

## DELEGATING APPROVALS (APPROVAL PROXY)

As a Manager you have access to the HR Manager Self Service to approve your subordinate's transactions. This is automatically granted to you as a manager and you can access it through HORUS.

When delegating transactions, you are allowing a proxy to approve transactions on your behalf. You may choose to delegate your transactions for the following reasons:

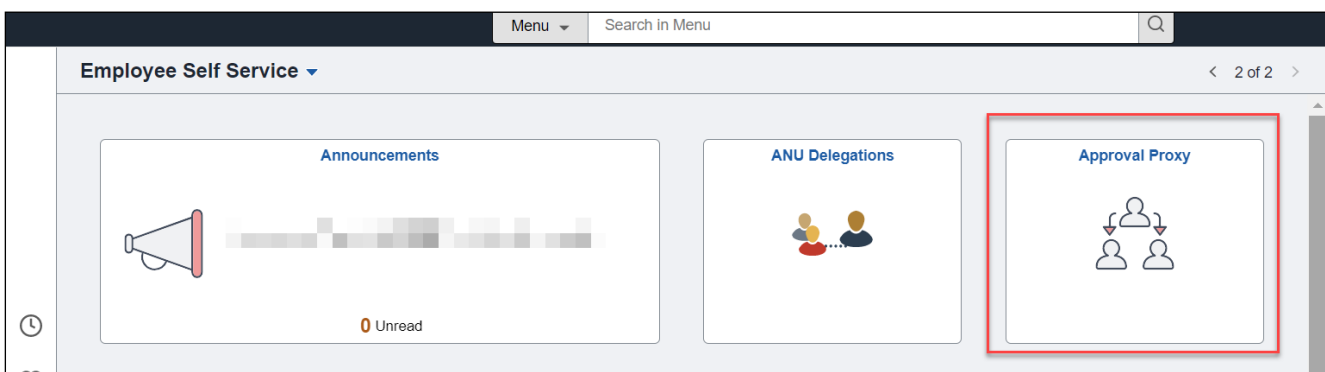
- You know that you'll be away from the office for an extended period of time, and thus won't be able to manage transactions for you or your employees. You can delegate your transactions to someone else for a specific period of time.

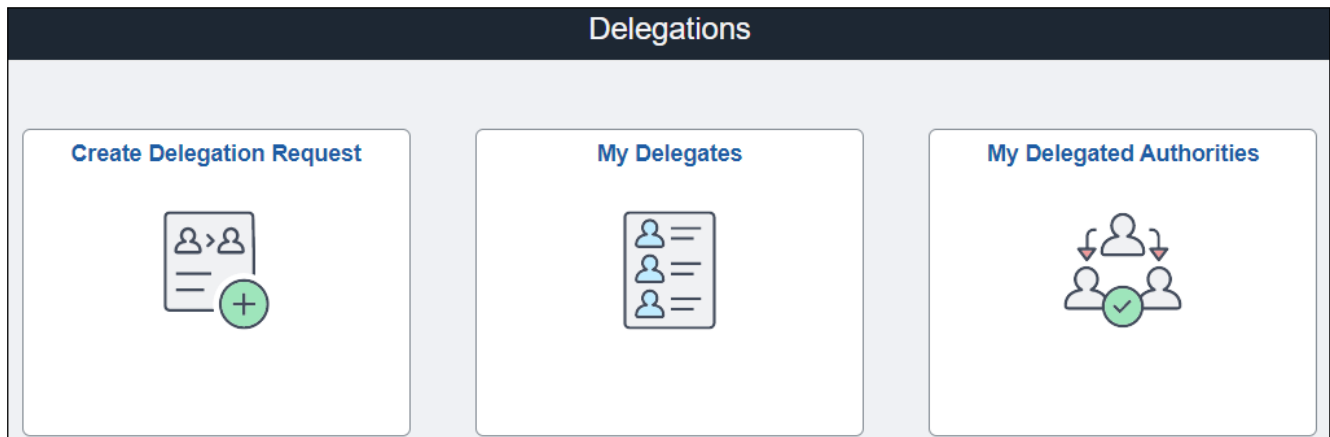
Note: The short term acting delegation form have an option to assign proxy to the acting employee as well. Further information can be found on [ANU Delegations page](#).

- You prefer to have an assistant process all of your transactions. You can delegate all of your transactions to someone else for an indefinite period of time.

There are three links on the **Approval Proxy** tile under Employee Self Service Home Page - one for each way of managing delegation:

- **Create Delegation Request** - To create a new delegation request so that your transaction(s) can be taken care of by a proxy.
- **My Delegates** - To view a list of transactions that you have delegated to proxies and to revoke the delegated authority of proxies.
- **My Delegated Authorities** - To view a list of transactions that have been delegated to you. You can either accept the request or reject the request.



