Join the GeorgiaFIRST Marketplace!

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Agenda

• What is the GeorgiaFIRST Marketplace?
• Current State of the GFM
• Benefits of Using ePro & GFM
• Get Started on Your Implementation!
• Implementation Guide
• Recommendations
What is the Georgia FIRST Marketplace?

- Easily integrates with eProcurement within PeopleSoft
- User-friendly shopping website used to easily purchase from contracts
- Supported by SciQuest
Current State of the GeorgiaFIRST Marketplace

16 institutions using both ePro and GFM

5 institutions using ePro only

5 institutions using just core Purchasing
Benefits of using the Georgia-FIRST Marketplace

- Thousands of contracted items from big name suppliers
- Multiply your buying power!
- Streamlines purchasing as well as accounts payables processes
- Use websites designed specifically for statewide contracts and your institution
Punchout Suppliers

- **Maintenance, Repair, & Operation**
  - Grainger
  - Fastenal
  - MSC Industrial Supply Co.
  - Zep

- **Office Supplies and Computers**
  - Staples (General Office Supplies)
  - Dell
  - Lenovo
  - HP

- **Lab Supplies**
  - Fisher Scientific
  - VWR
  - Carolina

- **Books and Media**
  - Complete Book
Hosted Catalog Suppliers

- Troxell Communications
- Herman Miller Furniture
- John Deere
- Kimball Office
- Southeastern Paper Group
- DADE Paper
- Craig’s Firearm Supply
- Clyde Armory
- Regency Lighting
- McKesson Medical
- Carolina Biological
- Sherwin-Williams
- Steelcase
- Southern Computer Warehouse
- Nebraska Scientific
- Bridgestone Tires
- MedSupply

and many more...!
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PO Spend

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Get Started on Your Implementation

- Determine core team
- Review training materials
- Play around
- Get involved
- Review implementation guide
Implementation Guide Overview

- 21-step guide with explanations of each step
- All steps must be complete in order to go live
- Rollout to begin in October
Implementation Guide Overview

Key Steps

• Identify ePro admin
• Determine approval requirements
• Training in Athens
• Security setup
• Testing in FPLAY
• Accounts Payable training
For a Smooth Implementation...

• Identify project lead
• Local security admin must be on board
• Start small!
• Have a training plan in place
• Network
• Get AP involved
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FPLAY (test environment): https://fplay.gafirst.usg.edu

ePro/GFM Training: http://www.usg.edu/gafirst-fin/training/epro_georgiafirst_marketplace