

## Campus Wide Business Manager Meeting March 28, 2023

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# Agenda

- Annual Compliance Training Reminder
  - Tony Ferrara
- Travel Policy Updates
  - Jonathan Lawshe
- DASH Updates
  - Mike Ebbs
- Proposed Budget Calendar
  - Mike Ebbs
- Strategic Plan Presentation
  - Sally Badoud

# Annual Compliance Training Reminder

It's that time of year again, Mandatory Compliance Training has launched!

All regular staff, faculty, and temporary employees are required to complete the 2023 Mandatory Compliance Training and Outside Interest Disclosure form by April 30, 2023. The Compliance Training can be accessed through K@TE and consists of 7 training modules. The HIPAA Training can be accessed through Health Stream. The OID form can be accessed through IRIS under the Employee Self-Service tab.

If you have any questions, please contact the Institutional Compliance Office at 901.448.8469 or institutional.compliance@uthsc.edu

## Travel Policy Updates: Proposed Revisions to Travel Policy



# **Fiscal Policy Advisory Committee**

- We are aiming to launch the new policy/procedures in April to May 2023.
- UTSAAP will work with Huron, Concur, and World Travel to change Concur.
- Major overhaul, with changes to reduce exceptions and improve the travel process.



# Overall goals for the proposed edits

- The Fiscal Policy Advisory Committee's overarching goals were to:
  - Reduce exceptions
  - Eliminate unnecessary steps
  - Improve employee satisfaction with the travel process



# Lodging (non-conference)

- Current: capped at CONUS or OCONUS
- Future: capped at 150% of CONUS or OCONUS



## **Advances**

- Current policy: does not limit when someone may apply for a cash advance.
- Future: defines when an employee may request a cash advance:
  - International travel; or
  - Traveling with a student or students;
  - Employee does not have a travel card.



## Per diem

- Current policy: employees must deduct meals when provided by a third party, such as a conference.
- Future: The University will no longer require employees to deduct meals when provided by a conference, unless the University provided the meals (e.g. at a University conference).



## **Travel Requests**

- Current policy: requires a travel request before any travel outside of TN.
- Future: The University will require travel requests only when the employee will be traveling internationally.
- In 2022, 8,126 of 9,353 requests were for domestic travel.



## **Exceptions**

- Current policy: all exceptions (excluding exceptions only for lodging) go to the CBO and then the CFO (or designee).
- Future:
  - There will be significantly fewer exceptions.
  - Those that remain: CBO will be last stop for vast majority of exceptions.



## **Contractors**

- Current policy: Provides that contractors must comply with UT travel policy.
- Future: Allows departments to work with applicable contract/procurement office to negotiate a flat rate to cover contractor travel.



# **Refueling cars**

- Current policy: The University prohibits refueling charges. Rental car companies utilize very sophisticated gauges that result in many employees receiving charges for under \$5.00 for refueling, leading to travel exceptions.
- Future: The University will allow refueling (but not prepaid) fuel charges without an exception.
- In 2022, 281 exceptions, totaling \$10,458.26.

## Travel policy structure

- Current policy: 38 pages, sub-optimal organization, and sub-optimal wording.
- Future: policy itself is 2.5 pages; procedures total 26 pages, but will be alphabetized by header, worded much more clearly, and will be easier to understand.







### Project Guiding Principles

#### Governance, Transparency & Inclusion

The ERP Program will be led by the UT System Administration Executive Sponsor and Executive Steering Committee who will work closely with all stakeholders throughout the University and the Program team. The ERP Program is committed to broad system-wide collaboration and transparent decision-making. The Program team will communicate frequently and fully to ensure accurate information and data are shared with the wider UT community and will seek input and feedback throughout.

### Simplification & Standardization

The ERP Program will simplify operations and processes while ensuring the processes meet user needs. Processes will be redesigned based on higher education best practices and ERP functionality. Standardization of processes and data definitions across the UT System will maximize the opportunity for collaboration, facilitating the One UT culture.

