ROLES

The following are valid roles within the CORES system. For access, email USCCORES@usc.edu with your USC Net ID (Shibboleth ID) and indicate the level of access you would need.

**Service Core Manager**
This role is generally responsible for managing the service CORES and specifically Order Entry. Each core can only have one Service Core Manager.

**Core Associate**
This role is generally responsible for managing the service CORES and specifically Order Entry. Each core can have multiple Core Associates.

**Principal Investigator (PI)**
The Principal Investigators can place orders (based on the Core Functionality controls set) and reserve equipment (based on core, resource approval, etc.). They can also review monthly invoices.

**Lab Manager/Assistant**
The Lab Manager/Assistant is someone who can act on behalf of the PI. This is a role that allows an authorized individual to access the system as another person. For example, if Jane Doe is set up as an assistant to Dr. Smith, Jane can log in as herself and review Dr. Smith's invoices.

**Resource User**
A Resource User (RU) (lab techs, grad students, etc.) they are not PI's and do not have most of the privileges of a PI, but must be associated to at least one PI. This association can be created by the OOR, Core Manager or PI (or Lab Mgr./Assistant). Once associated, the Resource User can reserve resources on-line on behalf of the PI(s). Typically the Resource User does not have his/her own funding.

**Center Administrator of Contributing Centers**
This role can have specific contributing centers assigned allowing for monitoring and reporting on those numbers as well as assigning Center Numbers to contributing centers.

**Senior Business Officer**
This role has specific departments assigned allowing for monitoring and reporting on those departments. Department Administrators can also Approve/Dispute Invoices for PI's in their departments.