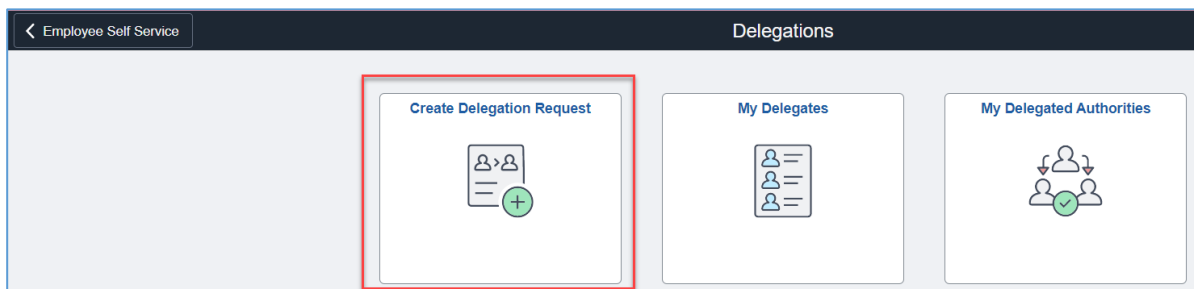


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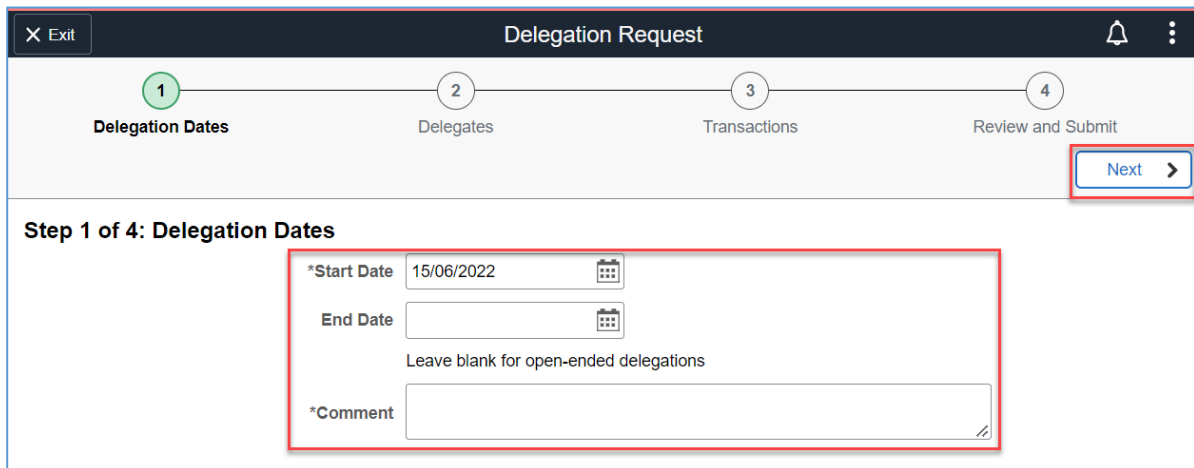
## Creating a new delegation authority

1. Navigation: **Employee Self Service > Approval Proxy > Create Delegation Request**



2. Nominate the Start and End dates for the approval proxy, enter a Comment, select the **Next** button.

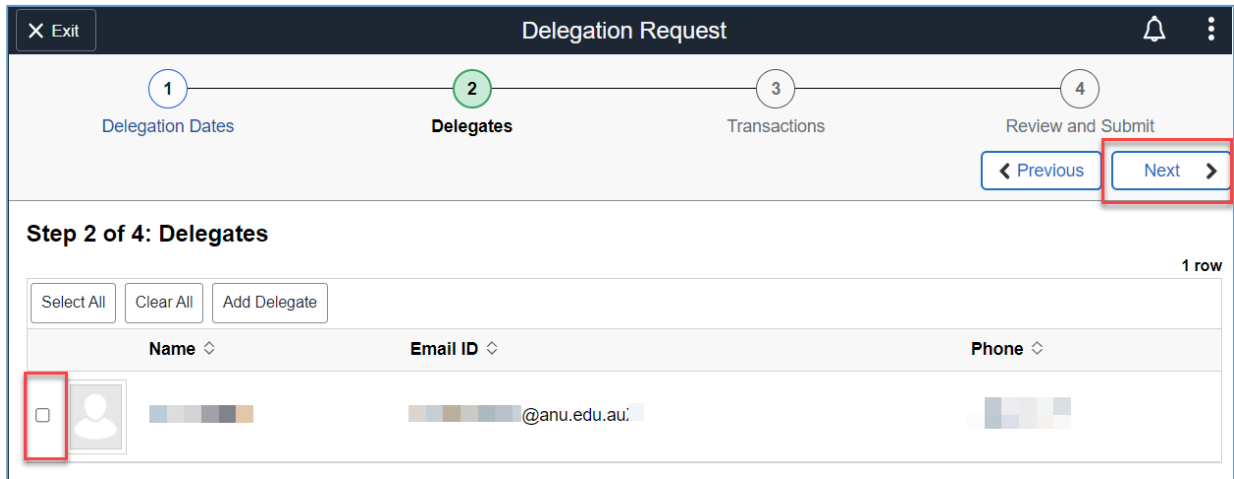
Note: For ongoing delegation leave the end date blank.



The screenshot shows the 'Delegation Request' form with a progress bar at the top indicating four steps: 1. Delegation Dates, 2. Delegates, 3. Transactions, and 4. Review and Submit. The 'Next' button is highlighted with a red box. Below the progress bar, the 'Step 1 of 4: Delegation Dates' section is highlighted with a red box, containing the following fields:

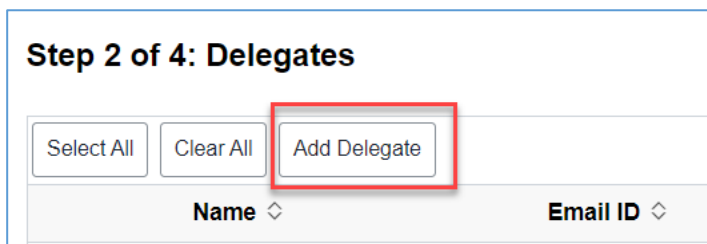
- \*Start Date: 15/06/2022
- End Date: (blank)
- Leave blank for open-ended delegations
- \*Comment: (text area)


3. Select the individual you wish to act as your proxy, select the [Next](#) button.

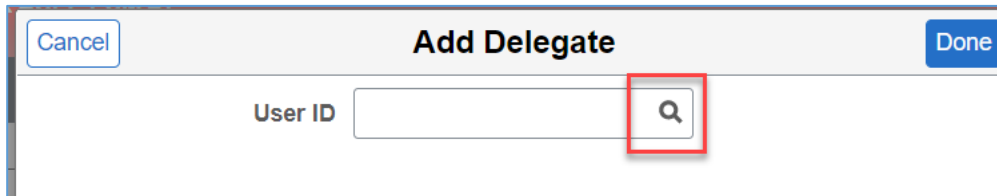


If the person doesn't appear here follow the steps below, otherwise go to step 9.

