

#### Introduction to SAGE

NJ's System for Administering Grants Electronically

Accessing SAGE and Logging In

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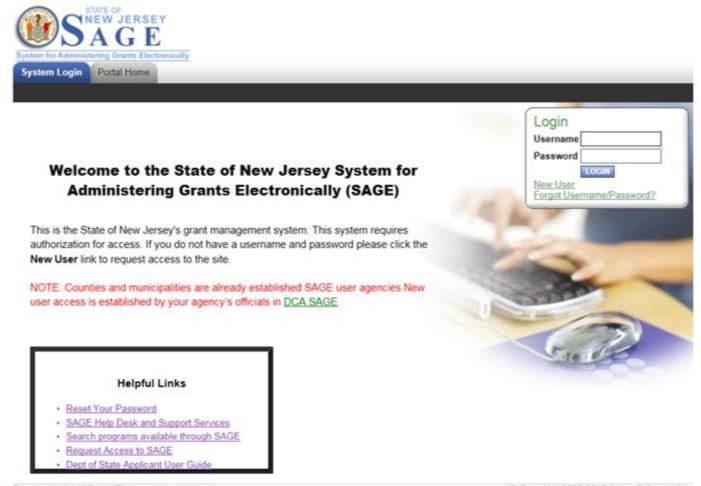




# PART 1 Accessing SAGE www.sage.nj.gov



## There are multiple versions of SAGE. The Arts Council uses "Blue SAGE." Be sure the login page looks like this to ensure you are in Blue SAGE.



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#### **SAGE System Requirements**

#### **Operating System**

➤NJ Department of State (DOS) SAGE was designed to work with both of the two most common computer operating systems - Windows and Macintosh.

#### **World Wide Web Connection**

➤NJDOS SAGE is an Internet application. It is accessed via the Internet and was specifically designed for Internet usage.

#### **Web Browser**

➤ This system was designed to be compatible with common up-to-date web browsers. Google Chrome is the recommended browser when using SAGE.

#### **Adobe Acrobat Reader**

Adobe Acrobat Reader is used to view PDF documents. The system will generate grant documents in PDF format using information that has been saved into the various narrative and budget pages.



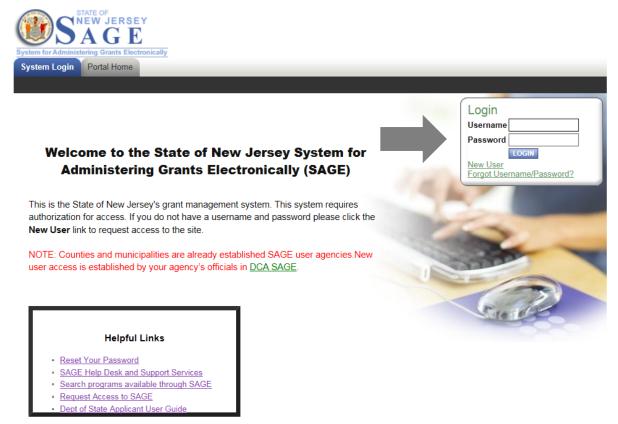
## PART 2 Logging In – The Basics



#### **NJDOS SAGE System Home Page**

If you are a new user - click on *New User*.

If you have forgotten your username or password – click on *Forgot Username/Password*.

