal ERM Requirements Updates

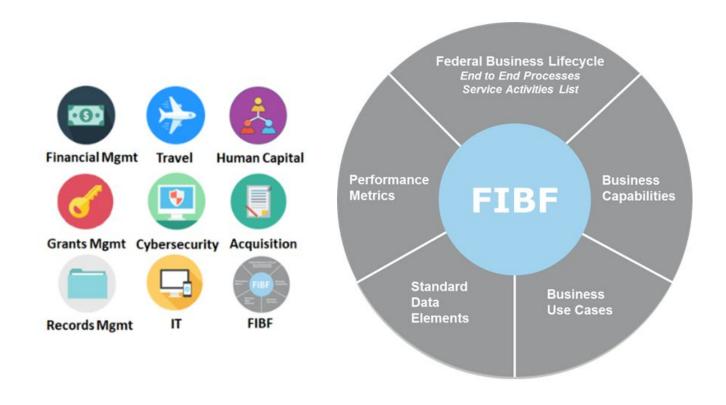


Preparing a National Bird List, 5/15/1940. National Archives Identifier: 7350922.

- Updated format definitions.
- Added Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and digital preservation requirements.
- Clarified should haves and must haves.
- Added more authoritative sources.

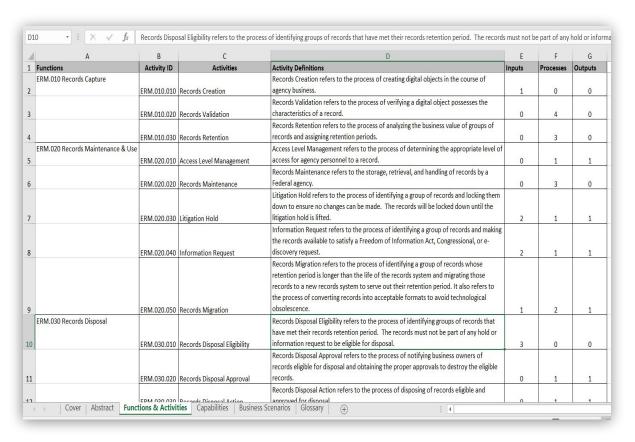


Federal Integrated Business Framework





Business Lifecycle and Capabilities



- Approved by OMB
- Based on USSM Federal Integrated Business Framework (FIBF)
- Identifies the key functions, activities, and capabilities
- Basis for use cases



Universal Use Cases



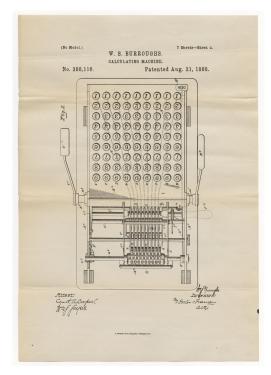
Annie Easley at worksite, 9/7/1978. National Archives Identifier: 17442357.

- Document the standard workflows.
- Identify the roles and actions for actors.
- Can be used to evaluate and demonstrate a solution's functionality.
- Currently under review by Business Standards Council



Standard Data Items

- Purpose: Provide minimum data fields systems require to support management of electronic records
- Based on inputs/outputs from the Business Capabilities and Universal Use Cases
- Derived from:
 - NARA ERA 2.0 metadata dictionary
 - Dublin Core
 - NARA's minimum metadata requirements for definition of terms



Patent Drawing for a calculating machine, 8/21/1888. National Archives Identifier: 595511.



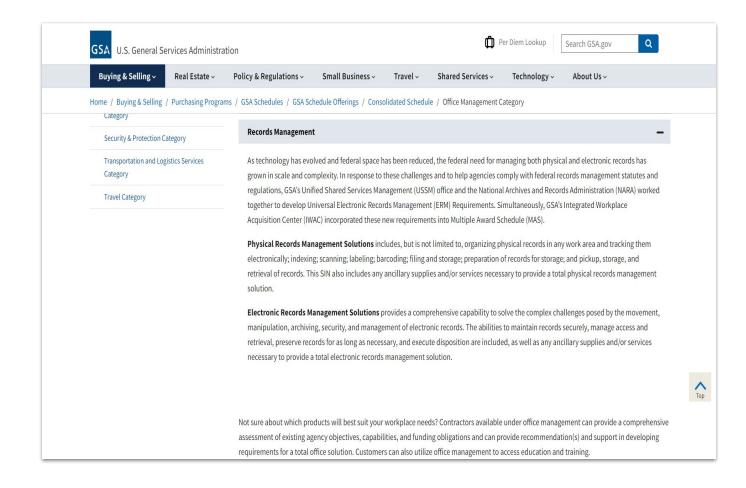
GSA/NARA Collaboration Day

- Held on August 6, 2020
- NARA presented on FERMI updates
- GSA presented on ERM service offerings, Multiple Award Schedule (MAS) updates, and the future vision for ERM SIN/category
- Two agencies shared their experiences with the SIN
- View the <u>recorded session</u>





GSA Electronic Records Management Solutions



- Physical RM Special Item Number 493110RM
- Electronic RM Special Item Number
 518210ERM



ERM Procurement Roadmap

- Template procurement documents for agencies to use when purchasing ERM services and solutions.
- Training for Records Management and Contracting staff
- Buying Guides
- Engagement with Industry
- Establishing an ERM Community to exchange ideas and implement more effective solutions



Contacts for More Information

Records Express – Official Blog

http://blogs.archives.gov/records-express/

NARA Records Management webpage

http://www.archives.gov/records-mgmt/

FERMI Website

https://www.archives.gov/records-mgmt/policy/fermi

GSA Schedule 36

recordsmanagement@gsa.gov



Switchboard, ca. 1948-2967. National Archives Identifier: 19996695.



