

Ask anyone to tell you about an experience they had with taxes and the IRS.

There's a reason tax-prep tools are turning those tax filing experiences into positive ones.

THE CHALLENGE

How can the IRS leverage its incredible data collection to make taxpayer data <u>helpful</u>, and create a better user <u>experience</u> for people to make informed financial decisions <u>BETWEEN their tax filings</u>.

TAXPAYERS NEED A SERVICE THAT IS...

Actionable

To be helpful, the service must offer dynamic actions a person can take to accomplish goals in addition to analyzing and browsing their data.

Comprehensible

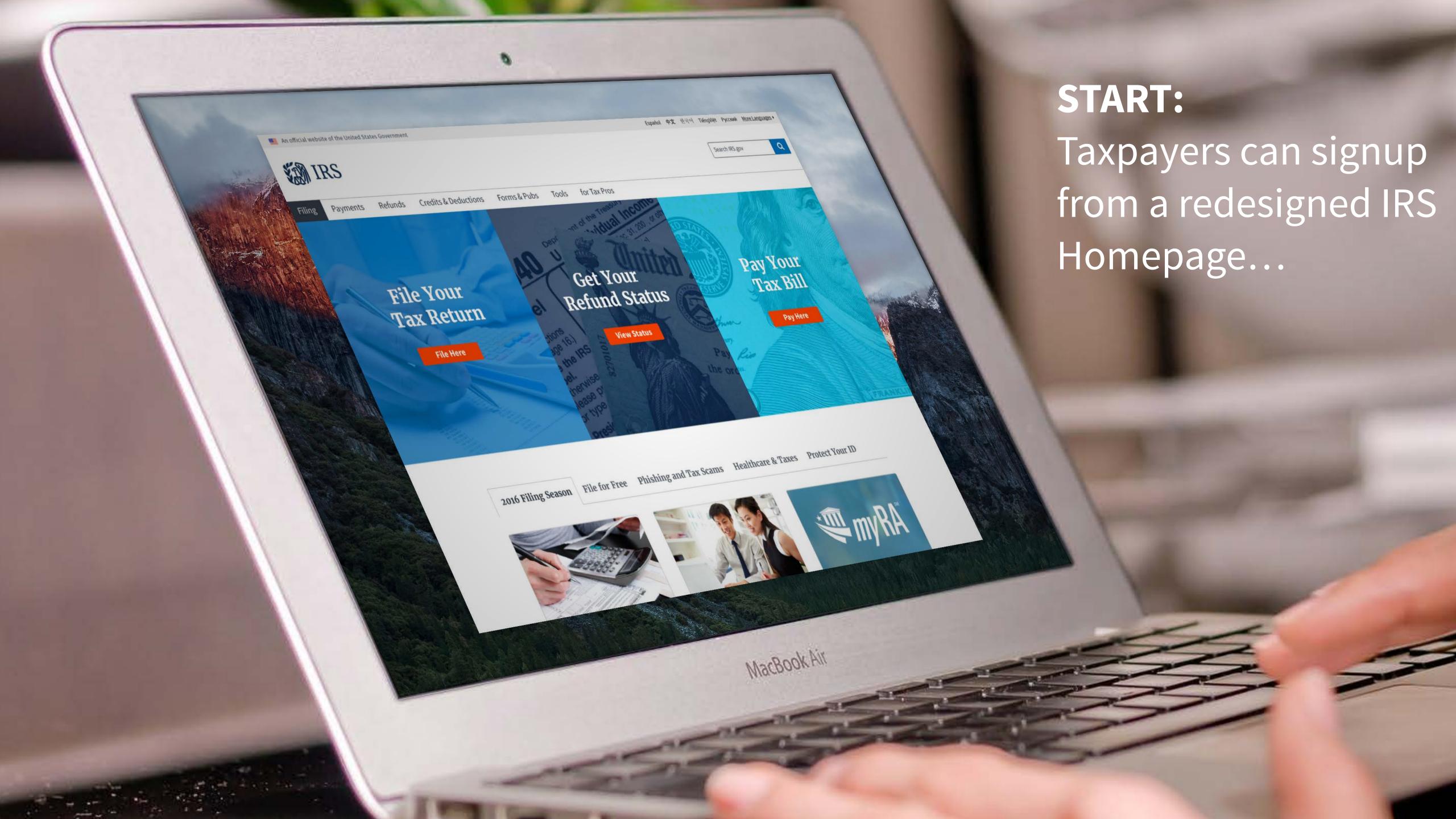
Prioritized and organized data needs to provide context that is clear to understand.