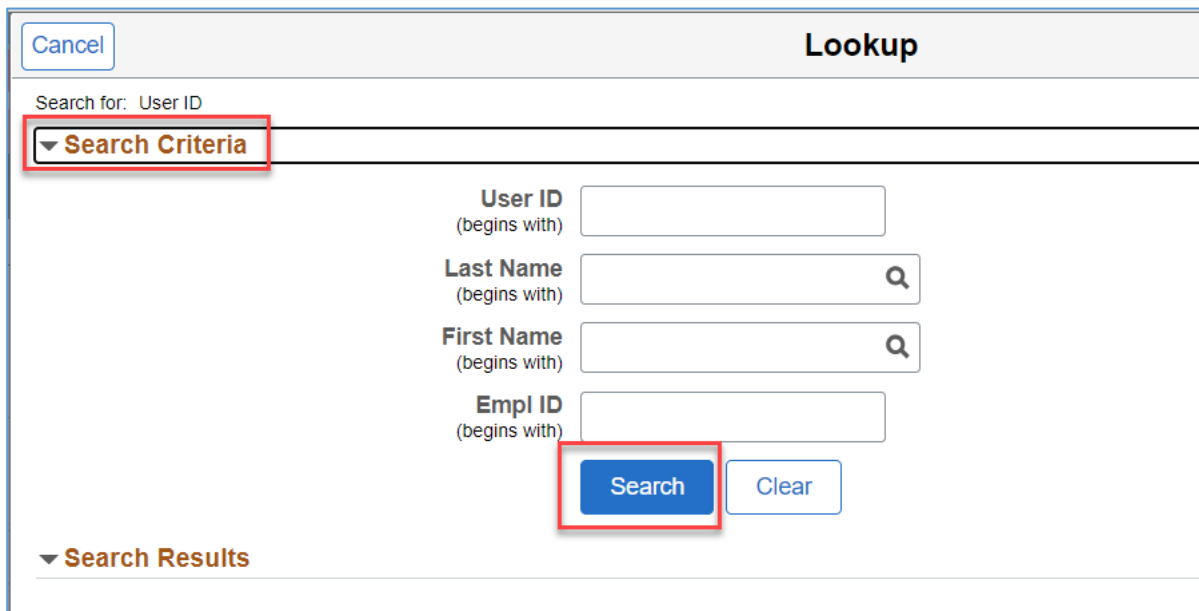
4. OR, if the person does not appear here, click the [Add Delegate](#) button.



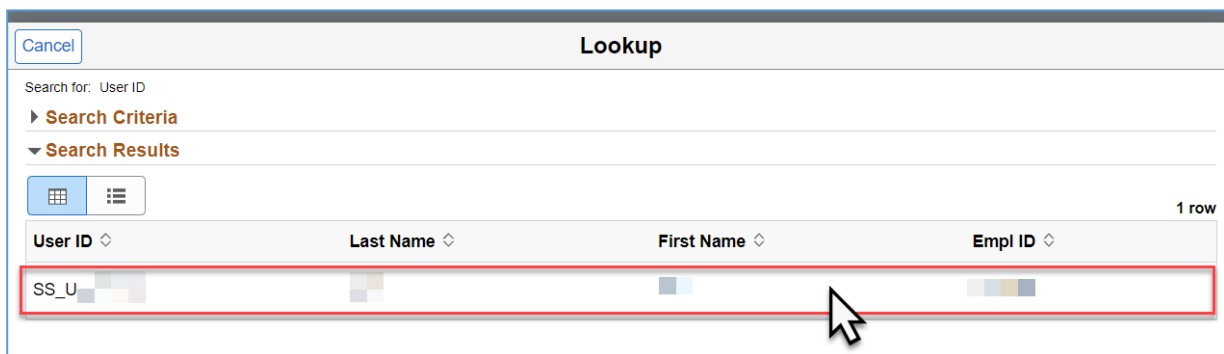
5. The Search page displays. Click on the magnifying glass  to search for employee.



