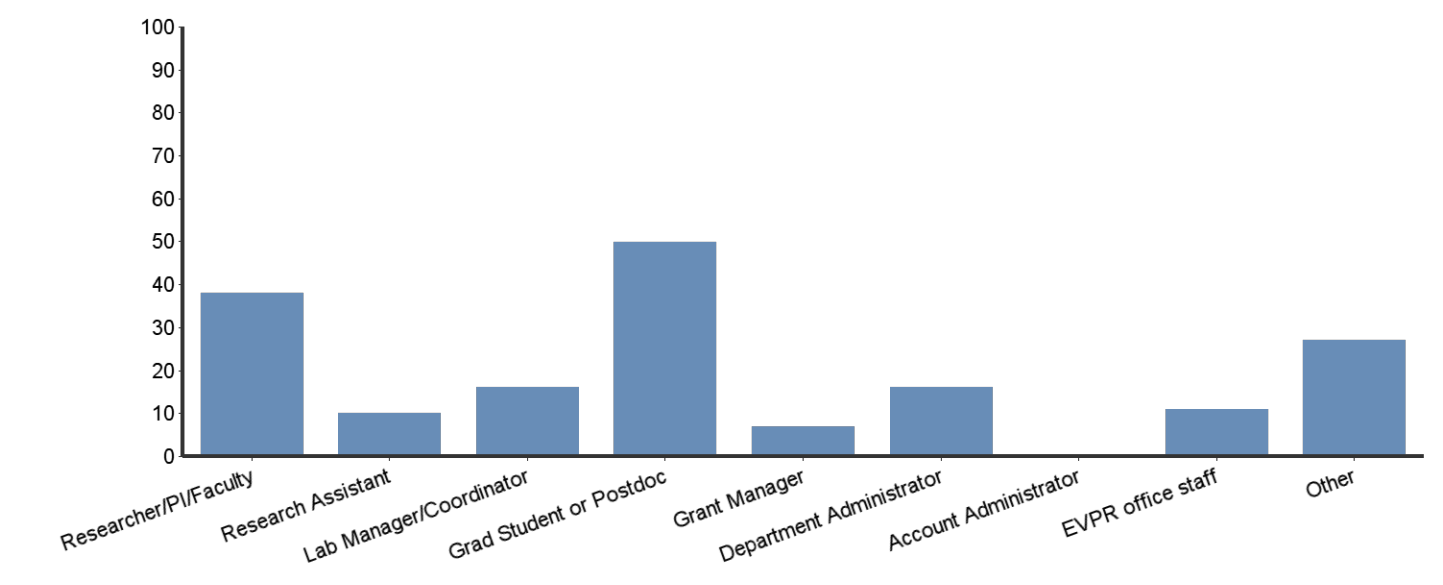


What is your role?



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Researcher/PI/Faculty		38	21.71%
2	Research Assistant		10	5.71%
3	Lab Manager/Coordinator		16	9.14%
4	Grad Student or Postdoc		50	28.57%
5	Grant Manager		7	4.00%
6	Department Administrator		16	9.14%
7	Account Administrator		0	0.00%
8	EVPR office staff		11	6.29%
9	Other		27	15.43%
	Total		175	100.00%

Min Value	Max Value	Average Value	Variance	Standard Deviation	Total Responses	Total Respondents
1	9	4.39	7.43	2.73	175	175

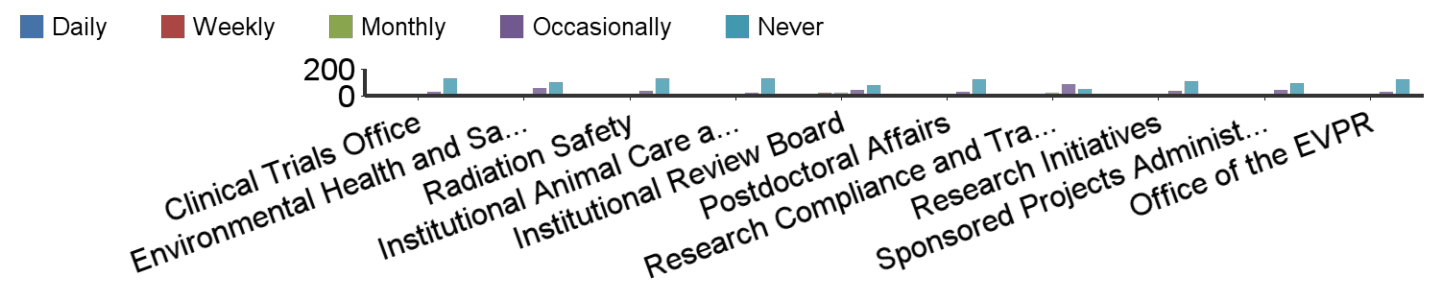
If "Other", please enter your role:

