Direct Payment Request

1. Click on the Direct Payment Request link to start the form.
2. You will be prompt to log in to Adobe Sign.
   a. In the email address line, type in your full saclink email address, including @csus.edu (ex. xxxxx@csus.edu) (see figure 1. for the Adobe Sign-In screenshot).
   b. Click the Continue button.
   c. You will see an Adobe Sign splash screen as it routes you to the Adobe Sign Send page.

Figure 1. Adobe Sign-In screenshot
3. Once on the *Adobe Sign Send* page (see figure 3. for the Send page screenshot)
  
a. Click **More** for a list of required information for this form.

b. Navigate to the **Recipient** fields listed and enter the primary email address. To ensure you are using the primary email address, navigate to [directory.csus.edu](http://directory.csus.edu) to confirm the email address.
   
i. **Optional**- Preapproval by a designated staff may be required by your department or VP, please input the staff’s email below if applicable.

ii. **REQUIRED FIELD**- Department Approving Official field (*Signature must be on file in Delegation of Authority list in CFS*). **Stop here if this is an allowable requests**. If an exception continue to next steps.

iii. **Required for exception to policy payments**- Authorized Signer field (see figure 2. for the Authorized signer criteria screenshot). If signer is the same as approving, they must sign twice. Place email in both sections.

   
   **Direct Payment Exception Requests**
   
   Direct Payment Exception Requests up to $2,500 - Department’s Manager or Chair shall sign the Direct Payment Requests
   
   Direct Payment Exception Requests from $2,501 to $10,000 - AVP or Dean shall sign the Direct Payment Requests
   
   Direct Payment Exception Requests over $10,000 - requires both AVP/Dean and ABA/CFO approval

   
   **Figure 2. Authorized signer criteria screenshot**

   
   iv. **Procurement** field – Required for all exceptions – use [sebastian.head@csus.edu](mailto:sebastian.head@csus.edu)

v. **VP/CFO** field – Required if over $10,000.00 – use [machelle.martin@csus.edu](mailto:machelle.martin@csus.edu) and use the CC field below to add [vp-cfo@csus.edu](mailto:vp-cfo@csus.edu).

c. The **Accounts Payable** email address auto-populates in and you will not be able to change this.

d. In the CC field, enter email(s) if applicable.

e. In the **Document Name** field, after **Direct Payment Request** – type the Vendor Name (**e.g. Direct Payment Request – All American Football Foundation**).

f. Navigate to the **Receipt** fields. Click on **Add File** to attach the receipt(s).

g. In the **Justification** field, attach a justification memo for purchase and payment policy exceptions only.

h. Click the **Send** button to route the form for signature.
Figure 3. Send page screenshot
4. Once on the form, click the yellow tab to navigate to the required fields and type in your information (see figure 4. for the Direct Payment Request form screenshot).
   a. Navigate to the Attachment fields. Click on ‘Click..’ to attach supporting documents.

5. Once all the required fields are completed, click the blue Click to Send button at the bottom of your screen (see figure 5. the Click to Send button screenshot).
6. A thumbnail of the form and confirmation message will display. (see figure 6. Confirmation message screenshot) This message confirms that the Direct Payment Request was sent for signature(s). You will also receive an email confirmation that the document was sent for approval. This completes your portion of the workflow.

![Figure 6. Confirmation message screenshot](image)

7. Once the Direct Payment Request is approved, you will receive an email confirmation. (see figure 7. Approval Confirmation screenshot) To view the approved document, click on the link provided in the email.

![Figure 7. Approval Confirmation screenshot](image)