#### Measurable Improvements

Improvements to transformed business processes will be measured by qualitative or quantitative standards as appropriate—for example, by the number of approvals eliminated or by stakeholders' judgement that reports contain more useful data.

#### Integrating Technology

UT System will adopt a culture of continuous improvement through technology. Rather than configuring software to current operations, the way we work will change as we adopt new functionality. Increased operational efficiency will be achieved while maintaining compliance with State laws and UT policies. The University will first use the ERP platform functionality to its fullest extent before considering additional software packages or alternative business processes.

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### **Project Goals & Objectives**

Modern ERP: Bring core processes together under a single platform in order to deploy a modern ERP solution that effectively processes the volume and type of transactions required.

Fresh Approach: Adopt a fresh approach to administration and operation using a facilitated approach to realize the outcomes.

Efficiency & Effectiveness: Streamline and automate processes, creating a leaner, more accurate and efficient operation.

Intuitive: Implement user-friendly intuitive systems to improve end user experience and confidence across UT.

System-Wide Alignment: Deploy a shared system-wide methodology and financial structure to align reporting/analytics and simplify consolidation and collaboration.

Information & Reporting: Provide better reporting and decision making as well as give real time visibility into crucial business processes.

Technology Integration: Provide smooth and seamless integration between the new ERP solution and other systems used by the campus community.

**Continuous Improvement:** Take advantage of continuing advancements in functionality and technology that would enable future **improvements in business and administrative practices**.

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### Implementation Scope | Applications

The following Oracle applications and modules will be implemented

#### **Oracle ERP Cloud (Financials)**

#### **Financial Accounting Hub** •

- **General Ledger**
- Contract Management
- . Procurement
- . Accounts Payable
- ٠ Asset Management
- .
- Accounts Receivable
- Cash Management •
- ٠ Grants

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- Projects .
- Travel & Expense

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- **EPM (Planning & Budgeting)**
- Financial
- Capital Expenditure .
- Workforce Planning ٠

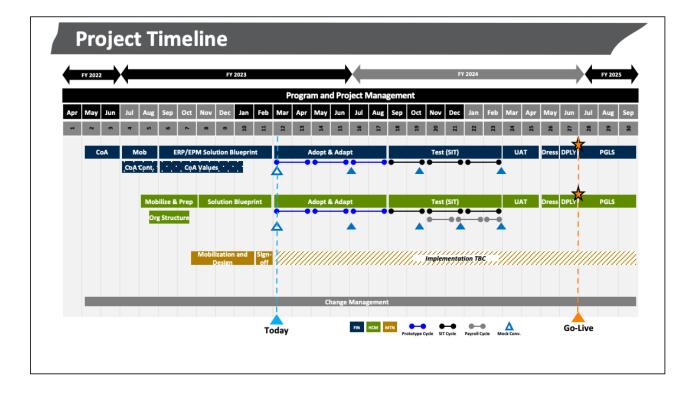
#### **Oracle HCM Cloud (HR)** Core HR •

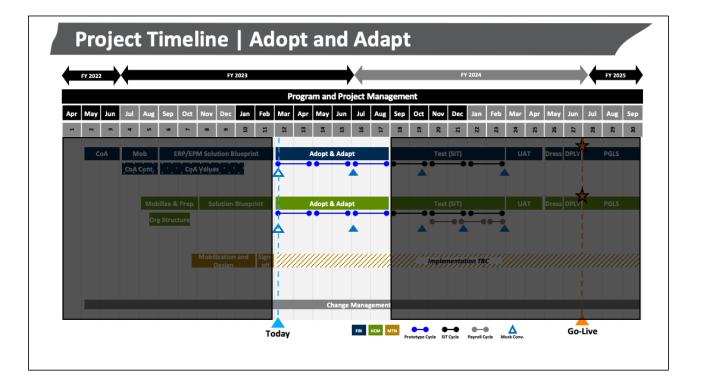
- ٠ Payroll
- Benefits
- Compensation
- Time & Labor
- ٠ Absence Management
- **Recruitment and Onboarding**
- Talent
- Goals
  - Performance Management
- **Succession Planning**



