

SOUTH CAROLINA AGENT FAQ

Your guide to everything eXp SC!*

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State Information & Contacts

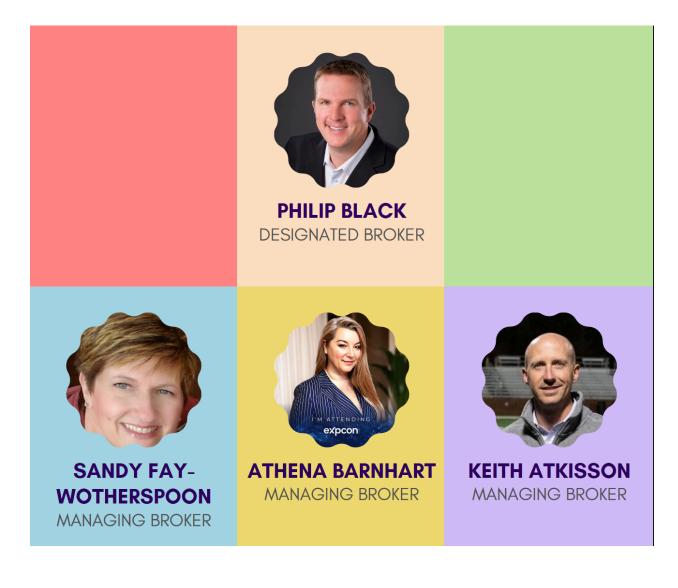
How do I find the State Broker Room?

Our State Broker Room is located in exp.World, click <u>HERE</u>. Simply click on the GO TO menu in the top left of the screen. Then click US Broker Rooms > (SC) Broker Room.

Or use the direct link (HERE) to bypass the welcome area!

Who is my State team and how do I contact them?

Broker Team





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Administrative Support Analysts

An Administrative Support Analyst (ASA) is responsible for assisting the Broker Team with day-to-day operations.

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT ANALYSTS (ASA)

We are here to help!

South Carolina ASA's assist with...

Onboarding/Offboarding MLS Audits -Join an MLS/Local Association and NAR Mentor pairing State meetings/class recordings Professional Development Workplace engagement Weekly newsletter



Contract Compliance Analysts

Our Contract Compliance Analysts (CCA) review your files in Skyslope and make sure that the required documents are submitted in a timely manner for each transaction. They will let you know if you are missing something or if something is incorrect.



They review your contract paperwork to assure we are in compliance with SC License Law & eXp Realty policies.



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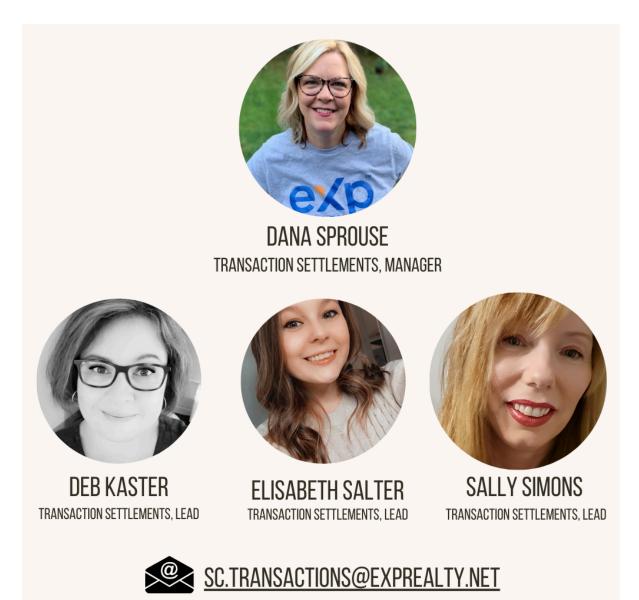


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On the broker floor M-F 8-4 / Workplace Chat / sc.contracts@exprealty.net

Transaction Settlement Analysts

Our Transaction Settlement are amazing behind-the-scenes people who work diligently to get the Commission Disbursement Agreements created for each transaction. They also settle each transaction and make sure your transaction info is recorded in Enterprise. They help get you paid!



Expert Care Concierge

The eXp Expert Care Desk is THE place to ensure your questions are answered and your problems are solved. Their goal is to provide you, our eXp agents, with quick responses to information and decisions so you can focus on your business.

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Phone: (833)303-0610 Email: <u>ExpertCare@exprealty.net</u> eXp.World: <u>https://exp.world/expertcare</u> Assistance in multiple languages available!

State Resources, Trainings

When are the state meetings and trainings?

Click **<u>HERE</u>** to find our next state training. They will be listed in the right hand column of the calendar.

SC Meetings/Classes

Monday's

State Meeting 8:30-9:30am All agents are expected to join this meeting

Coffee & Compliance will be held immediately after State Meeting Weekly-Got questions? We will try to answer!