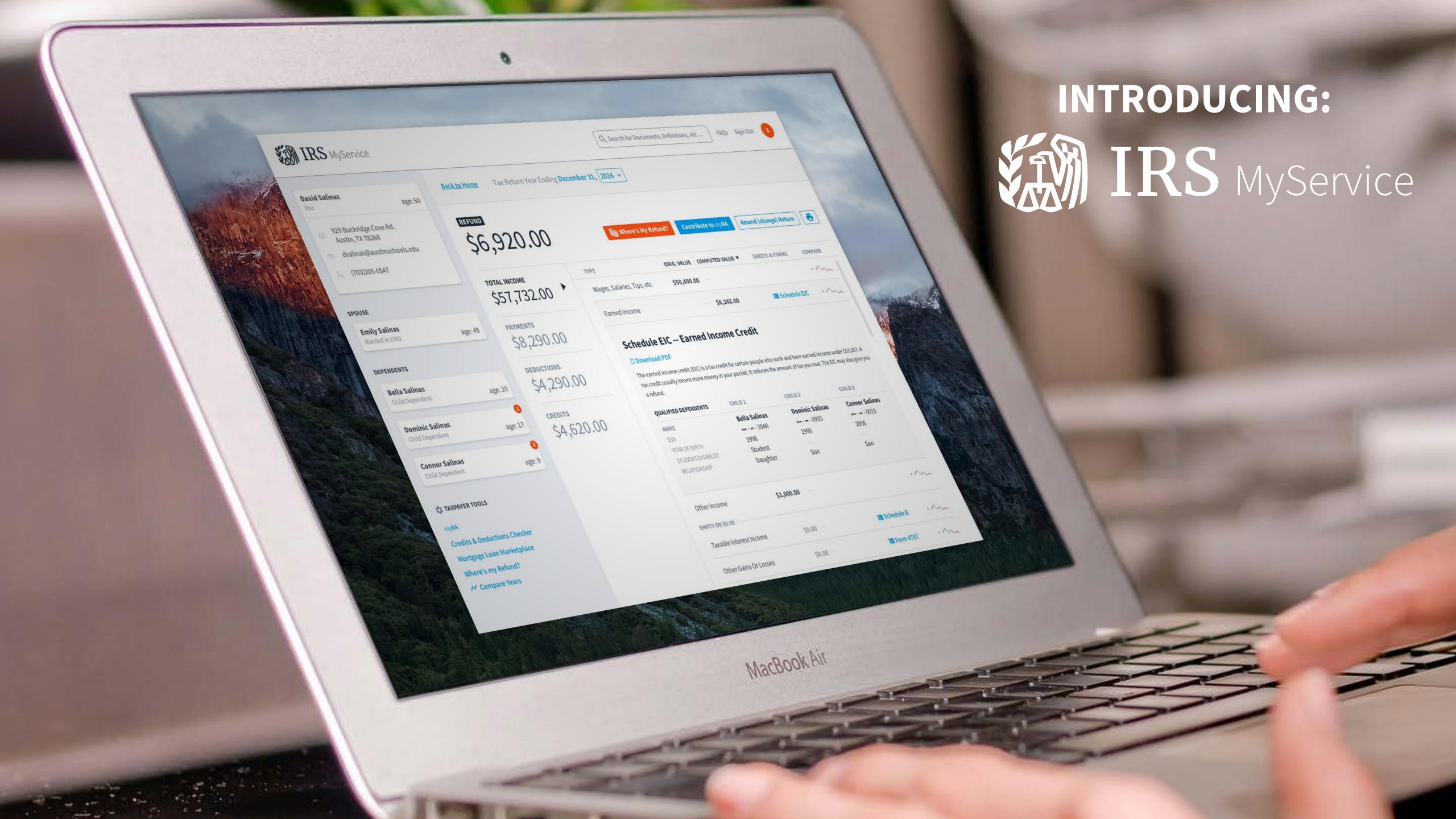
Humble

This service is never intended to be used day-to-day. It should be a helpful tool that can be easily learned and boasts a recognizable interface for a wide audience

