ACCOUNT CLERK JOB CLASSIFICATION FACTORS FOR TOPS UAW LOCAL 1950

(Note: Higher level classifications responsible to perform duties of a lower level classification)

Job Factors	4D	4C	4B	4A
Level of Constituent Supported	Typically works in a setting with other clerical employees who provide guidance	Typically works in a setting with other clerical employees	 Support management for a specific function Supports one or two processes 	 Works independently to support management at the department head level or above for a specific function Supports multiple processes Supports intra-department teams to meet project goals/outcomes
Supervision	No or minimal supervisory responsibilities (may assist in supervising student staff)	Supervises student and/or temporary staff	 Provides minimal functional guidance to clerical employee(s) Hires, trains and supervises student staff 	Provides daily functional guidance to clerical employee(s)
Decision Making/ Independent Action	Little or no independent action required beyond well-defined protocol Decisions and actions have minimal adverse impact on departmental operations Receives direct supervision	 Limited decision-making/ independent action under well defined protocol or criteria Decisions and actions adversely affect departmental short-term objectives 	Uses independent judgment/ decision-making responsibilities following University or department guidelines Decisions and actions can adversely affect departmental medium- or long- term objectives	 Uses independent judgment/decision-making to resolve unanticipated or non-recurring issues Decisions and actions can have significant adverse impact on the University with external constituents (beyond students and parents)
Budgetary Responsibilities	Processes basic budget/financial actions	Processes more advanced budget/ financial actions	Processes complex budget/ financial actions	Actively monitors budget/financial expenditures and provides recommendations for cost control or budgetary decisions
Office Administration/ Operations	 Basic knowledge of departmental operations (operates office equipment; maintains files; document and form preparation) Performs basic accounting tasks Updates accounts Assists in compiling data for the preparation of financial statements and reports 	 Basic knowledge and applied expertise related to departmental operations (operates and maintains office equipment; establishes and maintains files; document and form preparation) Performs more advanced accounting tasks Records and summarizes financial/accounting data Checks figures, postings and documents for correct entry, proper codes and mathematical accuracy Prepares invoices and financial, 	 Responsible for office administration (operates, maintains and troubleshoots office equipment; establishes and maintains complex filling systems and files; document and form creation) Performs complex accounting and spreadsheet work Records, maintains and analyzes financial/accounting data Accounts for cash, checks and credit card payments, processes deposits and reconciles expenditures and payments 	 Responsible for effective functioning of all aspects of office administration/ operations as described in lower-level classifications Reviews and balances complex calculations and verifies accuracy of data Creates budget and financial reports for decision making purposes Broad cross-functional knowledge of inter-department operations

		accounting or statistical reports using a single source of information	 Prepares a variety of financial, accounting, statistical and auditing reports utilizing multiple sources of information Broad functional expertise related to department operations 	
Policy and Procedure Application	Basic awareness of department policies and procedures	 Basic awareness of department and University policies and procedures Trains students on policies and/or procedures 	 Thorough understanding of department and University policies and procedures Provides input on operational functions and procedures Provides training to faculty/staff or others on University and/or department policies and/or procedures 	 Extensive understanding of department and University policies and procedures with an expectation to initiate recommendations/ improvements Regularly conducts training on policies and/or procedures beyond department personnel
Involvement in Continuous Improvement/ Initiatives	Limited involvement in the continuous improvement of department processes	Some level of involvement in the continuous improvement of processes including inter/intra- departmental recommendations	Involvement in continuous improvement of processes including inter/intra-departmental recommendations (i.e. technology implementation)	Involvement in campus-wide initiatives and activities intended to improve campus operations, community involvement and/or student life
Customer Service	Greets customers, helps provide direction or contact to others in department for problem resolution	Provides guidance for problem solving and resolves common, straightforward issues for internal customers	Resolves problems/issues by providing solutions for internal customers Address issues of medium complexity	Exercises broad latitude to independently resolve problems/issues for internal and external customers Addresses issues of higher complexity

The minimum qualifications of the position are based upon the level of the position

Minimum Qualification (Work Experience)	 Entry-level position requiring little or no work experience Ability to efficiently perform basic computerized tasks High School Degree/GED 	One year office experience with primary duties in accounting Ability to efficiently perform computerized tasks	Three years of progressive office experience with primary duties in accounting Ability to efficiently perform more advanced computerized tasks	Five years of progressive office experience with primary duties in accounting Ability to efficiently perform complex computerized tasks Supports department accounting operations Independent creation/monitoring/oversight of the functioning of a process
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The relevant education listed for the specific level can be selected in lieu of work experience but not in addition to work experience. If you select the education listed below for the appropriate level of the position, the minimum qualification is work experience or education.

Minimum	One year of coursework leading to an	Associate's Degree or two years	Bachelor's Degree
Qualification	Associate's Degree	coursework leading to a Bachelor's	
(Education)	-	Degree	