CAMS Enterprise Update Release 12.2.4

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This document describes the items that are being deployed in the 12.2.4 CAMS Enterprise Update Release. Enhancements, modifications, and system corrections are included and are categorized primarily by module. Those items needing CAMS Manager attention have been noted as such. For additional, detailed information and instructions on the functionality additions and changes, refer to the online help files located directly in the CAMS Enterprise application and/or the updated PDF manuals which can be downloaded from the CAMS Community Website. Note that portal updates are not automatically installed on your site and must be applied by your institution.

Registration

1. When selecting Term as the only criteria for Attendance reports, the report would display blank in cases where any student had been registered for a course, dropped or withdrew the course, then registered for the same course again as Audit. CAMS will now display attendance reports where this situation occurs.

2. Update 12.2.0 introduced an issue where when a user added a Degree, selected the Degree Name, then either clicked Page 2 or selected a Transfer School Name, the Degree Name field would change to a blank selection. The selected Degree Name will now remain selected.

Financial Aid

1. Enhanced COD Message viewer. When viewing COD Rebuild files, files marked as having special circumstances are an alternate color. An SSN search has been added to filter the grid by Social Security Number. Filtering has been added to the comparison report to limit the report by Award Status.

2. The COD Message viewer has been enhanced by adding criteria to filter the records displayed for PGMR message class. Messages can be filtered by Record Type.

3. Financial Aid Prioritized Packaging has been enhanced. Previously if Prioritized Packaging contained awards of the same Award Type that are found in Financial Aid Maintenance and added by another process, the student would be put in the exception list and therefore would not be packaged. Now, if the (manually entered) award’s Award Type in combination with the term is NOT found in any of the Award Methodologies for the package the student will be packaged as normal. The manually entered award will only affect the packaging process by bringing down remaining need if the Award Type affects need.
Faculty

1. Two new fields have been added to Faculty Contracts detail, Work Permit Number and Work Permit Exp Date.

Tools

1. Enhanced the DocTrack AutoLoad functionality to include fields that begin with “Student”. These fields were not previously available in the task and may now be utilized to automatically load Document Tracking items during the ISIR Direct Import.

2. The COD Export has been changed regarding PLUS loans. In order to comply with FSA regulations, students must now have an ISIR record in CAMS in order to export PLUS loans using the COD Export.

3. Enhanced COD Import to now import DL PLUS Application Acknowledgement message class files. Users can utilize the COD Import to update existing Contacts in CAMS Enterprise, based on matching SSN, with the contact information in the import file.

4. Improved the COD Import process to compensate for NULL values that can be used in the MPN Indicator field on MPN Response files received from COD.