## **Quick Reference Guide**

Please reference Internet Explorer Basics Quick Reference Guide for more information about the commands listed in this guide.

### Login

- 1. Open Internet Explorer (IE) by double clicking on the shortcut.
- 2. Type the URL (<a href="http://www.bloomu.edu/hr/ess.php">http://www.bloomu.edu/hr/ess.php</a>) into the IE address bar and press the "Enter" key.



- 3. Press the Log into the ESS portal Quick Link.
- 4. The login screen can also be accessed from the Start menu at



Start/BU Services/ESS Portal.

5. Enter your username (full email address) and password in the account information area and press "Enter Portal."



Note: Login to the ESS portal using your full email address (see example at left) and the same password that you use for network login and email. These passwords are synchronized.

# ESS Leave Entry

#### **Leave Entry**

1. Select the Employee Self-Service tab.



2. Select the Leave & Time link.

menu links.



3. Select "Employee Leave Request" from Detailed Navigation or main



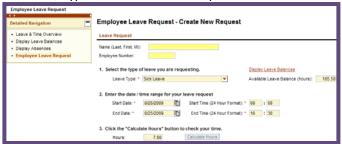
4. Select "Create New Leave Request" and press "Continue."



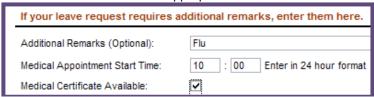
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5. Enter leave type and date and time requested.



- 6. Press "Calculate Hours" Calculate Hours and the number of requested leave hours will be calculated 7.50.
- 7. Enter additional information if appropriate.



- 8. Press "Submit Leave Request" if all information is correct.
  - The request can also be cleared if necessary.
    Clear Request

Submit Leave Request

9. A confirmation message appears that describes the approval process when a submitted request is successful.



### **Other Options**

- Leave requests can be cancelled.



- Request status can be viewed at any time.



Detailed navigation allows you to view leave balances, absences, or navigate to the leave request area.