Accessible

Make the most important tools and notifications accessible to those who might not have access to internet services, or trouble connecting.





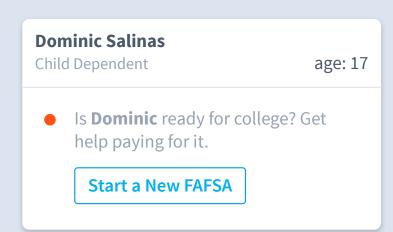
DASHBOARD (HOME)

Profile Sidebar

You and your family are constant variables that don't often change.
Update you family's information that can be used to get started on next year's taxes. This includes automatically calculating if you and/or your dependents qualify for credits and deductions.

Individual-based Notifications 1

Profile information such as ages of children can ping automatic notifications that can be used to trigger reminders and calls to action.





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age: 20

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David Salinas

SPOUSE

Emily SalinasMarried in 1993

DEPENDENTS

Bella Salinas

Child Dependent

Dominic Salinas

Child Dependent

Connor Salinas

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TAXPAYER TOOLS

Credits & Deductions Checker

Mortgage Loan Marketplace

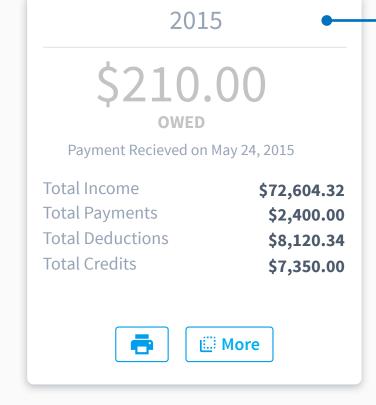
Where's my Refund?

Compare Years

Q Search for Documents, Definitions, etc...

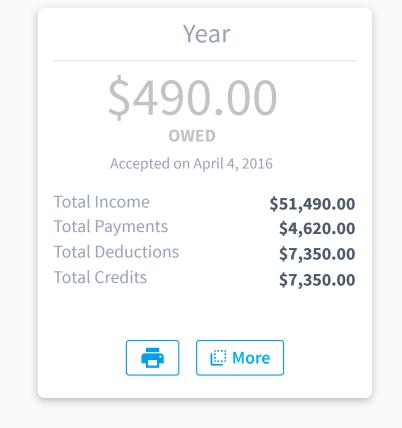






FAQs Sign Out





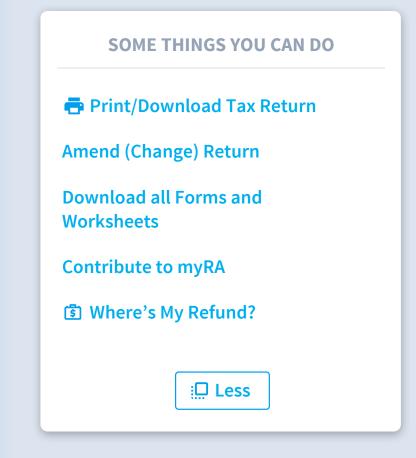


Tax Return Cards

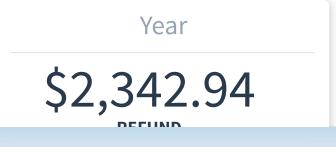
Yearly snapshots provide simple insights to compare data year-to-year before jumping into individual years.
Clicking the card takes users into the Individual Return View.

