

## Associating your Smart Card (PIV/CAC) Authentication Certificate with USA Staffing

USA Staffing has incorporated Federal Personal Identity Verification (PIV) smartcard credentials login to comply with the Office of Management and Budget M-11-11 Memorandum. To register a Smart Card in USA Staffing, users must have valid and current Smart Card and a USA Staffing account.

### **New Users:**

New USA Staffing users must first activate their USA Staffing account to access the system.

### **Existing Users:**

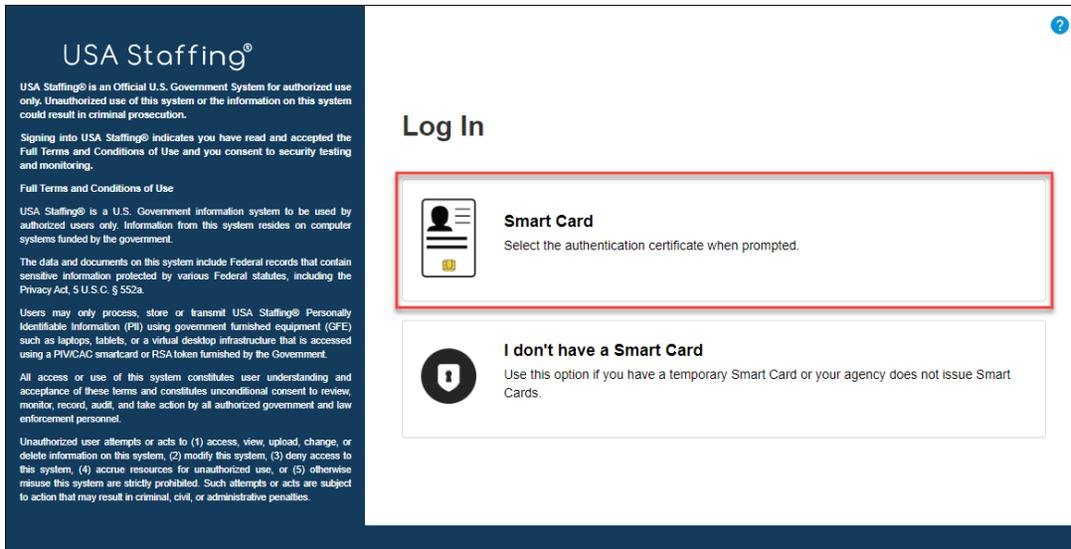
Please choose your browser below for specific instructions regarding the registration of your Smart Card.

**[Microsoft Edge](#)**

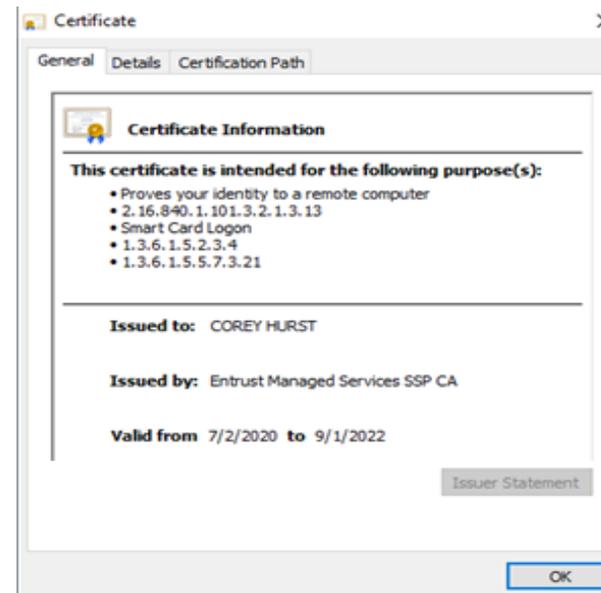
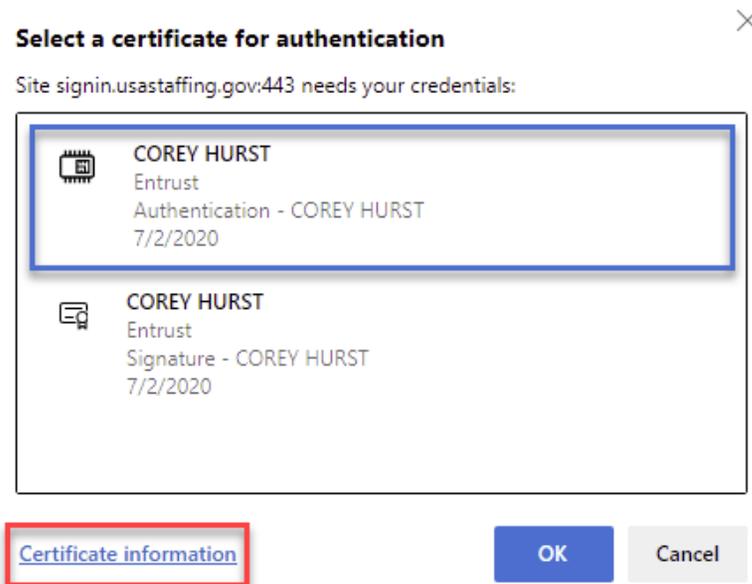
**[Google Chrome](#)**

