Simmons University Institutional Review Board

Cayuse Human Ethics User Manual



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What is Cayuse Human Ethics?

- Cayuse Human Ethics is an interactive web application for the submission and management of Human Subjects Research Projects, Performance Improvement Projects, and Classroom Projects
- Cayuse allows researchers to create, submit, edit, and amend IRB protocols in a single database while interacting with faculty advisors, co-investigators, IRB administrators, and reviewers

Logging In

- Only Simmons students, faculty, and staff will be given access to Cayuse Human Ethics
- When you enter <u>Cayuse</u> you should see the Simmons single sign on screen and enter your Simmons Username and Password
- If you are unable to access Cayuse you should fill out the Cayuse Account Request form, available on the simmons.edu/irb webpage

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- In Cayuse, you will first create a new "study"
- Under your "study" there will be "submissions" related to your study
- Your "initial submission" is your protocol
- Other submissions include modifications, incident reports, renewals, withdrawals, and closures

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Creating a new protocol in Cayuse Human Ethics, step 5 - Complete all sections

- Be sure that you have satisfied all the CITI training requirements prior to beginning your submission
- Complete all required sections as applicable to your study
- Attachments can be any format however, PDF is required for consent forms



Creating a new protocol in Cayuse Human Ethics, step 6 - Complete Submission

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Creating a new protocol in Cayuse Human Ethics, step 7 - Certify

- Submissions that have not been "Certified" will not be reviewed
- All members of the research team as well as faculty advisors must certify the submission
- The certification acts as your signature



Creating a new protocol in Cayuse Human Ethics, step 8 - Certify

Products 🔻 🔒 Kelly Gamache 🔻 Certify I confirm that I have the proper training, expertise and resources to conduct this study. I understand and accept my responsibilities as the Principal Investigator and Primary Contact for this study. I confirm that I have no significant financial conflict of interest in this project or have disclosed a conflict per institutional policies and federal requirements. I confirm that the information provided in this application is true, complete, and accurate to the best of my knowledge; that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent statements or claims may subject me to criminal, civil, or administrative penalties; and agree to accept responsibility for the oversight and scientific conduct of the project. After reading the Confirm Cance certification agreement, select "Confirm"

Checking the status of your protocol

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- On your dashboard you will see "My Studies" and "My Tasks"
- Selecting a study from "My Studies" will bring you to the Study Details page, where you can select "Submissions" and see the status of a particular submission
 - The study pictured here has an Initial Submission that is under pre-review, meaning it is with the IRB administrator and not yet with a reviewer
- If the status of a submission is depending on you, the researcher, you will see what is required of you under "My Tasks"
 - Tasks may include completing or certifying a submission

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Making changes to a submitted protocol

- The reviewer or the IRB administrator may ask you to make changes to your protocol after it has been submitted
- When this happens, the submission will be labeled "reopened"
- The reviewer may include their requested edits under "research notes" in an email and/or add comments throughout your initial submission
- The submission will be returned to you, as indicated in the email, and you will see the study listed under "My Tasks" on your dashboard
- When you enter the Initial Submission, you will be able to see where comments were made

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Responding to comments and making edits

- The reviewer may add comments that request your feedback
- Click on the comment and select "reply" to respond to the comment
- You should then make any necessary changes to your protocol, save and complete the submission, and certify your changes to send the protocol back to the reviewer



Comparing revisions

- There is no need to tell the reviewer exactly what changes you made
- The reviewer will be able to compare your first submission to the revised submission



Creating new submissions

- Once an Initial Submission is approved, you will be able to create other submissions such as Renewal, Modification, Incident, and Closure
- These options are available under "New Submission" within Study Details



Creating and submitting a modification

- Select "modification" under "New Submission" in Study Details and then select "Complete Submission"
- You will be brought to a submission template that contains your initial submission
- State that you would like to make changes and explain your justification for those changes
- You should then edit your protocol to reflect the changes you are making to your project
- Similar to making revisions to your initial submission, there is no need to tell the reviewer where you made changes, they will be able to compare the versions



Creating and submitting a modification

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Review of a modification

- The reviewer will be able to see a comparison to the original submission and the modified submission
- Just like an Initial Submission, the reviewer may send the modification back to you and ask for revisions or have comments and request your feedback



Modification Approval

- When your modification, as well with other types of submissions, is approved, you will see it listed as Approved under "submissions" in the Study Details
- You will also receive an email indicating your submission was approved

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Submitting an Incident Report

- Similar to submitting a modification, you will select "Incident" under "New Submission" in Study Details
- You will select "Complete Submission" under "Required Tasks" and complete the Incident Template
- As with other submissions, you will be asked to Certify the submission under "submission details"



Submitting a Renewal

- You will select "Renewal" under "New Submission" in Study Details
- You will select "Complete Submission" under "Required Tasks" and complete the Renewal template
- As with other submissions, you will be asked to Certify the submission under "submission details"



Submitting a Closure

- You will select "Closure" under "New Submission" in Study Details
- You will select "Complete Submission" under "Required Tasks" and complete the Closure template
- As with other submissions, you will be asked to Certify the submission under "submission details"
- You will receive an email confirmation that your study has been closed



Where to find your documents

- Attachments that have been added as part of any submission such as consent forms, study tools, survey instruments, etc. can be found in your submission details under "attachments"
- Here, you will be able to download these attachments
- Faculty Advisors and Co-Investigators will have access to these documents as well
- Approval letters will be emailed and can also be found in the submission details

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Still have questions?

- For questions and problems related to logging in or the content of your protocol please email <u>irbprotocols@simmons.edu</u>
- For questions and problems related to the Cayuse interface please create an account with the <u>Cayuse Help Center</u> and submit your question or problem to a Cayuse representative