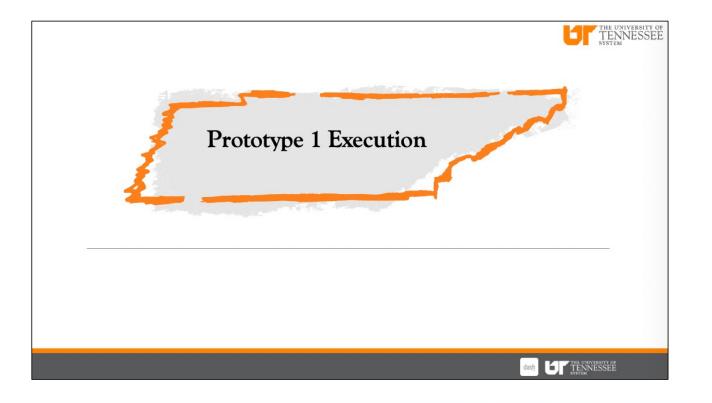
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### **Prototype Execution | Overview**

#### What are Prototypes?

**Prototypes are system demos.** This will be UT's first opportunity to see business processes in their own Oracle environment. It gives the process owners and other UT SMEs the ability to see how the system will behave, based on UT's specific requirements, with the purpose of providing more feedback to further refine the solution. By "refine", we mean that the configuration can be modified or updated to make the business process better and more suitable to UT's needs. This feedback is solicited as part of the session itself. Moreover, the team has built in time to the schedule if follow up discussions are needed.

#### What do we need?

We need participation. We need resources (process owners and campus SMEs) who are highly knowledgeable on the process being shown. Accenture will demonstrate a business process, how it works in Oracle, and why it was configured that way. But we need UT's participation to identify whether the solution can work, or if it could be improved.

#### When will prototypes take place?

Between March and July this year. The team has intentionally included 3 prototype cycles. These are three opportunities to review all business processes across all applications to fully validate the design before we move into testing.

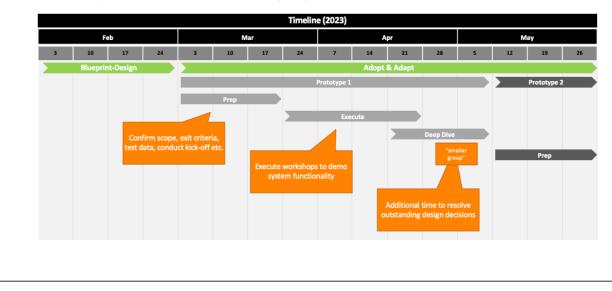
#### What is the desired outcome?

Alignment to business requirements. Prototype sessions help us validate configuration and that business processes align back to our requirements before moving into testing.



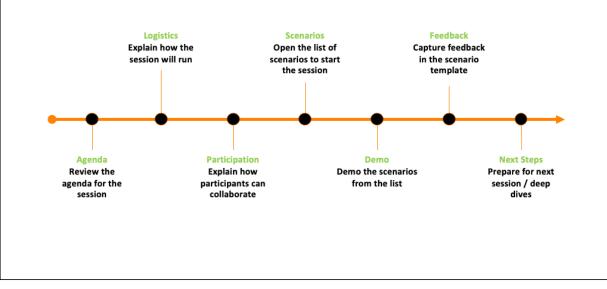
### Prototype Execution | Timeline

Adopt and Adapt has 3 prototype cycles. Each prototype cycle will have time assigned to prep, demo and conduct deep dive sessions to address outstanding design decisions.



### **Prototype Execution | Day-in-the-life**

Each prototype session will follow a similar format. Meeting invites will be shared in advance with more details on the specific application and business processes to be demonstrated.