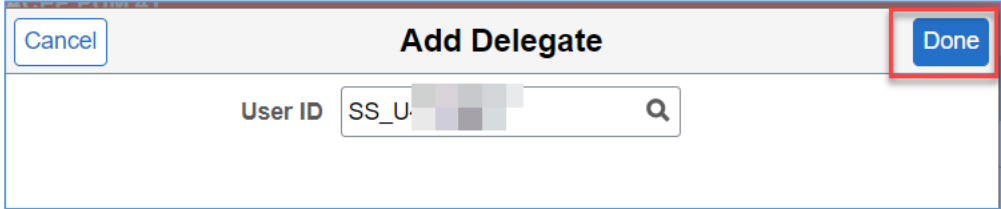
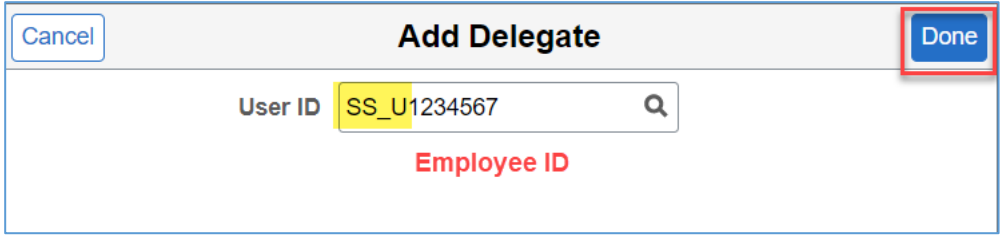
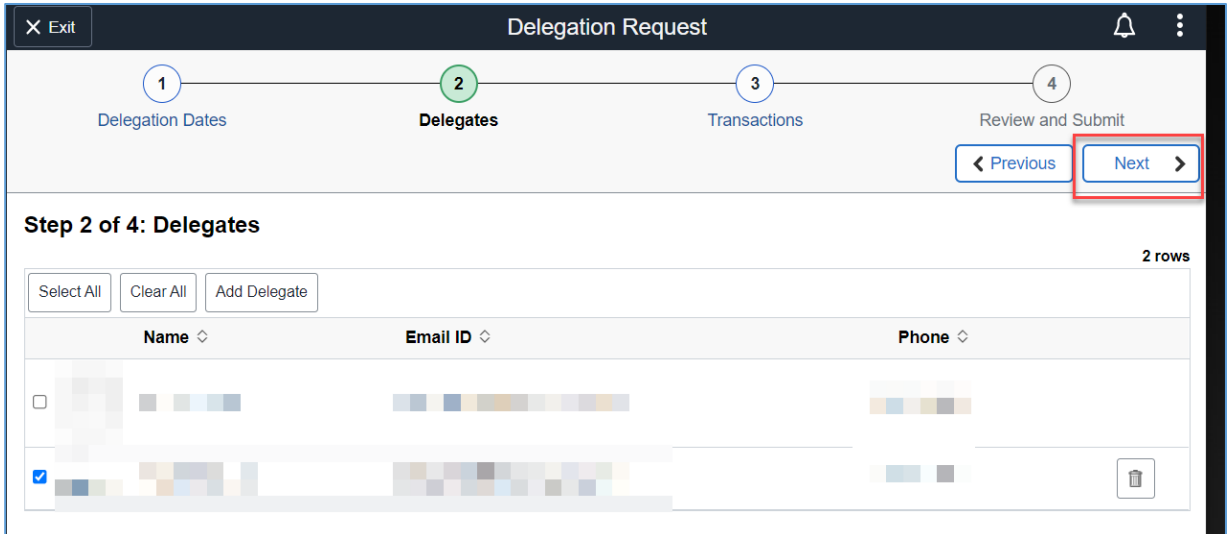
Expand the Search Criteria field. Enter the Parameters to search for the person and Click the Search button.



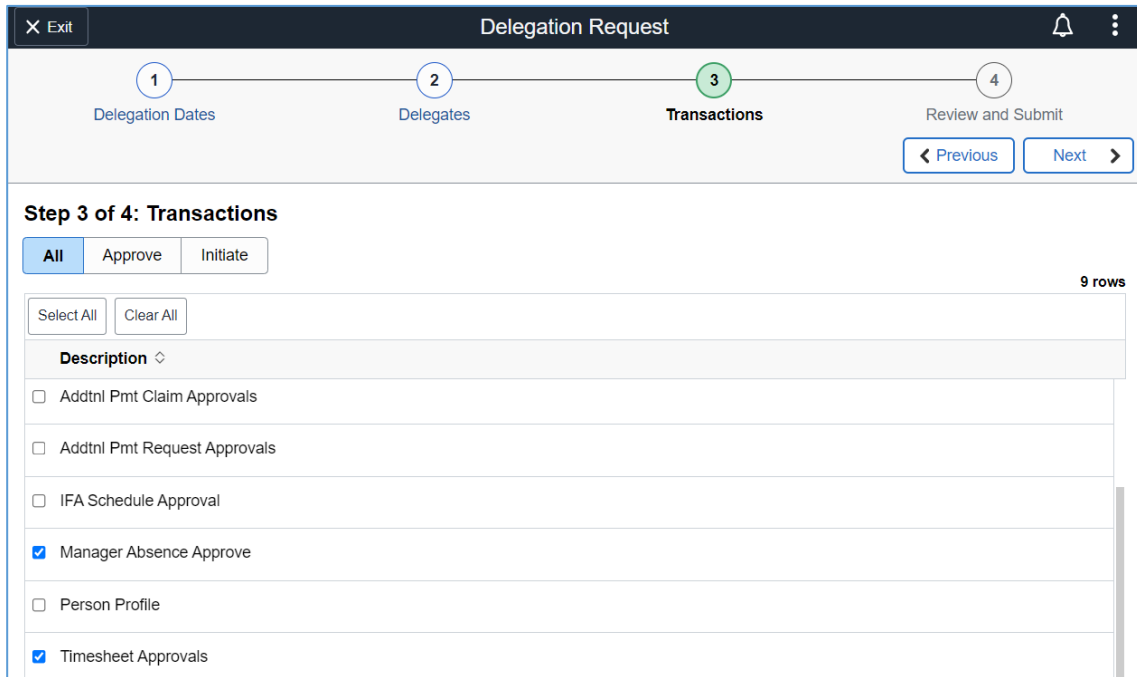
The search results are returned. Select the individual you wish to act as your proxy. Click the Done button.