# Registering your Smart Card – Microsoft Edge

1. On the Login page, select **Smart Card**.



2. On the **Select a certificate for authentication** popup, your certificate(s) will be displayed. Please select your Certificate and click **Certificate information** to see your Smart Card certificate information.



3. The Authentication certificate will have a long policy number ending in a value of **.668, .12, or .13** *Note: The certificate ending in .7 is NOT the correct certificate - this is the digital signing certificate. You cannot login with this one.*
4. Click **OK**.
5. On the correct certificate, select **OK**.
6. Enter your Smart Card pin.
7. Click **OK**.

**Note:** If you previously selected the wrong certificate, you would need to clear your browser cache or close your browser completely before trying again. See, [Clearing your cache or temporary internet files](#).

8. On the **Register your Smart Card** screen, enter the email address associated with your USA Staffing account. Once your email address has been entered, select **Request Link**.

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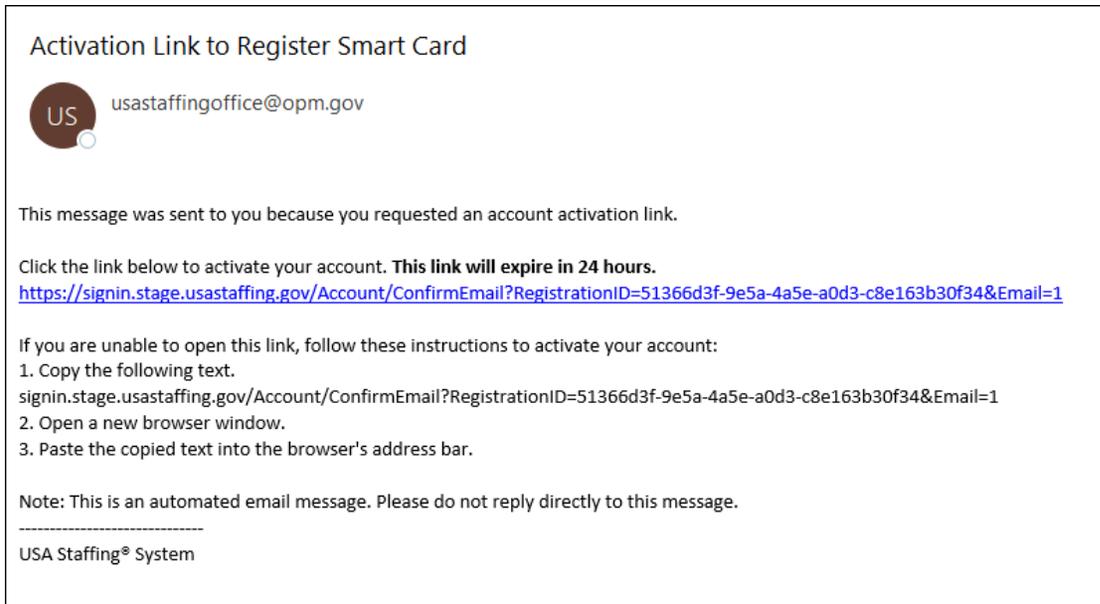
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### Register your Smart Card

Enter your USA Staffing email address below to request an activation link.

