

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE & TRAVEL COST COMPARISON

Purpose

Travel related to expenses that are ordinary, reasonable, not extravagant, and necessary to conduct official University business are eligible for reimbursement. Use when a cost comparison is needed: 1. Mileage vs Flight/Rail 2. Personal Days on Business Travel-Domestic

Traveler's Information		
Name of Traveler	Date(s) of Travel	
Destination	Date(s) of Conference or Event	

Reason

Personal dates included in travel

Using surface transportation (personal car, rail, etc) when air travel is more appropriate, or vice versa

Taxi or ride share instead of other public transportation fares or driving

Rental Share versa Hotel

Justification

ESTIMATED COSTS	BUSINESS ROUTE	ALTERNATE ROUTE REQUESTED
Cost of airfare		
Train fare, Tax, Shuttle, etc.		
Rental vehicle		
Lodging		
Mileage (miles multiplied by current mileage rate)		
Meals		
Parking, tolls, etc.		
Other:		
Total Estimate:		

INSTRUCTIONS:

Attach backup documentation to support all costs provided in the chart above. For personal dates, include backup using both business dates of travel and alternative dates of travel.

Attach this form to Travel Requests and Travel Expense. Reimbursement limited to the lower cost.