& Admin Administration Affairs Analyst Associate Business Central Clinical Communications
Coordinator Data Director Ehs Finance Institute Level Libraries
Manager Nurse Officer Program Project Research School
Science Senior Spa Special Sponsored Staff Statistician Strategic Student Study

Text Entry
EHS staff
Staff Data Science Institute
Research Administrator (Central Admin)
Strategic Communications
Central Administration
Sponsored Projects Officer
Study Coordinator
Senior Staff Associate
SPA
Business Manager & Student Affairs Coordinator
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Statistic	Value
Respondents	25

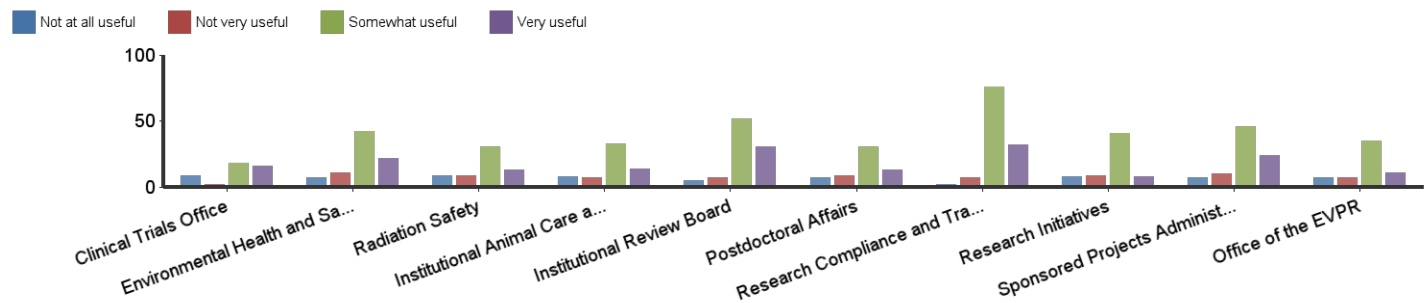
How often did you visit the following EVPR websites in the last three months?



#	Question	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Occasionally	Never	Response	Average Value
1	Clinical Trials Office	4	1	4	28	131	168	4.67
2	Environmental Health and Safety	3	6	4	57	100	170	4.44
3	Radiation Safety	2	1	5	33	128	169	4.68
4	Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee	1	8	8	24	128	169	4.60
5	Institutional Review Board	7	20	19	43	82	171	4.01
6	Postdoctoral Affairs	-	7	9	30	121	167	4.59
7	Research Compliance and Training	1	10	23	89	50	173	4.02
8	Research Initiatives	-	7	17	37	109	170	4.46
9	Sponsored Projects Administration	7	13	15	45	93	173	4.18
10	Office of the EVPR	1	4	11	31	122	169	4.59

Statistic	Clinical Trials Office	Environmental Health and Safety	Radiation Safety	Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee	Institutional Review Board	Postdoctoral Affairs	Research Compliance and Training	Research Initiative
Min Value	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	
Max Value	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	
Mean	4.67	4.44	4.68	4.6	4.01	4.59	4.02	4.4
Variance	0.59	0.72	0.46	0.69	1.44	0.61	0.71	0
Standard Deviation	0.77	0.85	0.68	0.83	1.2	0.78	0.84	0.8
Total Responses	168	170	169	169	171	167	173	17
Total Respondents	168	170	169	169	171	167	173	17