### **Prototype Execution | Getting the most of your time**

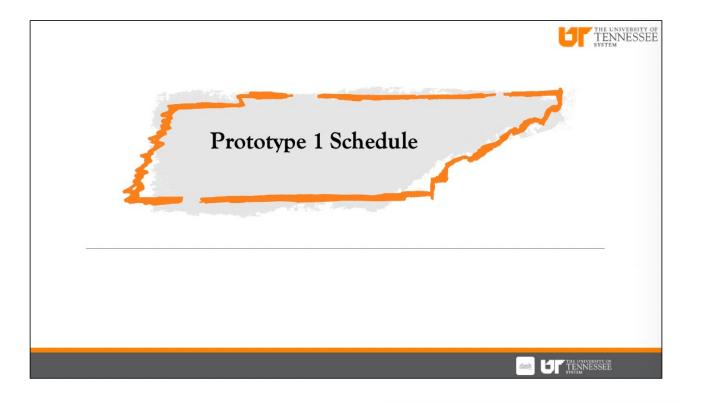
- Remember that our approach is fit-to-standard best practices (out-of-the-box) Oracle processes. This means that you
  may see process flows or sequences that differ from what you and/or your teams do now. Think about whether these
  differences can be addressed with additional configuration or whether we need to adjust our business processes.
- Keep in mind that success in Prototype 1 is not strictly a measure of pass/fail. Everything will not work perfectly so
  focus on identifying the problem correctly so that the best solutions can be defined.
- The Prototype sessions are not testing or training. They give us our first opportunity to see the system and how our data moves through selected processes. This is a bridge between design and the configuration that needs to take place for us to be successful in future phases.
- Each session agenda is full. Questions and comments are important, but the agendas may not permit off-topic discussions. Such discussions may be parked to maintain the schedule.
- Take note of any incomplete process flows or missing business requirements. Concerns and requests for process
  improvements captured during Prototype 1 will be actioned by the project team during deep dive sessions (as shown
  on slide 15 Prototype Execution Timeline).

### Prototype Execution | Capturing change impacts

Measuring Change Impacts across modules & processes will inform communications, training and other change management activities that will best equip end users to adopt DASH.

- Change impacts will help the University of Tennessee identify what is changing, who is impacted by the change, and how the change is occurring across all modules and stakeholder groups as a result of the transition to Oracle.
- During prototype UT and Accenture change analysts and functional SME's will help to identify and capture information and decisions that will inform the level of change impact associated with the design of DASH. In some cases deep-dive sessions will be required to confirm level of change with more detail from other stakeholders.
- Change impacts will be measured across People, Process, and Technology (see the following slide for more details).
- Impacts that assist in measuring DASH benefits, such as reduction in workflow, improved reporting and internal controls, will
  also be captured. This may include identifying processes with reduced steps or processing time and meeting reporting needs through
  real-time dashboards.
- Identifying and defining impacts brings the change into focus at the individual level which helps support users through the change.
- Defining impacts helps identify areas of resistance and determine the specific support needed for the change and informs plans for communications, training and other change management activities.
- The Prototype sessions are not testing or training. Training is planned by the OCM team and will occur near end of the Testing phase.







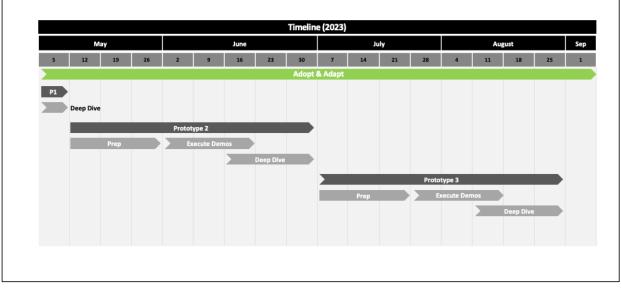
### Calendar View (Proposed)

Sessions will be scheduled on Tue / Wed / Thu where possible. Each session will be either a half or full day, with breaks in the morning / afternoon as well as a 1-hour lunch.