Contract Class 9:45-10:45am After the SC State Meeting/Coffee & Compliance Deep dive into forms you use regularly SC Auditorium

<u>1st & 3rd Tuesday of every month</u> New Agent Orientation 8:30-9:30am SC Auditorium <u>Wednesday's</u> Skyslope: How To Get Paid 8:30-9:30am SC Auditorium (SC Conference Hall on mobile)

<u>Thursday's</u> Professional Development 8:30-9:30am SC Auditorium (SC Conference Hall on mobile)

<u>Friday's</u> Core Fundamentals 8:30-9:30am 6 Classes to help agents build their business foundation SC Auditorium (SC Conference Hall on mobile)

Where can I find past state meetings and trainings?

SC VIDEO LIBRARY

Where else can I find state resources, updates, and information?

Since eXp is a cloud brokerage we have created several avenues for you to get connected and stay up to date. Below are just some of the ways to stay connected!

Workplace:

Workplace is our communication hub. This is where all state updates, news, and alerts will be shared. Check here daily for the most up to date knowledge.

- <u>SC STATE GROUP</u>
- <u>SC REFERRAL GROUP</u>
- <u>SC OFFICE EXCLUSIVE PROPERTIES</u>

******Getting a TON of notifications from Workplace? Click <u>HERE</u> to learn how to update your settings.

SC Self Help Room: <u>https://exp.world/scbrokerroom#selfhelp</u> SC State Website: <u>https://sites.google.com/exprealty.net/scexplore/home</u> SC Resource Guide: SC Agent Resource Library eXp SC Past Newsletters: Agent Success Newsletters Library

Is there training for an agent new to eXp?

Yes, there is! eXp has a National Training that covers everything from transaction management to getting paid. Get the schedule <u>HERE</u>! These classes cover everything an agent needs to know to get started. You can find the National Training Auditorium <u>HERE</u>. You can also access on demand National Training through the My eXp app on the Getting Started tab.

Click HERE to find the next class. También los tenemos en español!

For state-specific training, our state Orientation is held <u>1st and 3rd Tuesday of every Month</u> New Agent Orientation 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM at <u>SC Auditorium.</u>

What are the state policies and procedures?

SC Policies and Procedures

Licensing

Please go to the <u>South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation</u> for any state licensing questions you may have.

Marketing

Do I need advertising approval?

Yes! Please send all advertising and marketing materials for approval *prior to printing* to <u>sc.broker@exprealty.net</u> **AND** <u>marketing@exprealty.net</u>

https://www.expmarketingcenter.com for marketing materials & guidelines

All marketing materials need to be approved at the state and company level

- Send all proofs to <u>marketing@exprealty.com</u> and copy your BIC (<u>sc.broker@exprealty.net</u>) prior to ordering
- The only address you can use on marketing is the one associated with your license
- All social media real estate pages need to disclose you are an Agent with eXp Realty
- Print marketing NEEDS the following disclosure: "Not intended to solicit any properties already listed for sale with another real estate agent. If your home is already for sale, then please disregard this message."
- Don't forget to upload all marketing related to listings/transactions to SkySlope

Can I use an alias? (For example, middle name or a nickname)

Yes. An alternative first name and legal last name can be used on marketing materials, provided that the alternative name has been properly registered with the Commission.

https://www.llr.sc.gov/re/recpdf/Alternative-Name-FAQ.pdf

MLS/Associations

What MLS/Associations is eXp a part of in South Carolina?

Join an MLS & Board

If not, you c		ich MLS Can I Join? Are you in the correct office for your location? can transfer! Just go on LLR and make the transfer to the ffice then let your MLS know you have made a change.			
Bluffton/	Charleston	Columbia	Greenville	Rock Hill	Myrtle Beach
Hilton	Charleston MLS Coastal MLS	Aiken MLS	Consolidated MLS		Deach
Head	Consolidated MLS	Canopy MLS	Cherokee MLS	Canopy MLS	Coastal Carolina MLS
Charleston MLS	Charleston Commercial	Charleston MLS	Greenville MLS	Consolidated MLS	Consolidated MLS
Consolidated MLS	Greenville MLS	Consolidated MLS	Greenwood MLS		Pee Dee MLS
Hilton Head MLS	Hilton Head MLS	Palmetto MLS	Spartanburg MLS		
Lowcountry MLS	Lowcountry MLS	Sumter MLS			
	Sumter MLS	Greenville MLS Western Upstate MLS Coastal Carolina MLS	Western Upstate MLS		
	Pee Dee MLS				

I'm not a Primary Agent in SC, so how do I get access to the SC Forms?

Most standard forms utilized in real estate transactions in South Carolina are produced and trademarked by SC REALTORS. Therefore, only SCR members are authorized to use those documents. eXp staff can NOT share.