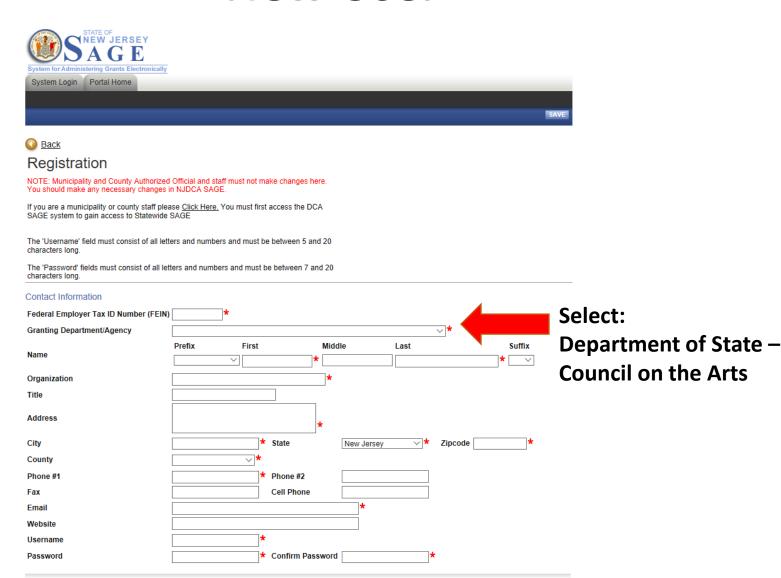


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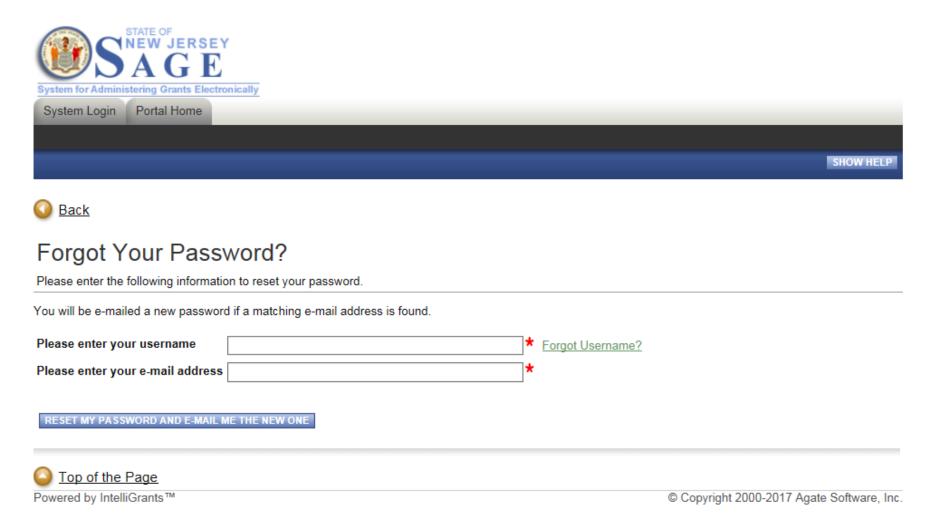
#### **New User**







#### Forgot Username/Password





#### Registration

- > Enter your organization's (F)ederal (E)mployer (I)dentification (N)umber
- > Select the **Department of State Council on the Arts** as the Granting Department
- Complete the user form in its entirety.
- > The 'Username' field must consist of all letters and numbers.
- > The 'Password' field must consist of all letters and numbers and must be at least 7 characters long.
- The fields 'Password' and 'Confirm Password' must be the same.
- > Please keep record of your username and password.
- The Person who is to be the Authorized Official for the Organization completes the page, including Organization and title.
- > <u>Please create an account for each person in your organization who will need to access documents in SAGE.</u>
- > If Organization and Title are not included your validation will be delayed.
- > Click "Save" to save the data.



#### Registration (continued)

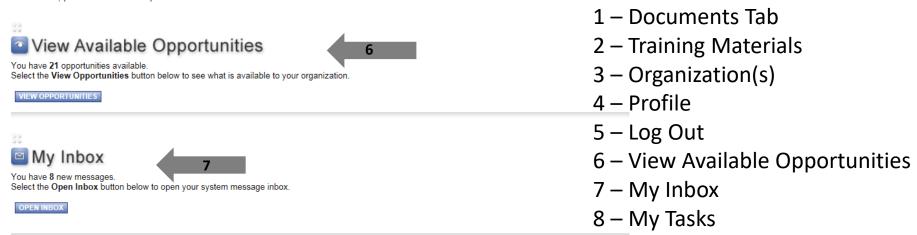
- NOTE: Once you create a user account and gain access to the system, you will never have to request access again. Once you have saved your contact information, your account must then be approved by a Department of State administrator before you can access the system.
- ➤ Note: Access and approval of registration is <u>NOT</u> automatic.
- ➤ If you attempt to log in to the system prior to getting approved/validated by a system administrator you will receive the following message: *Your account has not been validated yet*.
- > When access has been granted you will receive an email message confirming that your account has been validated.