Tax Return Card (Back)

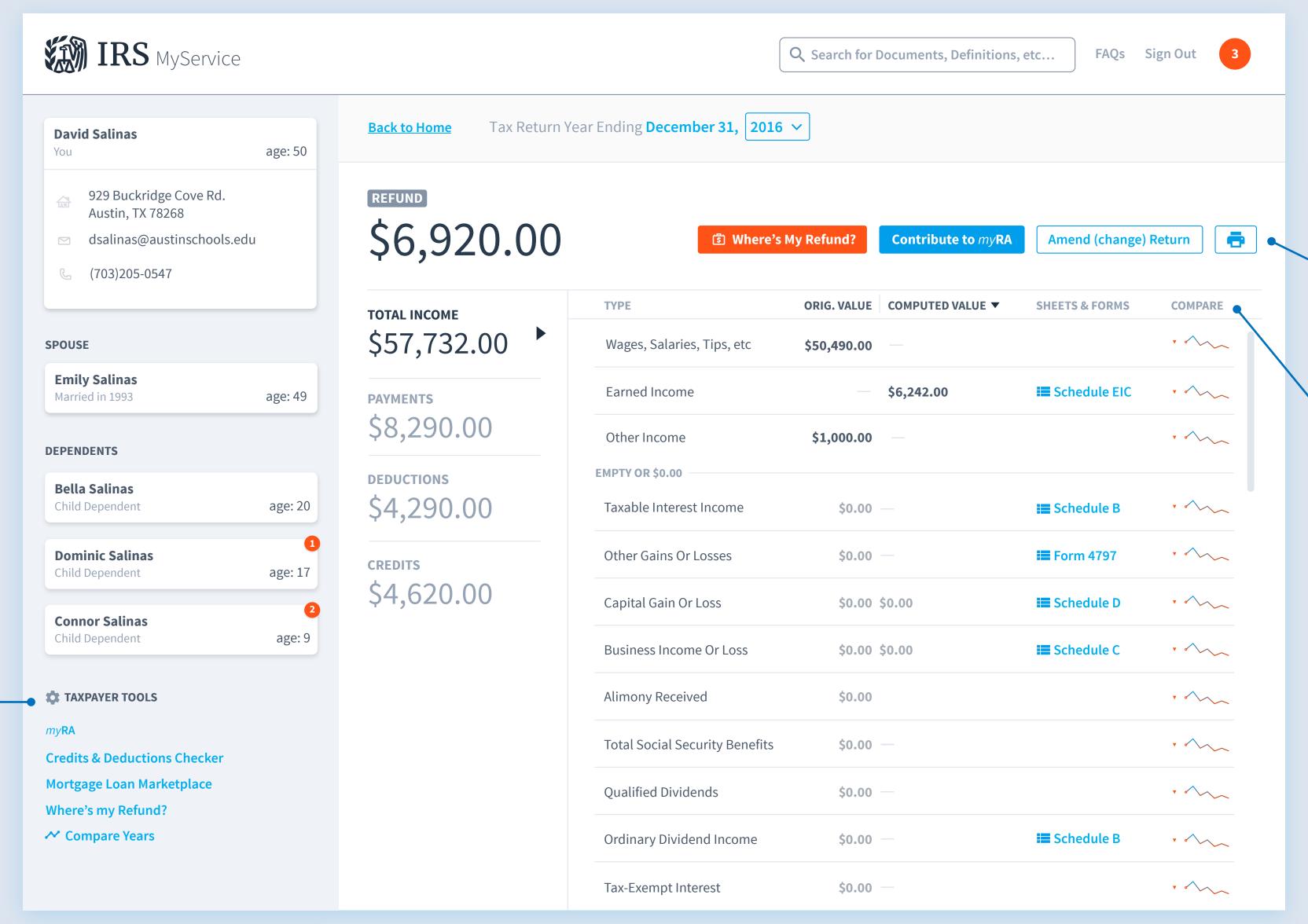
Clicking shows a few more quick actions a user can take.