User ID	Last Name	First Name	Empl ID
SS_U			

	
<p>6.</p>	<p>Alternatively, Enter “SS_U” plus the UniID of the proxy in the User ID field.</p> 
<p>7.</p>	<p>Click on the Next button.</p> 

8. Select the transaction you wish to delegate, click the Next button.



**Step 3 of 4: Transactions**

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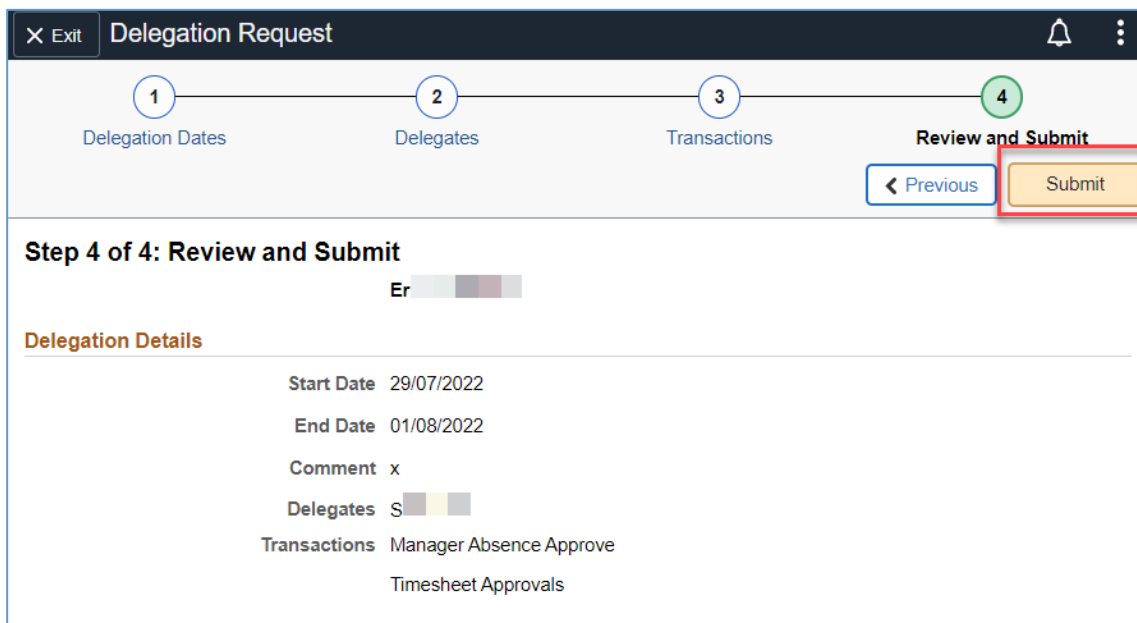
Select All Clear All 9 rows

Description ▾

- Addtl Pmt Claim Approvals
- Addtl Pmt Request Approvals
- IFA Schedule Approval
- Manager Absence Approve
- Person Profile
- Timesheet Approvals

< Previous Next >

9. Click the Submit button.



**Step 4 of 4: Review and Submit**

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**Delegation Details**

Start Date 29/07/2022

End Date 01/08/2022

Comment x

Delegates S ██████████

Transactions Manager Absence Approve  
Timesheet Approvals

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10. The Delegation Request Successfully Submitted message appears.

The selected person will receive an email with a link to accept the proxy. The proxy will need to accept the pending delegation request in order for it to become active.

**End of Procedure.**

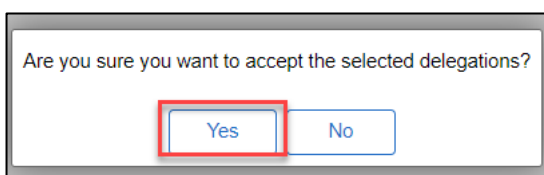
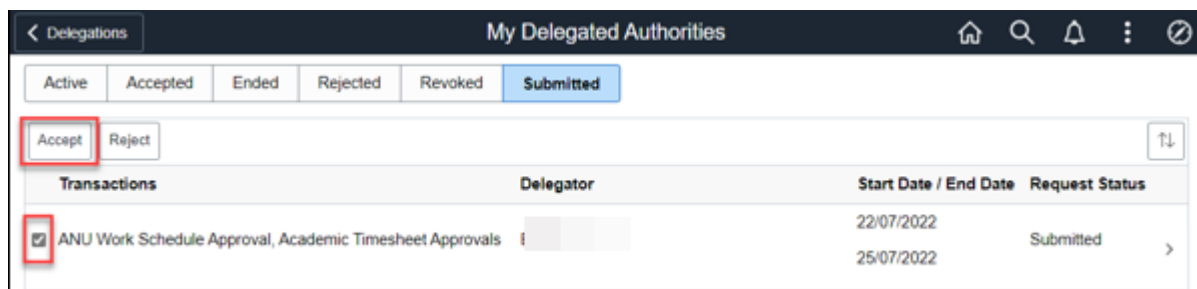
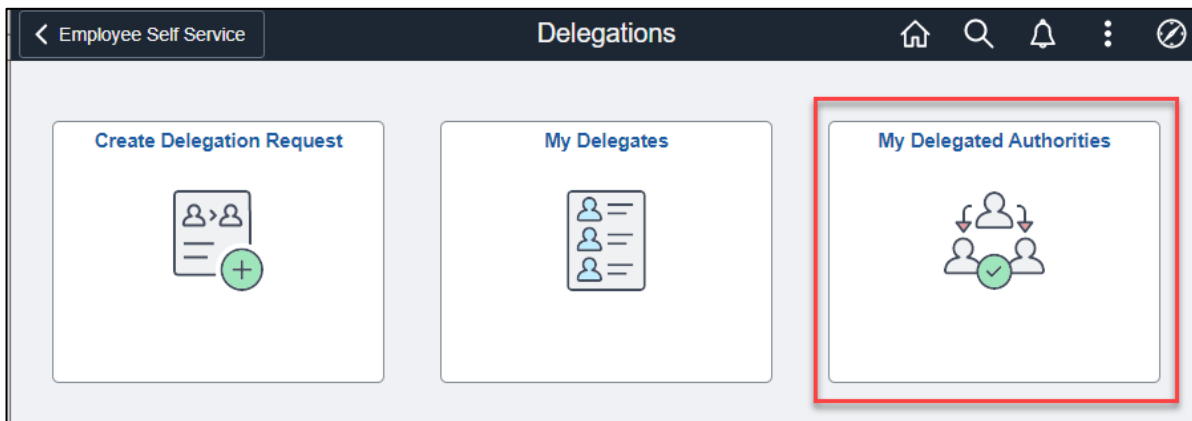
## Accepting approval proxy request

- When submitted, the selected person will receive an email with a link to accept the proxy. The proxy will need to accept the pending delegation request in order for it to become active.