### Upcoming Prototypes | Proposed Schedule

Prototypes 2 and 3 will follow a similar schedule. Most activity will take place during "execute demos" followed by "Deep Dives" to validate our configuration.



## **Proposed Budget Calendar**

### FY 2024 Proposed Budget Schedule

- > Base Budget will be copied into X01 on April 03, 2024. Please run reports after this date
- Reminders
  - > A Schedule 3 is needed only for accounts have changes
  - > Please use only whole numbers on the schedule 03s. NO FORMULAS OR DECIMALS
  - > Even with no changes, please submit a filled in FY 2024 Budget control worksheet.
- Due Dates
  - ➤ April 14, 2023 Payroll changes for FY 2024 due at payroll office
  - April 14, 2023 Position changes for FY 2024 due in budget office. Remember those faculty rank promotions!!
  - April 21, 2023 ALL Schedule 3s and Income Worksheets due for FY24 Budget to Budget office!!



### **Strategic Plan Presentation**



### Strategic Planning Session: Engaging YOU for YOUR Feedback

March 2023 Rollout

Where We Are and How We Got Here

# **Timeline of Phases in the Process**

Phase 1: Environmental Assessment	January – September 2022	
Phase II: Mission, Vision, Values	July – October 2022	
Phase III: Work Groups: Goals	September – October 2022	
Phase IVa: Work Groups: Strategy and Metric Development	October – December 2022	
Phase IVb: Systematic Review across Work Group Products	December 2022 – February 2023	
Phase V: Draft Plan and Implementation and Operating Plan	February – March 2023	
Phase VI: Broad Review and Comments	March 2023	
Phase VII: Finalize Plan	April 2023	
Phase VIII: Presentation for Approval	Advisory Board	May 2023
	Board of Trustees	June 2023

# Phase I: Considerations in Conducting Our Environmental Assessment

### Internal Assessment

- SWOT analyses
- Current campus and college plans
- Surveys of students, faculty, and staff
- Consultant reports
- Internal trends in education, research, and clinical care

- External Assessment
  - Accreditation and regulatory requirements
  - Key competitors peer and other institutions
  - Demographic trends
  - External trends in education, research, and clinical care

# Strategic Planning Snapshot to Date

- 1 steering committee
- 10 workgroups
- 120 individuals across colleges, campuses, and administrative units, representing faculty, staff, students, plus external stakeholders



# **Qualities of Workgroup Members**

- Big picture perspective able to look outside their own unit
- Emotional intelligence to view information from various perspectives and points of view
- Sensitivity to campus culture and political sensibilities
- Understand the interrelationships between units
- Insight to identify common elements or trends
- Congenial, committed, and engaged
- Critical thinking skills
- Forward thinkers

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Timeline of Meetings				ţ	nber	L D	nber	nber	ry	ary	_			
in the Process	May	June	July	Augus	Septer	Octob	Noven	Decen	Janua	Febru	March	April	May	June
Mission, Vision, Values Work Group					X									
Work Group Meetings						X	X	X						
Strategic Plan Session with Co-Chairs					X									
Strategic Plan Town Hall					X						X			
Steering Committee Meeting										Х				
Broad Rollout across Campus and State											X			
Health Science Center Advisory Board	Х			X			X		X				Х	
UT Board of Trustees														X

#### Now: March 2023

- Campus engagement to provide feedback
- All constituent groups:
  - Internal groups including faculty, staff, students, and more
  - External individuals and groups including community partners
  - Across the state
  - Representing all mission areas
- Strategic Planning Townhall on March 31

Our Starting Point and Foundation: Mission • Vision • Values

# Updated Mission, Vision, and Values

Communities.