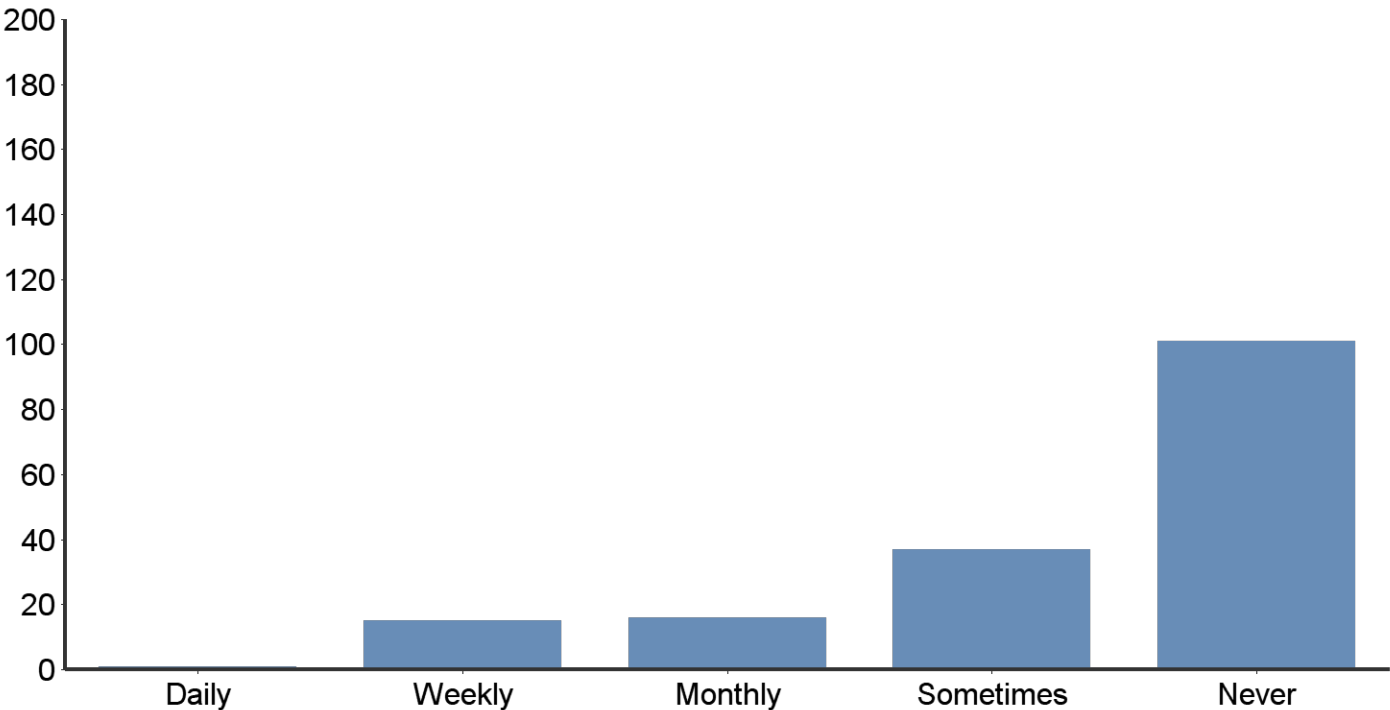
Is the information on each website useful?



#	Question	Not at all useful	Not very useful	Somewhat useful	Very useful	Response	Average Value
1	Clinical Trials Office	9	2	18	16	45	2.91
2	Environmental Health and Safety	7	11	42	22	82	2.96
3	Radiation Safety	9	9	31	13	62	2.77
4	Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee	8	7	33	14	62	2.85
5	Institutional Review Board	5	7	52	31	95	3.15
6	Postdoctoral Affairs	7	9	31	13	60	2.83
7	Research Compliance and Training	2	7	76	32	117	3.18
8	Research Initiatives	8	9	41	8	66	2.74
9	Sponsored Projects Administration	7	10	46	24	87	3.00
10	Office of the EVPR	7	7	35	11	60	2.83

Statistic	Clinical Trials Office	Environmental Health and Safety	Radiation Safety	Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee	Institutional Review Board	Postdoctoral Affairs	Research Compliance and Training	Research Initiatives
Min Value	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Max Value	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
Mean	2.91	2.96	2.77	2.85	3.15	2.83	3.18	2.7
Variance	1.22	0.75	0.9	0.85	0.6	0.82	0.37	0.6
Standard Deviation	1.1	0.87	0.95	0.92	0.77	0.91	0.61	0.8
Total Responses	45	82	62	62	95	60	117	6
Total Respondents	45	82	62	62	95	60	117	6