### Proxy accepts delegation request:

Option 1:

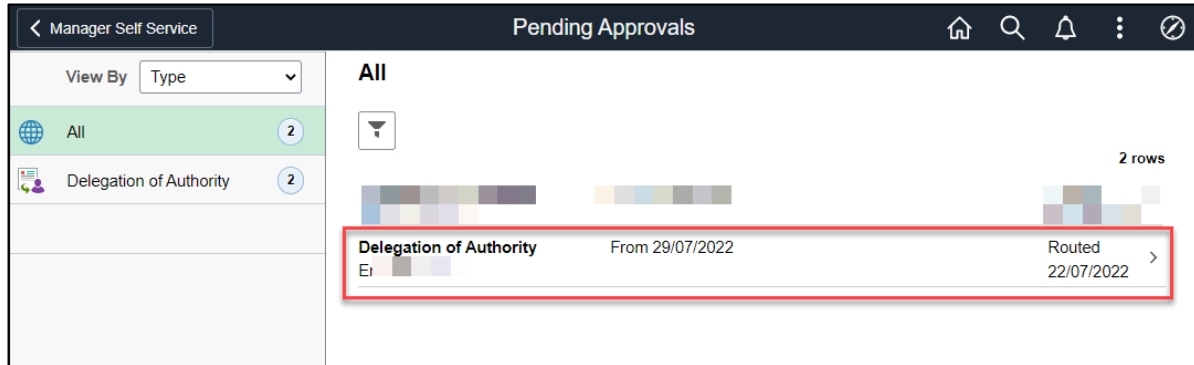
Navigation: **Employee Self Service > Approval Proxy > My Delegated Authorities**



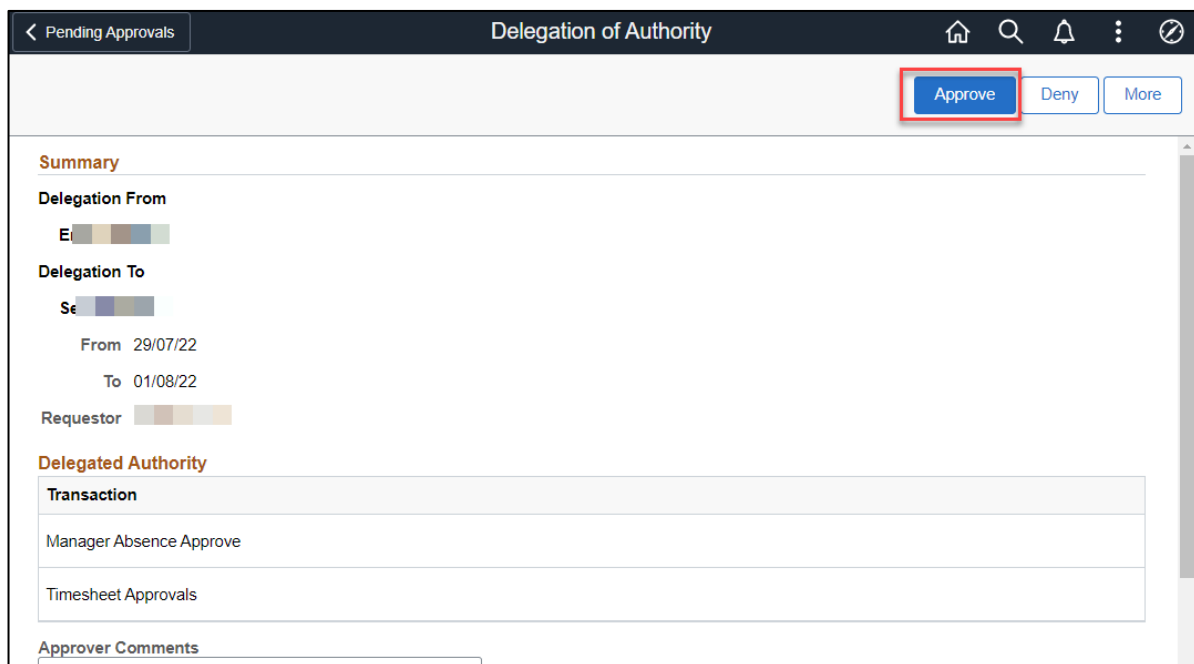


Option 2 (for user with Manager Self Service):

Navigation: **Manager Self Service > Approvals > Delegation of Authority**



The screenshot shows the 'Pending Approvals' interface. On the left, there is a sidebar with 'View By' set to 'Type'. Underneath, there are two categories: 'All' (with a count of 2) and 'Delegation of Authority' (with a count of 2). The main area displays a list of approvals. A red box highlights a specific approval: 'Delegation of Authority' from 29/07/2022, with a status of 'Routed' on 22/07/2022.