For agents in NC or GA, etc. who are dual agents and want access to the SC Forms, Legal Hotline, Tech Helpline and more, you can just join the SC Realtor Association.

The application for secondary membership the SC Association of Realtors can be accessed here: https://www.screaltors.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/Secondary-Membership-1.pdf

There is a fee to join but, upon joining, you have immediate access to the full SC forms library on ZipForms, where the forms are always kept up to date.

Lindsey Pittman - Director of Member Services, SCR Direct 803.807.2107 Email <u>lindsey@screaltors.org</u> Website: <u>screaltors.org</u>

(SCAR) Legal Hotline

803-772-5206

Offboarding

**Agents must provide notice in writing of their intention to offboard with eXp or agent billing may, and likely will, continue for a limited period of time following agent's offboard date. Please see eXp realty Independent Contract Agreement (Page 3, Section 6)

Who do I notify if I intend to leave eXp?

- Send an email to <u>sc.broker@exprealty.net</u> with your name, and official offboard date.
- Send a Workplace chat to your State Broker or ASA with your email, and official offboard date.

Your state team will reach out via email with an Exit Survey that will need to be completed in order for the offboard process to be finalized.

Onboarding

How do I transfer my license to eXp (STATE)?

STEP 1: TRANSFER/REACTIVATE/NEWLY LICENSED SC INSTRUCTIONS

I just got licensed! What are my next steps?

STEP 2 and STEP 3: Join an MLS & Board

Who can I contact to check on my onboarding status?

For new agents inquiring about the onboarding status please have THEM email <u>sc.onboarding@exprealty.net.</u>

If you are inquiring about an agent you are sponsoring, please go to Agent Onboarding in eXp World (preferably with each other) or email <u>sc.onboarding@exprealty.net.</u>

In almost all cases of delayed onboarding, the agent trying to join eXp Realty has not completed a document sent to them. Make sure they are checking their email and spam folder, particularly for *HelloSign* documents. Please also make sure they are reading EACH email sent to them during the onboarding process, as each has important information. We do our best to communicate every step of the way.

Are there any state-specific resources for an onboarding agent?

eXp Realty Onboarding Guide

For anything not covered in this state-specific section, please see below.

US Agent Center Onboarding Website HERE

ALMOST everything you need to know about onboarding with eXp. See below for state specific information and instructions.

State Agent Advisory Council

What is the State Agent Advisory Council (SAAC)?

Being heard and having a voice in a company is a valuable asset. With eXp Realty's commitment to being the most agent-centric real estate company in the world, it has an Agent Advisory Council (AAC), which was installed in 2019 to provide eXp's agents with a direct liaison with eXp's leadership team.

The Agent Advisory Council serves as a conduit of communication in support of the agent voice and overarching company initiatives.

Who is on the (STATE) AAC?



Where can I find more information on this program?

State /Province Agent Advisory Council Overview <u>HERE</u> State/Province AAC Agent FAQ <u>HERE</u>

Transactions, Contracts & Forms (Oh, my!)

Where do I have my commission checks mailed to?

Regular Mail: PO BOX 932975 Atlanta, GA 31193-2975

Where do I send documents that need the Broker's signature?

Please send via electronic signature program to <a>sc.broker@exprealty.net

Who do I reach out to about my Commission Disbursement Authorization (CDA)?

This is what your Transaction Team Analysts handle. Click <u>HERE</u> to be taken up to their contact information.

Where do I find contracts and forms?

Documents You Need to do Business

Where do I find eXp Forms?

eXp forms are the company documents we have created - you will find them in Skyslope, our Transaction Management System. Skyslope Forms> Browse Library> All Libraries> eXp Realty USA- Broker Library

The following eXp forms are housed in Skyslope:

- Wire Fraud Advisory
- Agent Owned Listing/Selling of Personal Property
- Associated Business Agreement
- Lead Based Paint Disclosure
- eXp W9
- E&O

What required documents do I need to have in my files?

Relevant Forms/Documents you need for business (and more)

Can my commission be paid to my LLC?

Yes, commission can be paid to an LLC

What does it mean to be a SINGLE CHECK state?

Single Check: The commission is paid directly to to eXp Realty and then the brokerage pays the agent via direct deposit. This is state-specific and if you are unsure about your state - please check with your state broker team.

For anything not covered in this state-specific section, please go to our <u>National Training classes</u> or see below.

eXp's Transaction Quick Reference Guide HERE

The Transaction Quick Reference Guide is...

National Questions & Resources

For anything not covered in our State-Specific FAQ, please see below.

The US Agent Center HERE

Step into the US Agent Center, where all Agent essential tools and information are just a click away.

eXp Realty FAQ HERE

Get answers to eXp's most frequently asked questions.