Research Administration and Finance (RAF) is excited to introduce a new proposal and award management tool to the Rensselaer community. While we are still in the early stages of system design and testing with the goal of a production rollout later this year, we wanted to let you know there is a minor change happening soon.

Cayuse SP is a user-friendly Web application which enables researchers, grant administrators and business managers to work together more efficiently from proposal creation to award close-out. Cayuse SP’s central repository provides easy access to documents, information, and statuses throughout the life of all Rensselaer sponsored research projects. No more emailing budgets and PIFs back and forth!

Since 2009, Rensselaer researchers and administrators have been successfully using Cayuse 424 to develop and submit federal proposals through Grants.gov. Cayuse SP promises the same ease-of-use for every type of project; it is not limited to just Grants.gov opportunities. For Grants.gov federal awards, we will continue to use Cayuse 424; Cayuse SP will link to Cayuse 424 on these types of project. On all other projects, Cayuse SP will be used to capture project information.

Again, RAF is still in the early stages of planning the Cayuse SP rollout with the product vendor, Evisions, Inc. As the schedule is determined, we will be sending out additional updates.

For now, we want to let you know that, on Wednesday, June 11, 2014, current Cayuse 424 users will see a new landing page after logging in to Cayuse 424.

The currently landing page is shown here:
And the new landing page will be:

Simply click on Cayuse 424 to continue to the Cayuse 424 application you are familiar with. Please contact me with any questions at rotd@rpi.edu.