TAX RETURN INDIVIDUAL YEAR VIEW



Important Actions

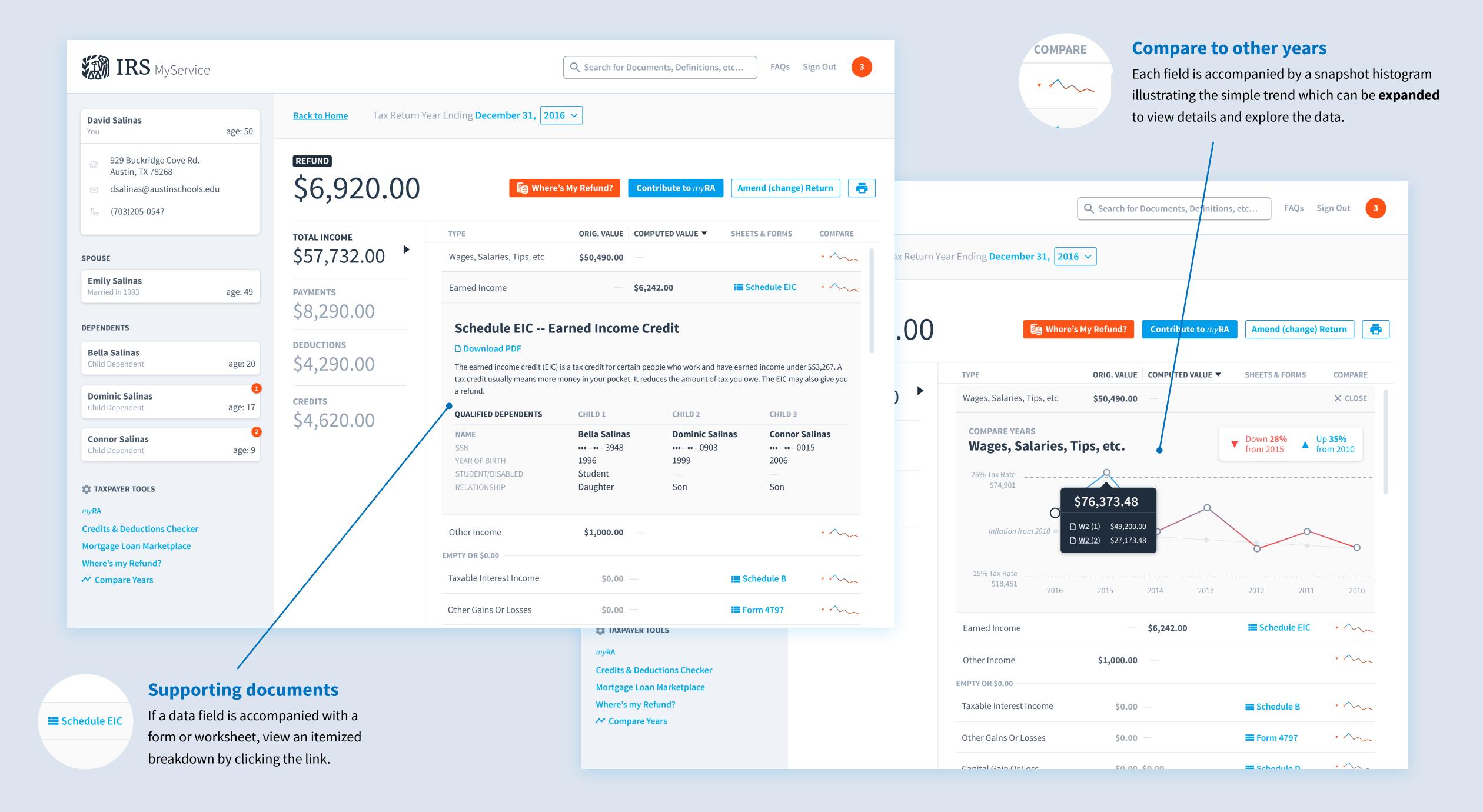
Front-and-center are actions most important to users.