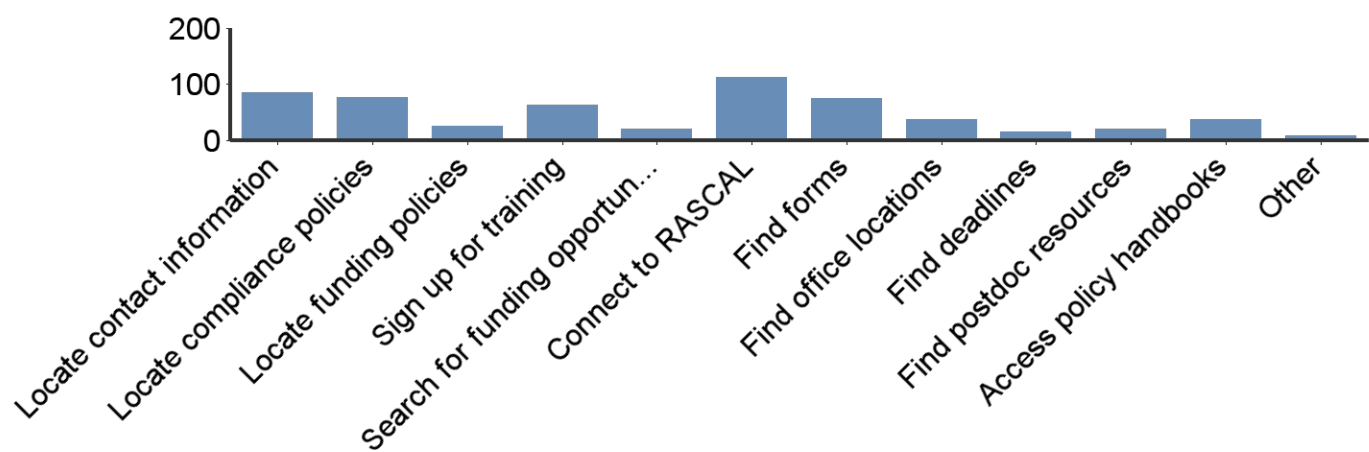
In the past 6 months, how often have you referred individuals to one of the EVPR websites?



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Daily		1	0.59%
2	Weekly		15	8.82%
3	Monthly		16	9.41%
4	Sometimes		37	21.76%
5	Never		101	59.41%
	Total		170	100.00%

Min Value	Max Value	Average Value	Variance	Standard Deviation	Total Responses	Total Respondents
1	5	4.31	1.01	1.00	170	170

What actions do you perform most frequently when visiting these sites? (check all that apply)



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Locate contact information		85	53.46%
2	Locate compliance policies		77	48.43%
3	Locate funding policies		26	16.35%
4	Sign up for training		63	39.62%
5	Search for funding opportunities		20	12.58%
6	Connect to RASCAL		113	71.07%
7	Find forms		76	47.80%
8	Find office locations		37	23.27%
9	Find deadlines		15	9.43%
10	Find postdoc resources		21	13.21%
11	Access policy handbooks		37	23.27%
12	Other		8	5.03%
	Total		578	100.00%

Min Value	Max Value	Average Value	Variance	Standard Deviation	Total Responses	Total Respondents
1	12	5.23	9.41	3.07	578	159

If "Other", please provide a description of the other actions you take when visiting these sites:

Administration Admit Amount Assignments Assist Changing Cheat Chemicals Chevk Constantly **Create** Creation

Decision Department Describing **Documents** Dynamic Easier Enviromental Exist External Faculty

Find Found Frequently Great Guarantee Guidance Health Hear Infoed **Information** Institutional **Irb** Issue

Kind Learn Life Make Manual Meeting Msds Nature **Offices** Outdated Policies Portal Pressing Priority Procedures Protocol Quickly

Rascal Recently Reflect Research Resources **Safety** Schedule Searched **Sheets** Similar Sites Spa Specific **Staff** Stories Systems

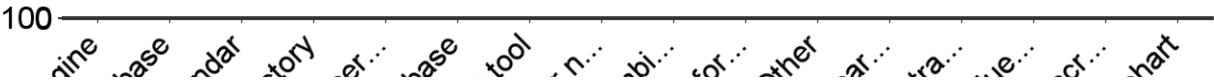
Takes Templates **Time** Tools Training Trees Tremendous Truth Updated Visit Ways **Website** 2006

Text Entry
Very often, I try to find 'guidance documents' or 'cheat sheets' to quickly learn how to do something. For example, I recently searched the IRB website to find out if there was any kind of 'how to manual' to create an IRB protocol. Couldn't find one that was updated to reflect the new Rascal portal. Found something on the Rascal website that was created in 2006 (very outdated). The truth is, very often, these documents don't exist. I admit the same issue for our own website, it's not just the IRB, it's all offices. The nature of research administration is such that external policies are constantly changing, systems are dynamic, and there is a tremendous amount of information that exists. There isn't enough time, staff or resources to create such documents and/or to keep them updated. I guarantee you will hear similar stories from the other offices. We all WANT to create templates, decision trees, tools to make life easier for faculty and administrators, but don't have enough time to do it, or something else more pressing takes priority. If the new website has ways to assist in the creation of such tools, that would be great.
finding time of training
Chevk IRB staff/meeting schedule
Of the sites I visit, I most frequently visit Enviromental Health and Safety. I am usually looking for specific safety procedures and for MSDS sheets describing particular chemicals.
InfoEd, Department Assignments (SPA)
Find institutional information.