The screenshot shows the 'Delegation of Authority' detail page. At the top right, there are three buttons: 'Approve' (highlighted with a red box), 'Deny', and 'More'. Below the buttons is a 'Summary' section with the following details:

- Delegation From:** [User Avatar]
- Delegation To:** [User Avatar]
- From:** 29/07/22
- To:** 01/08/22
- Requestor:** [User Avatar]

Below the summary is the 'Delegated Authority' section, which includes a table of transactions:

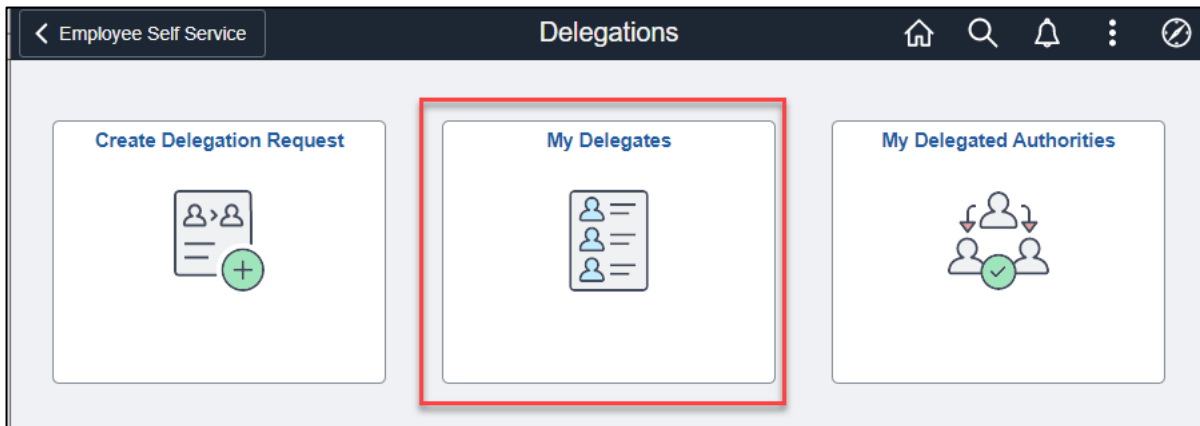
Transaction
Manager Absence Approve
Timesheet Approvals

At the bottom, there is a section for 'Approver Comments'.

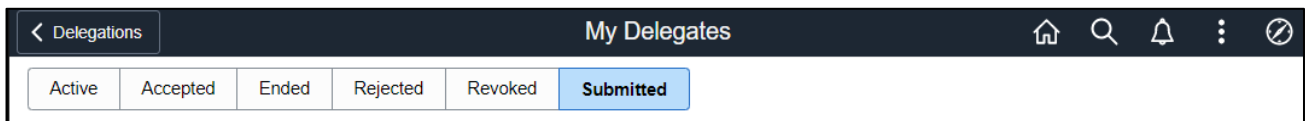
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## Reviewing your list of proxies

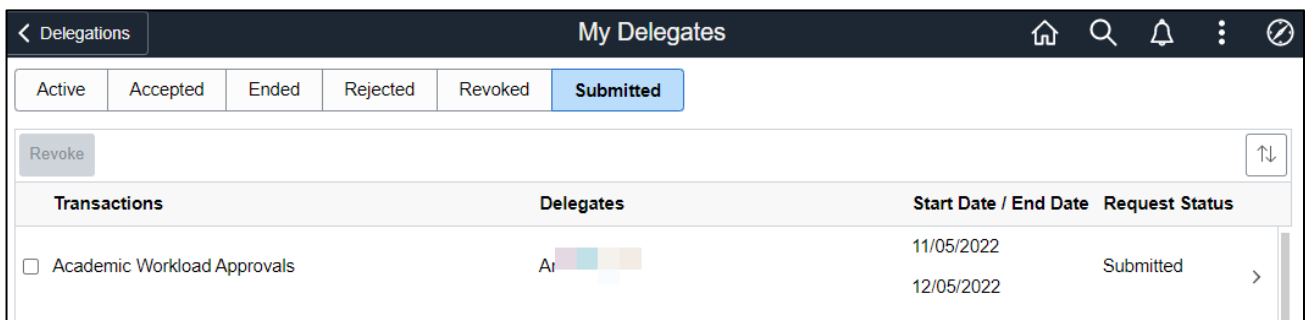
1. Navigation: **Employee Self Service > Approval Proxy > My Delegates**



2. Click the different request status.



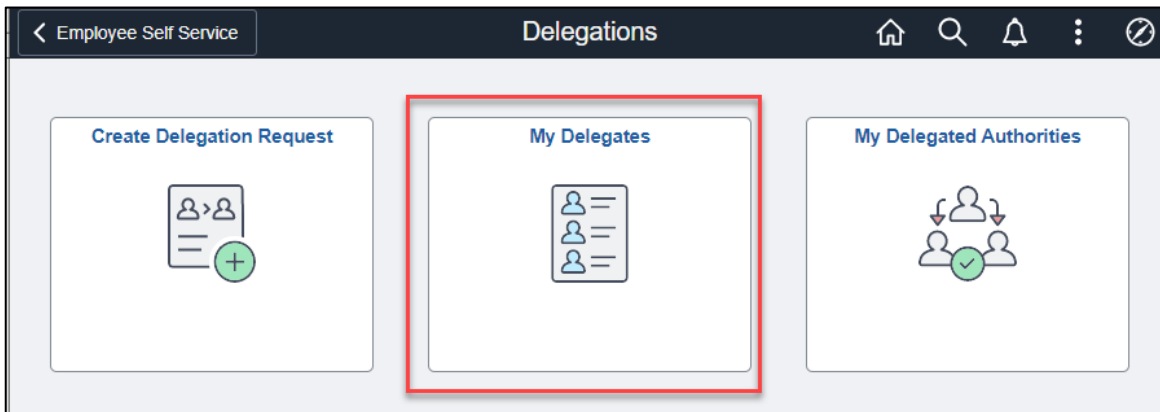
3. A list of your delegations will be displayed.