Organize and sort data

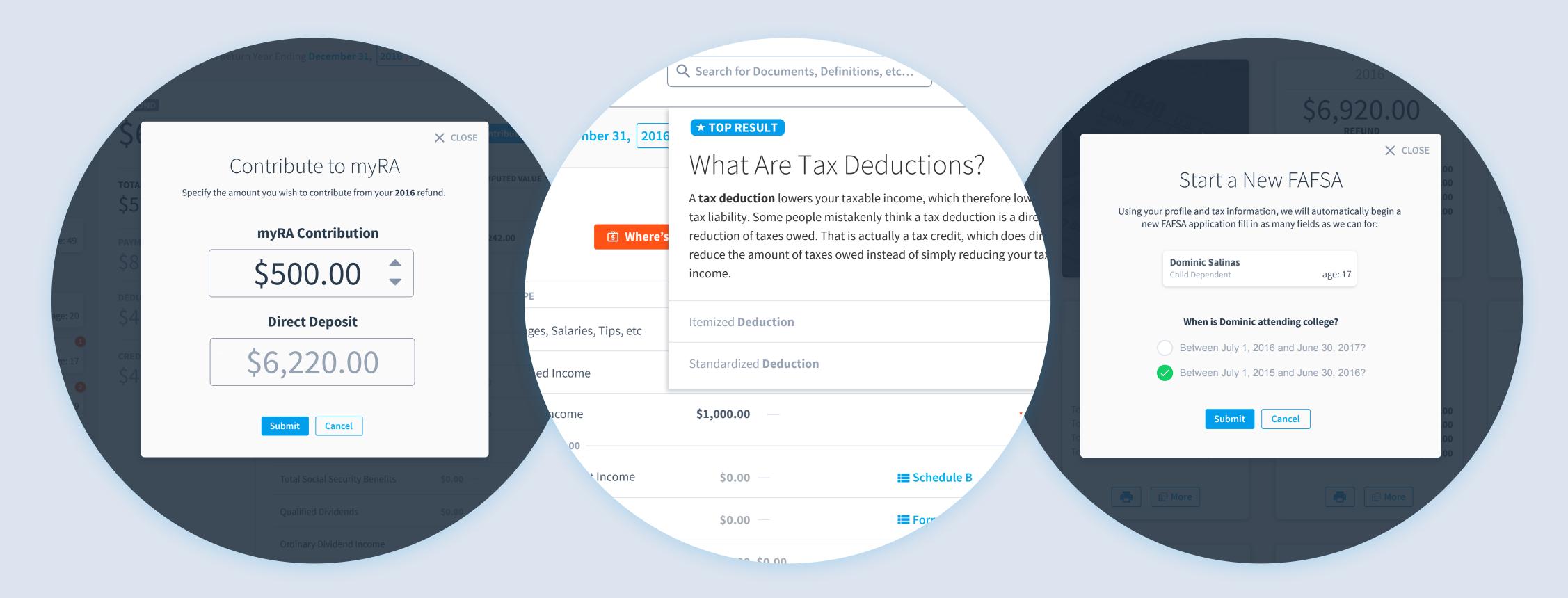
Data fields can be sorted. Sorting by descending value is shown here. This is useful for separating out empty fields

Sibling Service Quicklinks —

Links to services that can be combined with IRS MyService using your profile information.