Statistic	Value
Respondents	6

The following are changes that may improve our websites. Please rate them in terms of their importance.

Not Important Somewhat Important Important Very Important



#	Question	Not Important	Somewhat Important	Important	Very Important	Response	Average Value
1	Improved search engine	8	29	47	77	161	3.20
2	Policy database	19	42	50	45	156	2.78
3	Centralized event calendar	14	40	48	58	160	2.94
4	Full staff directory	2	31	53	77	163	3.26
5	Faculty directory, by expertise	11	47	41	61	160	2.95
6	Funding database	3	30	60	63	156	3.17
7	Project planning tool	20	53	57	28	158	2.59
8	Educational materials for new staff	4	32	62	61	159	3.13
9	News articles about Columbia research	37	60	44	16	157	2.25
10	Pre-populated templates for funding and protocols	9	26	68	57	160	3.08
12	Other	33	10	4	7	54	1.72
13	Personalized, live dashboard of requirements	23	52	44	36	155	2.60
14	Automated reminders for trainings	20	38	51	53	162	2.85
15	Automated reminders for due dates	14	32	59	53	158	2.96
16	List of listervs with descriptions	28	60	44	25	157	2.42
17	Dynamic organizational chart	32	61	39	24	156	2.35

Statistic	Improved search engine	Policy database	Centralized event calendar	Full staff directory	Faculty directory, by expertise	Funding database	Project planning tool	Educational materials for new staff	News articles about Columbi research
Min Value	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Max Value	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
Mean	3.2	2.78	2.94	3.26	2.95	3.17	2.59	3.13	2.2
Variance	0.82	1	0.96	0.65	0.95	0.65	0.86	0.67	0.8
Standard Deviation	0.91	1	0.98	0.81	0.98	0.8	0.92	0.82	0.9
Total Responses	161	156	160	163	160	156	158	159	15

If "Other", please provide a description of the other changes you feel would improve our websites:



Text Entry
1. up to date information, face page forms, and instructions about subcontracts.- both pre- and post- award procedures. 2. real time tracking information about where a post grant award is, in the set up process, and realistic expectations of how long it will remain in process in any given dept. (SPA, research compliance, SPF, etc)
N/A - thought each category required an answer
n/a I just can't un-check it
N/A
current policies
none
NIH funding opportunities
never heard of those websites and services!
Standard operating policies, work flows and time expections for all SPA transactions. Trackable work flow would be ideal. Example if a No Cost Extension is requested for a project, it would be very helpful to know how long the process will take and once initiated where the NCE is with the work flow needed to execute the NCE.
Searchable core facility/shared equipment database
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Statistic	Value
Respondents	16

What are some of the resources you use when you cannot find the information you need on our sites?

Active Add Admin Administrator Agencies Assistant Based Blank Call Campus Centralization Cloud Colleagues Columbia Communication Compete Complete Computational Contact Contemporary Correspondence Cumc Data Date Delays Department Difficult Directly Div Doresearch Email Engine Environments Everyday Examples Faculty Faqs Find Forever Forgot Forms Funding General Gov Grants Guidance Guide Hall Helpful High Include Information Infrastructure Institutions Internet Irb Issue List Listserv Locate Manager Method Mouth Navigate Nih Office Outdated People Performance Phone Polices Policy Poor Problem Problematic Provide Realm Removed Requested Research Resources Science Search Send Shows Specialize Sponsor Staff Stamp Stanfords Subjects Support Talk Task Translated University Updated Web Website Word

Google

Text Entry

Some IRB forms are blank and/or outdated. The updated ones may be on the website, but the outdated ones should be removed. I often had to call IRB office to ask them to send me forms/policies directly via email.

ask

web search engines

columbia university website

Calling people

Look for how to handle facilities issues like running out of Columbia-supplied wet lab needs

I cannot differentiate between all the trainings like gcp and citi very confusing

I call the CTO or IRB directly

Other senior faculty at CUMC. A better centralization would be MUCH appreciated. Listservs are a dated relic of the pre-internet era, please get rid of them. You should have a more active Research Development presence here on campus, as an arm of research administration, to help faculty submit and be competitive for larger, multi-investigator and interdisciplinary opportunities (both Federal and foundation-based). The communication coming from your office is paltry for these things, especially for a campus with this level of research activity/funding.

Contact agencies directly or other research mangers within the CUMC community.

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Statistic	Value
Respondents	67

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Statistic	Value
Respondents	32