Questions for Beth?







2018–2020 FOIA Advisory Committee Records Management Recommendations

Kirsten B. Mitchell

Designated Federal Officer, FOIA Advisory Committee, Office of Government Information Services



OGIS Updates



National Archives Identifier 45499323



FOIA Advisory Committee

FOIA Advisory Committee:

- 20 individuals from inside & outside government
- Study federal FOIA landscape
- Make recommendations to the Archivist of the United States



National Archives Identifier 26432765



Records Management Subcommittee

Records Management Subcommittee Co-Chairpersons:

- Jason R. Baron, Faegre Drinker LLP
- Ryan Law, Department of the

Treasury



National Archives Identifier 74228521





Silos:

- Federal Records Act
- Freedom of Information Act



National Archives Identifier 41089840



Include records

management-related

materials on agency websites

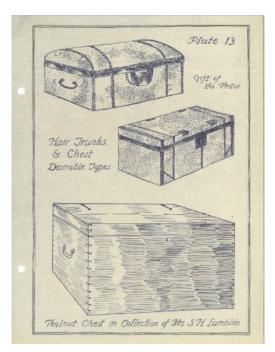
& in FOIA handbooks



National Archives Identifier 6482991



Post FOIA-released records in central repository & agency website



National Archives Identifier 40910402



Provide records management training to FOIA officers & include a FOIA module in records management training to all federal employees



National Archives Identifier 7369352

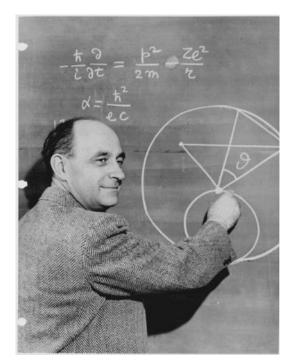


NARA incorporate public access to federal records, including via

FOIA as part of the Federal

Electronic Records Modernization

Initiative (FERMI)



National Archives Identifier 595043



NARA & OIP connect w/

Chief Data Officers Council

to ensure discussion of

federal recordkeeping &

FOIA requirements



National Archives Identifier 6438706



OIP provide guidance on the use of e-discovery tools to conduct records searches



National Archives Identifier 543740



Agencies release FOIA documents

in formats that are:

- Open
- Legible
- Machine-readable
- Machine-actionable



National Archives Identifier 558656



CIGIE cross-cutting project on how successful agencies are providing FOIA access to agency records in electronic/digital form



National Archives Identifier 27580053



Forming Partnerships

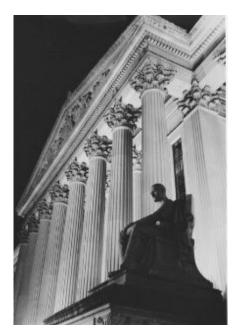


National Archives Identifier 515163



Archivist of the United States
continue leadership in ensuring
FOIA access/federal
recordkeeping policies
incorporated in federal data

strategies



National Archives Identifier 35810148



Recommendation 22

Archivist promote research into using artificial intelligence for search of government electronic records



National Archives Identifier 6011459



Questions for Kirsten?



Additional Updates: Capstone, Form NA-1005

Margaret Hawkins Director, Records Management Operations



Follow-up to February and April BRIDG Presentations





- Process for resubmission and reapproval of the forms is established: GRS Transmittal 31, May 2020.
- Form NA-1005 will be incorporated into ERA
 2.0.
- Form NA-1005 is being redesigned.



Resubmission

GRS Transmittal 31, published 4 May 2020, established guidelines for resubmission:

Type 1: Mandatory resubmission on a 4-year cycle

Beginning January 2023

Type 2: Ad-hoc submissions

- Major changes outside the mandatory resubmission cycle
- Agencies will <u>not</u> be *required* to re-submit for "minor" changes – new FAQs provide list of common minor changes that would not require an ad-hoc submission.



Why Resubmission?

- A form NA-1005 is a snapshot, reflecting an agency's organization at a specific time.
- Government agencies tend to reorganize often either with minor changes or with major reorganizations that affect senior leadership positions.
- The form NA-1005 needs to be as accurate as possible to ensure proper implementation by the agency.
- The form NA-1005 is also a tool for NARA accessioning staff accurate forms ensure smoother transfer, processing, and verification.



Why Resubmission?

Agencies requested guidance on resubmission very soon after the first forms were approved.