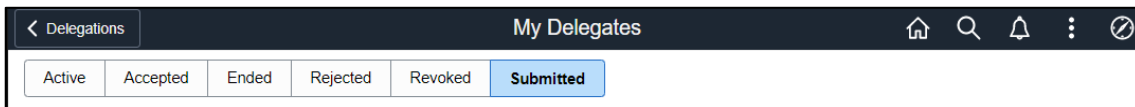
**End of Procedure.**

## Revoking an Approval Proxy

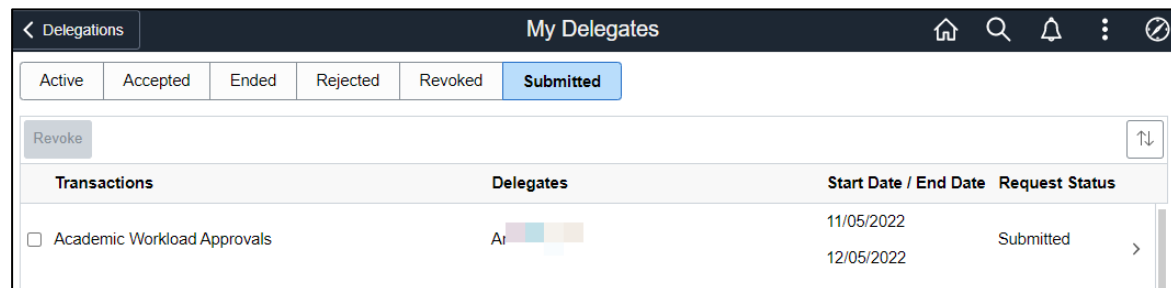
1. Navigation: **Employee Self Service > Approval Proxy > My Delegates**



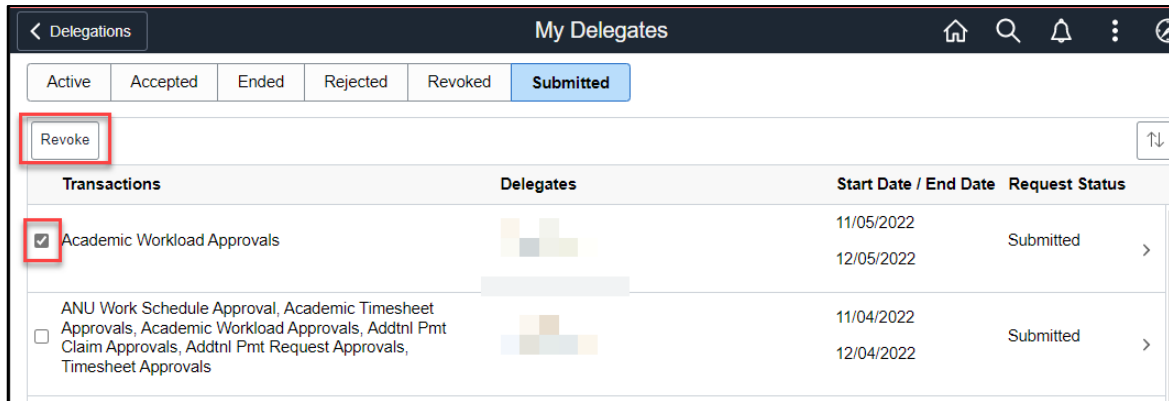
2. Click the different request status.



3. A list of your delegations will be displayed.



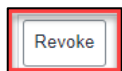
4. Select the Checkbox corresponding to the Delegation you wish to Revoke.



The screenshot shows the 'My Delegates' page with a navigation bar at the top containing 'Active', 'Accepted', 'Ended', 'Rejected', 'Revoked', and 'Submitted' tabs. A 'Revoke' button is highlighted with a red box. Below the tabs is a table with columns: Transactions, Delegates, Start Date / End Date, and Request Status. The first row is 'Academic Workload Approvals' with a checked checkbox. The second row is 'ANU Work Schedule Approval, Academic Timesheet Approvals, Academic Workload Approvals, Addtnl Pmt Claim Approvals, Addtnl Pmt Request Approvals, Timesheet Approvals' with an unchecked checkbox.

Transactions	Delegates	Start Date / End Date	Request Status
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Academic Workload Approvals	11/05/2022 12/05/2022	Submitted
<input type="checkbox"/>	ANU Work Schedule Approval, Academic Timesheet Approvals, Academic Workload Approvals, Addtnl Pmt Claim Approvals, Addtnl Pmt Request Approvals, Timesheet Approvals	11/04/2022 12/04/2022	Submitted

5. Click the Revoke button



6. The Revoke Delegation confirmation page appears.

Are you sure you want to revoke the selected delegations?

7. Click the Yes button to continue with the revocation.



**End of Procedure.**

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## Frequently Asked Questions

### **Who can I delegate transactions to?**

Just about anyone. The other person does not have to be a manager, and they don't have to report to you.

### **What happens when I delegate Approval authority to someone?**

When you delegate Approval authority to a proxy, this person can act on your behalf to approve pending transactions. The proxy will be notified of pending transactions (just as you are), and can execute the approval. In the event that the transaction must go up another level in the organization hierarchy, the next level approver(s) will be determined based upon your position in the hierarchy - not the proxy's.

### **How do I specify a window of time for delegating transactions?**

When you create a delegation request, you'll need to specify From Date and To Date. A blank To Date indicates that the delegation is in effect indefinitely. A populated From Date indicates that the delegation is in effect from that date forward, until the To Date (if the To Date is populated).

### **Can I remove myself as a delegate for someone else?**

When you receive a delegation request, you may reject the request. However, after you accept the request, you have to contact either your delegator or HR team to revoke the request.