Local UCPath Workstreams

Work at UCSB to prepare for our July 1, 2015 go live date has begun. Activities have been divided into workstreams, or sub-projects. Each workstream will be assigned to a lead and a team of functional and technical experts. These teams will be accountable for developing a detailed list of activities and a timeline for each workstream as well as for supporting the work efforts. Detailed descriptions and high-level activities for these local workstreams are available at www.pmo.ucsb.edu/ucpath/workstreams.

Application Development focuses on the planning, development, implementation, and testing of integration services between local enterprise applications and the UCPath system. As of today, approximately 35 integrations have been documented.

Business Process Alignment includes the planning, coordination, and execution of functional service management and changes to business processes in Payroll, Human Resources, Benefits, Academic Personnel, and Information Technology Services in response to requirements for using the new UCPath system and working with the UCPath Center and to systemwide standardization efforts.

Change Management & Training includes the planning, coordination, and execution of local change management and training activities.

Communications includes working with the UCPath Advisory Committee, Business Process Team, and Project Management Team to support the local implementation.

Data Conversion & Cleanup includes the planning, coordination, and execution of converting and migrating existing local data to the UCPath Center. This includes both PPS and non-PPS data. Activities encompass validating data mappings provided by the UCOP PMO, cleansing historical data throughout the conversion process, writing scripts to test the data post-conversion, and obtaining campus sign-offs.

Data Warehouse & Local Reporting includes analyzing, designing, coding, testing, deploying, and maintaining the technical infrastructure of UCPath data in UCSB’s data warehouse.

Functional System Design involves working with the central UCOP PMO, IO, and Huron consultants to design and configure UCSB’s elements within established system data standards.

GL/Financials Budget Processes includes the planning, coordination, and execution of functional service management and changes to business processes in Accounting and Information Technology Services in response to requirements for using the new UCPath system and working with the UCPath Center.

Identity Management includes the planning, design, development, testing, and implementation of local and systemwide identity management systems for the purposes of authentication of users of the UCPath system.

Operational Data Store focuses on the implementation of the new systemwide warehouse, known as the Operational Data Store (ODS).

Quality Assurance & Testing activities will be both centrally and locally managed, often requiring concurrent test plans to be in place and well-coordinated.

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