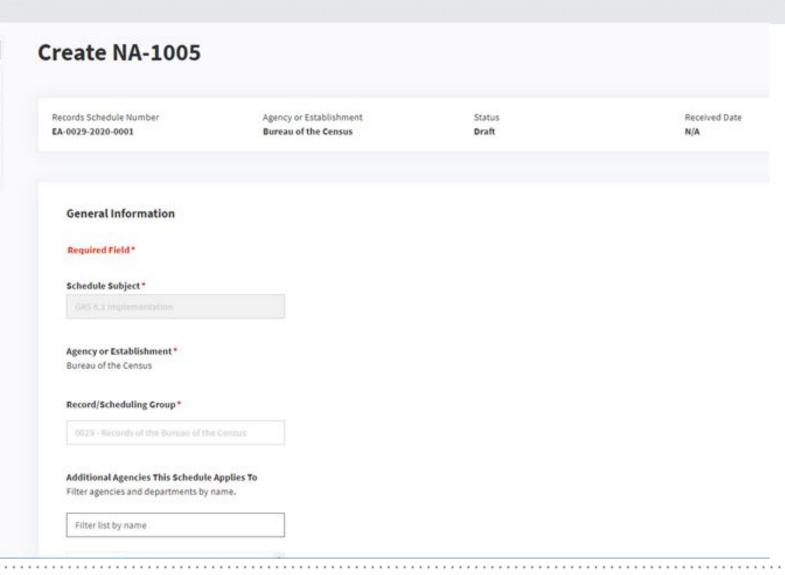
This is also supported by data collected in the 2019 Records Management Self Assessment:

- 33% of respondents reported that their current form NA-1005 no longer adequately reflects their organization;
- 16% of these are due to positions being removed from the organization;
- 15% are what the agency believes should be re-appraisals (permanent to temporary);
- 21% reported that they have new positions that need to be added.





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Attachments	
Additional Reviewers	
Preview & Submit	







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Adjutant General's Office Administration for Children and Families Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts African Development Foundation Agency for Health Care Research and	Legacy Email Scope * Agencies using this GRS are expected to apply the items being used to all legacy (existing) email. Please provide any general information on legacy en records management with a print-and-file policy was enforced prior to Capstone adoption" or "agency will be including legacy email for all items being
Is there a classified version of this form?	
Yes No Is this form superseding a previous submission?* Yes No	Do any of the Capstone officials proposed on this list have email accounts on security classified networks or systems?
GRS 6.1 Items Proposed For Use * Filter agencies and departments by name.	Po any of the Capstone officials proposed on this list have secondary or alias accounts, regardless of classification?*
Filter list by name	Yes No
☐ Item 010 ☐ Item 011	URL to Agency Organization Chart If not available online, please attach with your submission. NARA reserves the right to request additional information to facilitate review.
☐ Item 012	



• ERA will summarize total number of positions and accounts, taken from the attachment (Part B):

Category *	Number of Positions *	Number of Accounts *	
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Form NA-1005 will be incorporated into ERA 2.0.

- Part B: list of Positions. Shifting to use of Excel, and moving away from the open PDF form.
- Will be uploaded as an attachment within ERA.
- Each category from the GRS 6.1, item 010 has its own tab (categories 1 through 10).



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Three sub-categories within each GRS item 010 category:

- Active Permanent Positions, Day-Forward and Legacy.
- Permanent, Legacy Email Only.
- Removed Positions, Changed from Permanent to Temporary.

Allows uniform change statements, when applicable.



Active Permanent Positions, Day-Forward and Legacy.

- The majority of an agency's positions will likely fall into this section.
- Allows capture of any changes since the last approved submission (drop-down menu).
- Number of positions and accounts is auto-tabulated.



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B: Permanent, Legacy Email Only. There are two identified scenarios:

- Positions eliminated from the organization: there is no longer any day-forward email, but legacy email still matches the category definition, and needs to be managed as permanent.
- Positions where the duties changed, and it's no longer appropriate for the category: there is day-forward email, but it is temporary; legacy email still matches the category definition, and needs to be managed as permanent.



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CATEGORY 10) Additional roles and positions that predominantly create permanent records related to mission critical functions or policy decisions and/or are of historical significance. These represent roles, positions, and/or programs within the agency that predominantly create permanent records related to mission critical functions or policy decisions and/or are of historical significance. This category is for those roles and positions that are appropriate for permanent retention, but not captured in the other nine (9) categories.						
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C: Removed Positions, Changed from Permanent to Temporary.

- Position is re-evaluated, and was never appropriate for inclusion as permanent.
- All email, day-forward and legacy, is now temporary.
- This section facilitates review, so NARA can account for all positions on previous forms.
- This is the equivalent of a NARA re-appraisal.



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10	Category 6	24	24		
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Approval of form NA-1005 in ERA:

- Approval process similar to that of records schedules.
- No longer require SAORM approval for NARA routing.
- Approved by the CRO.



As we await launch of ERA 2.0:

- Hold off on submitting a new form for minor changes, using the new resubmission FAQs as a guide.
- If you do resubmit, use the current PDF version of the form.
- Bring any questions to your NARA Appraisal Archivist.



Questions for Maggie?



General Q&A