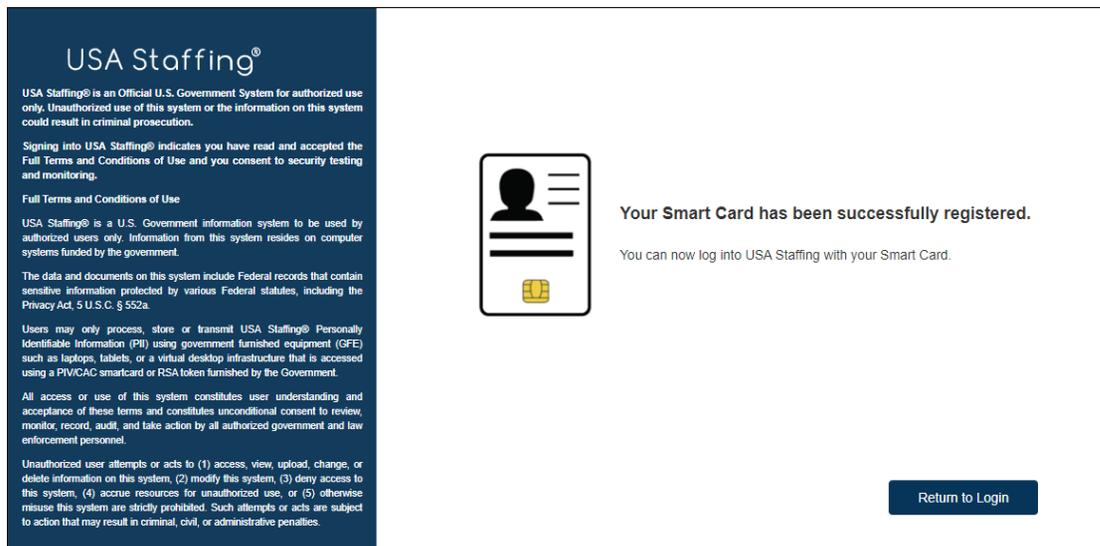
**Request Link** **Cancel**

9. If the email address provided matches a USA Staffing account, an activation link will be sent. Upon receipt of email, click the activation link to complete your Smart Card Registration.



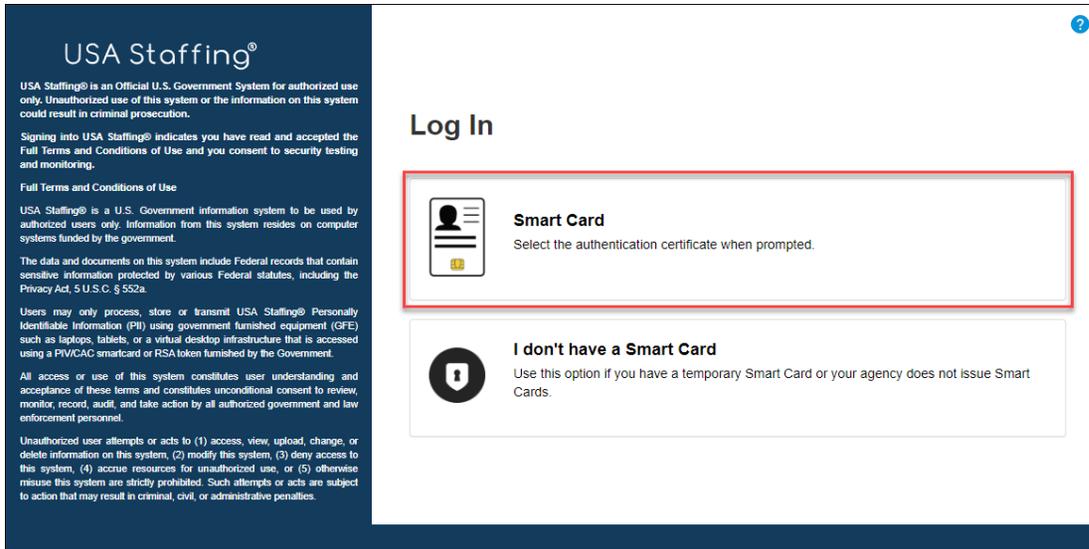
**Note:** If the email address provided does not match a USA Staffing account, you will not receive an activation link. Contact your Office Administrator to verify the email address associated with your USA Staffing account.