FUNCTIONALITY DETAILS



Tie-In with myRA

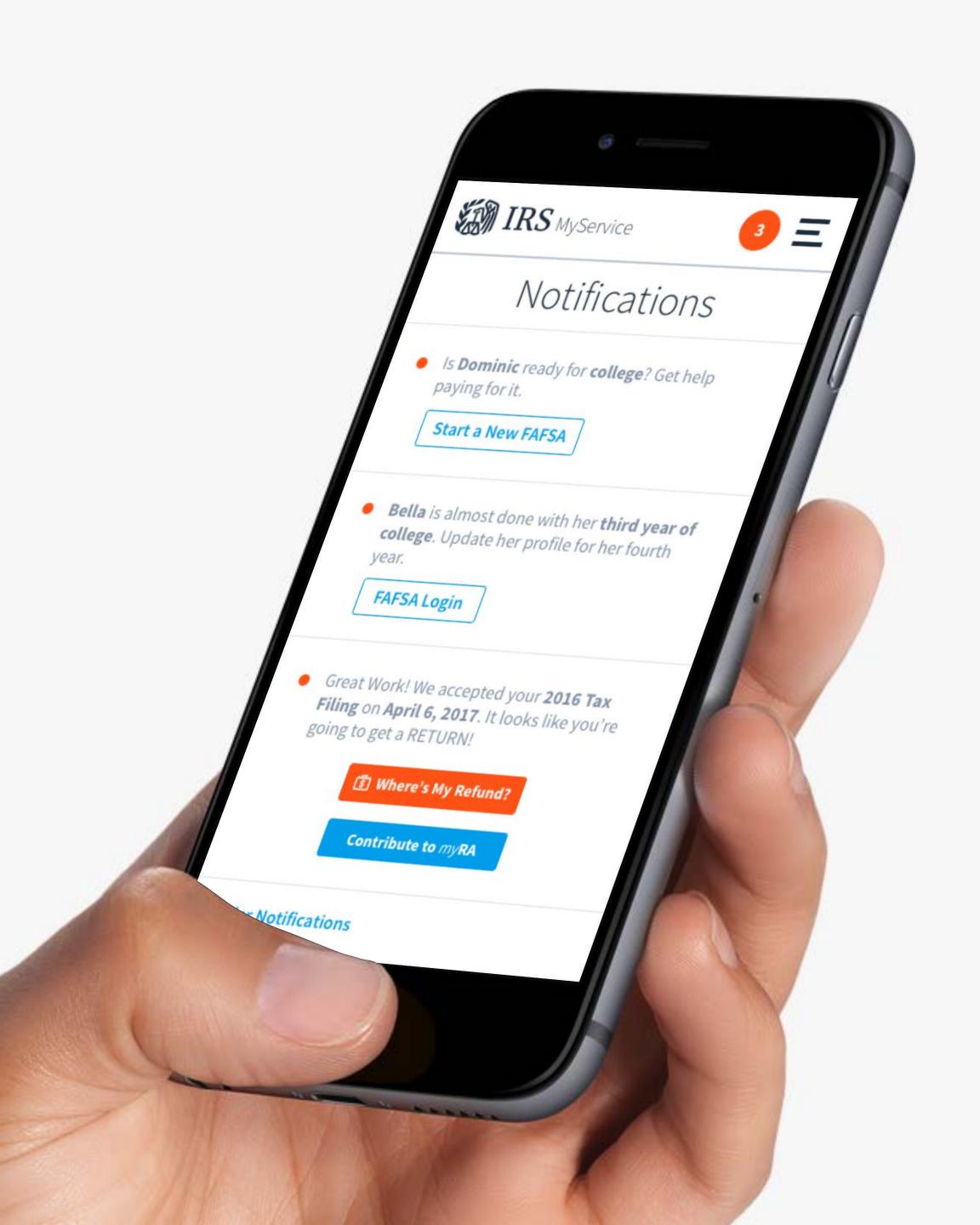
Profile information allows users to quickly apply or sign up for services like myRA that can automatically deposit a portion of a refund into their IRA.

Smart Search

A search tool that is in-tune with defining complex tax terminology in simple conversational terms.

Tie-In with FAFSA

Applying for FAFSA for you or your dependents is as easy as selecting the person attending school and the year which to apply for. Profile information and tax information will be fed into the application giving you a head-start.



MOBILE ACCESSIBILITY

Mobile devices and MyService Notifications are where our four goals converge into one use. Notifications are <u>actionable</u> with clear steps leading user toward their goals. They are <u>comprehensible</u> in that they try to maximize your financial benefits in simple terms. It remains <u>humble</u>, only notifying you when deadlines approach or for important tips. Most importantly, we notify the people who need the information the most...

29% of households with a family income of less than \$25,000 access online services solely through mobile devices according to data collected by U.S. Census Bureau's Computer and Internet Use Supplement in 2015



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Thank You