#### **Main Menu - HOME**



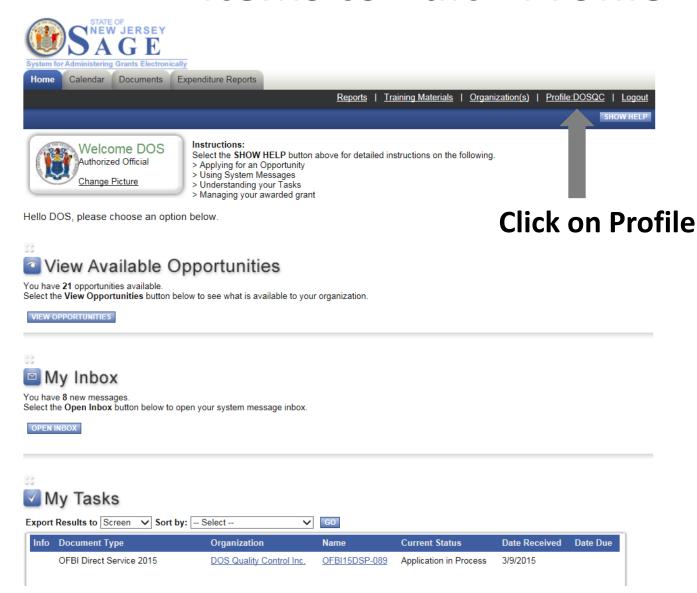
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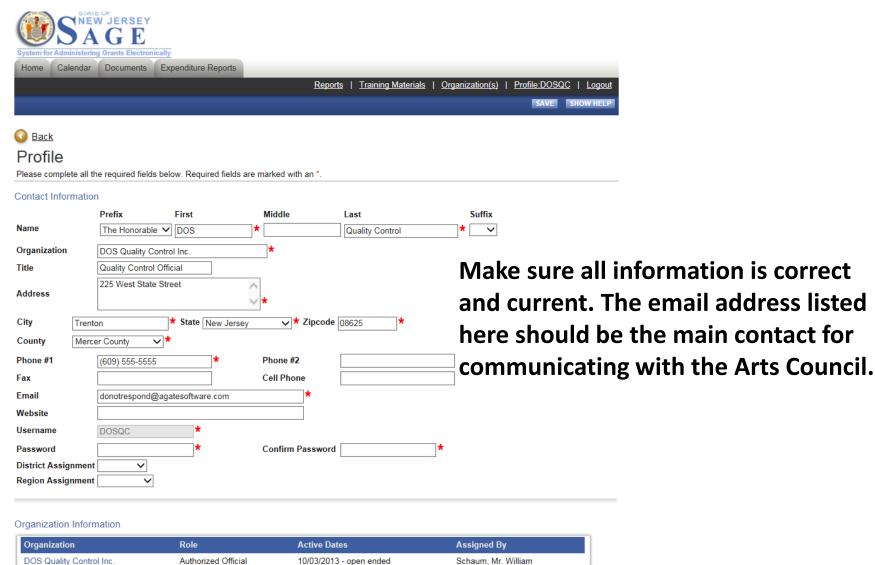


#### **Items to Edit - Profile**





#### **Verify Profile Information**



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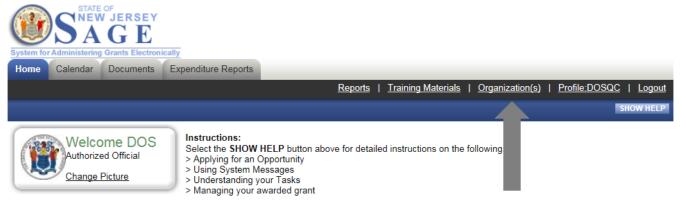
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#### **Items to Edit - Organization**



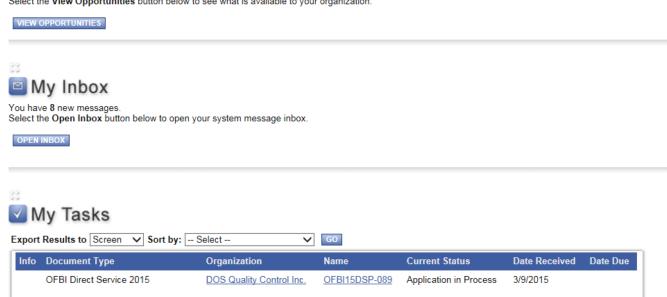
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#### Click on the Organization(s) link.