10. Once your Smart Card has been registered, you will receive the following message. Click **Return to Login**.

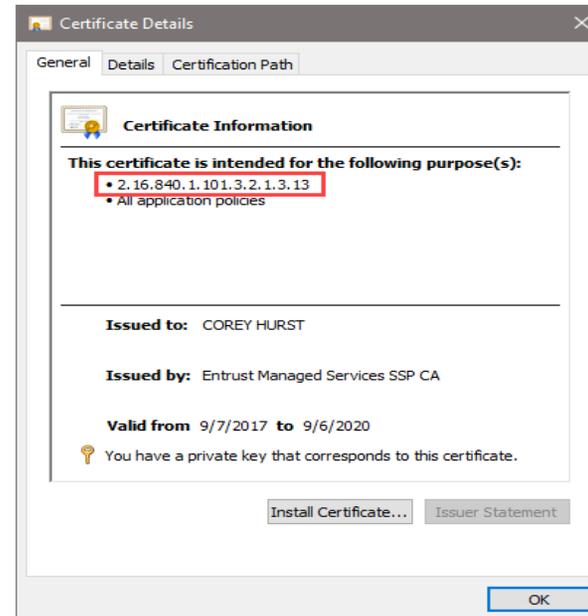
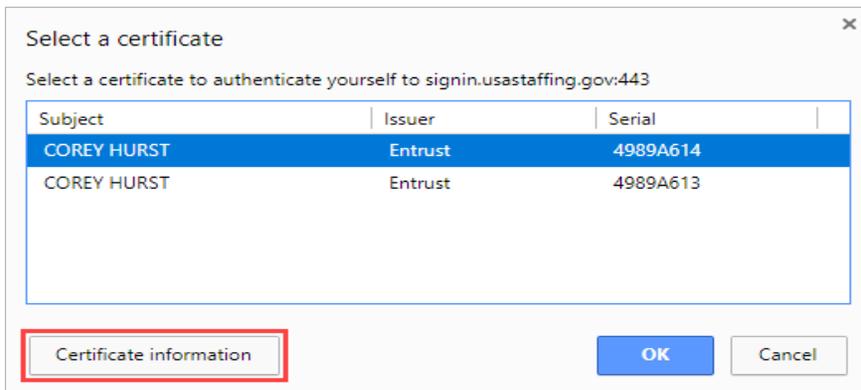


# Registering your Smart Card – Google Chrome

1. On the Login page, select **Smart Card**.



2. On the **Select a certificate** popup, select the **Certificate Information** to show the properties of the highlighted certificate.



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**Register your Smart Card**

Enter your USA Staffing email address below to request an activation link.

Email Address

**Request Link** **Cancel**

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Activation Link to Register Smart Card

 usastaffingoffice@opm.gov

This message was sent to you because you requested an account activation link.

Click the link below to activate your account. **This link will expire in 24 hours.**  
<https://signin.stage.usastaffing.gov/Account/ConfirmEmail?RegistrationID=51366d3f-9e5a-4a5e-a0d3-c8e163b30f34&Email=1>

If you are unable to open this link, follow these instructions to activate your account:

1. Copy the following text.  
signin.stage.usastaffing.gov/Account/ConfirmEmail?RegistrationID=51366d3f-9e5a-4a5e-a0d3-c8e163b30f34&Email=1
2. Open a new browser window.
3. Paste the copied text into the browser's address bar.

Note: This is an automated email message. Please do not reply directly to this message.

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**Your Smart Card has been successfully registered.**

You can now log into USA Staffing with your Smart Card.

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If you need additional assistance, see [Submitting a help ticket when you cannot log in](#).