#### View Available Opportunities

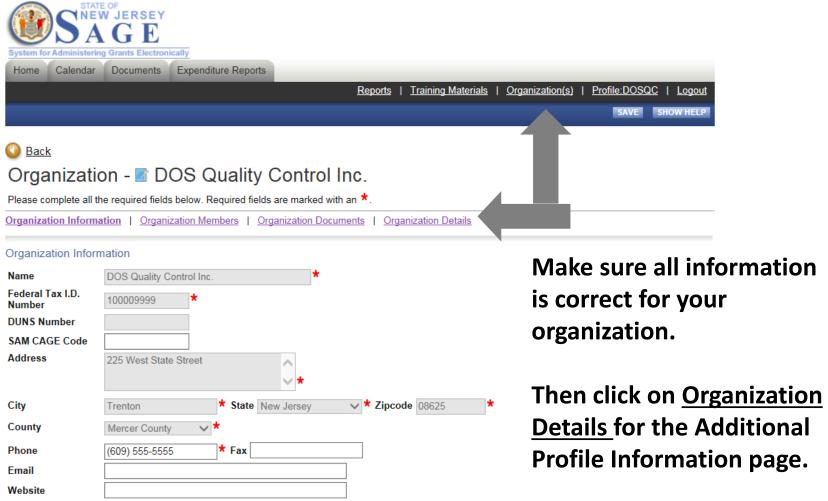
You have 21 opportunities available.

Select the View Opportunities button below to see what is available to your organization.



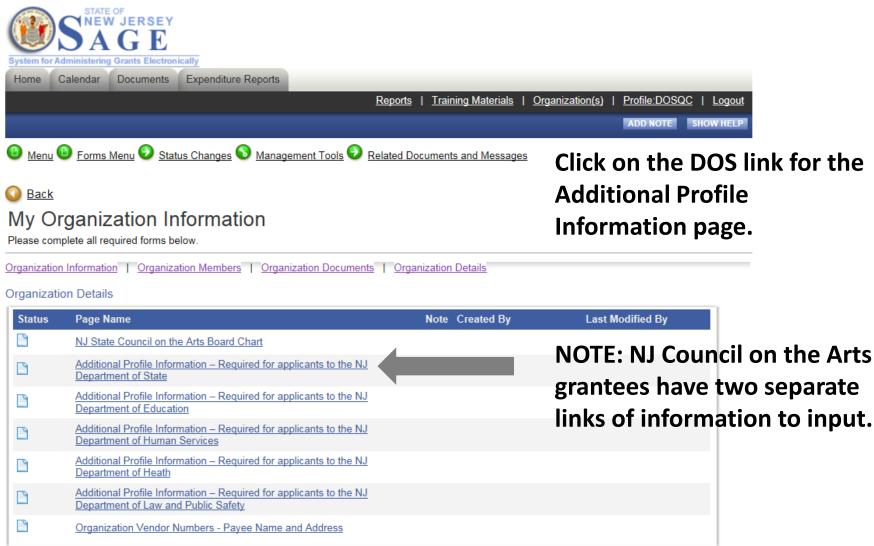


## Verify Organization Information and Additional Profile Information



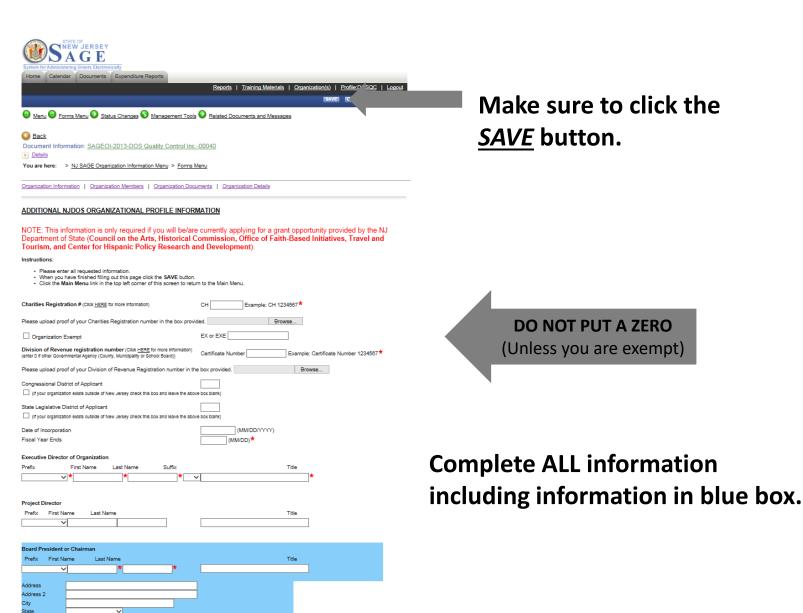


#### **Additional Profile Information**





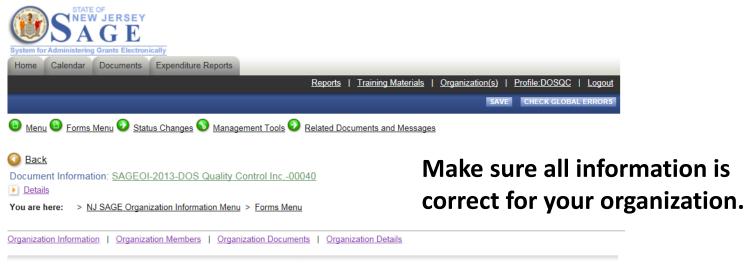
#### **Additional Profile Information**



Zipcode



#### **Items to Edit – Board Chart**



#### **BOARD CHART**

NOTE: This information is only required if you will be/are currently applying for a grant opportunity provided by the New Jersey State Council on the Arts (NJSCA).

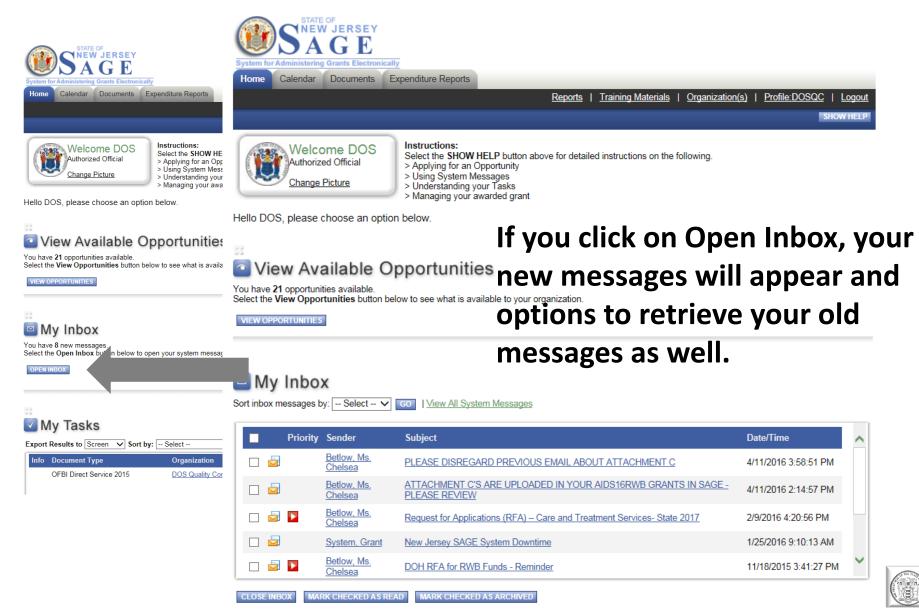
#### Instructions:

- · Please enter all requested information.
- When you have finished filling out this page click the SAVE button.
- · Click the Main Menu link in the top left corner of this screen to return to the Main Menu.
- All applicants must submit the Board Chart listing the governance board for the organization. Colleges and universities should provide the advisory board for the program or project, not the college's board of trustees. Other project applicants that are overseen by an advisory board should also list that board after the institutional governing board.
- Check the Diversity box on each line to indicate those who are African-American, Asian, Hispanic/Latino, American Indian/Alaskan Native, or Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander.

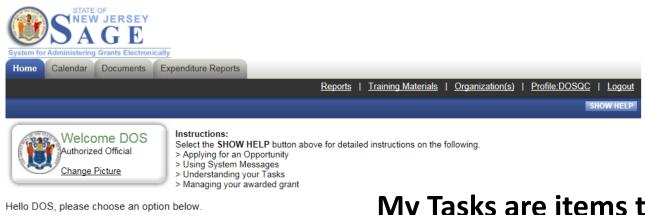
| Diversity | Name | Years of<br>Service | Term of<br>Office<br>e.g. '09-'10 | Executive Office Held | County of Residence | Profession or Special Interests |
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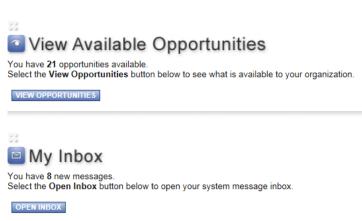


#### **Your SAGE Inbox**



#### **Your SAGE Tasks**





My Tasks are items that need your attention. There may be an application/report in process or even a payment voucher requiring a signature.

This is a list of your TO DOs!





#### We're here to help!

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If you have questions about any Council programs, services, or grant applications, a complete staff list can be found on the Council's website.

If you have any questions about creating a SAGE account or technical questions about an existing SAGE account, please contact Robert Worshinski: robert.worshinski@sos.nj.gov or 609-633-1049.