#### **Discussion of Each Pillar**

#### Pillar #1

#### **Enhancing Educational Excellence**

Co-chairs:

Tom Laughner, Director, Teaching and Learning Center Allen Dupont, Director, Institutional Effectiveness

## Key Themes, Issues, and Ideas

- Innovative pedagogy and learning spaces
- Interprofessional education
- Preparing students for diverse client/patient populations
- Consistency and communication across colleges
- Recognize faculty work in teaching innovation and accreditation

#### Indicators of Success – 3 to 5 Years

- Integrated, strongly supported interprofessional education
- More active learning, fewer traditional lectures across programs
- High quality, modern learning spaces which support active learning
- Larger, better qualified, more diverse applicant pools for all programs
- All programs accredited and in good standing

## **Discussion Prompts**

- What additional goals/objectives/tactics should be included in Pillar #1: Enhancing Educational Excellence?
- Where do we (UTHSC) want to be in 5 years with respect to "Enhancing Educational Excellence"?
- What does success look like?



#### Pillar #2

#### Expanding Research and Scholarship

Co-chairs:

Kenneth Ataga, Plough Foundation Endowed Chair in Sickle Cell Disease; Professor, College of Medicine

> Monica Jablonski, Associate Dean of Postdoctoral Affairs; Hamilton Endowed Professor, College of Medicine

#### Key Themes, Issues, and Ideas

- Recruit and onboard a new Vice Chancellor for Research
- Support faculty development
- Enhance the drug and device discovery, development, design, and licensing pipeline
- Support and develop entrepreneurship among researchers
- Facilitate recruitment and retention of early career investigators

#### Indicators of Success – 3 to 5 Years

- Expanded state-wide networks for clinical trials and population health
- A biotech incubator that supports innovation and entrepreneurship is well established
- Expanded partnerships with other research entities and clinical facilities

Expanding Research and Scholarship

## **Discussion Prompts**

- What additional goals/objectives/tactics should be included in Pillar #2: Expanding Research and Scholarship?
- Where do we (UTHSC) want to be in 5 years with respect to "Expanding Research and Scholarship"?
- What does success look like?

#### Pillar #3

#### Advancing the Health of Tennesseans

From External Review of UTHSC's Vital Partnerships May – June 2022 Oliver Wyman Consultant Group

#### Key Themes, Issues, and Ideas

- Recruit and onboard Vice Chancellor for Strategic Partnerships
- Develop a framework for vital health care partnerships
- Establish quality and growth focus with all partners



#### Indicators of Success – 3 to 5 Years

- Expanded mutually beneficial health care partnerships
- Strong, vibrant relationships with partners
- All strategic partnerships are mutually beneficial



## **Discussion Prompts**

- What additional goals/objectives/tactics should be included in Pillar #3: Advancing the Health of Tennesseans?
- Where do we (UTHSC) want to be in 5 years with respect to "Advancing the Health of Tennesseans"?
- What does success look like?



#### Pillar #4

#### **Engaging Tennessee Communities**

Co-chairs:

Sarah Rhoads, Professor and Department Chair, College of Nursing Charlie Snyder, Associate Vice Chancellor of Student Success

## Key Themes, Issues, and Ideas

- Support faculty (training and recognition) who engage with communities and partners
- Engage with communities across Tennessee
- Community advisory boards with broad representation
- Capture and publicize what we do



#### Indicators of Success – 3 to 5 Years

- Advisory Boards are engaged and provide relevant input
- Carnegie Classification (as a Community Engaged Campus) achieved
- Broad recognition in rural and urban communities of the impact of UTHSC
- Public service and community engagement firmly embedded in curricula across the institution

## **Discussion Prompts**

- What additional goals/objectives/tactics should be included in Pillar #4: Engaging Tennessee Communities?
- Where do we (UTHSC) want to be in 5 years with respect to "Engaging Tennessee Communities"?
- What does success look like?



#### Pillar #5

#### **Developing Talent and Resources**

Inclusive of content from across several of the cross-cutting workgroups

## Key Themes, Issues, and Ideas

- Engage and advocate philanthropically with varied constituencies
- Implement best practices in faculty and staff recruitment, development, and retention
- Promote UTHSC's accomplishments in education, research, and clinical care to internal and external audiences
- Identify measures, regularly monitor, and track and share reports that demonstrate the commitment to DEI

**Developing Talent and Resources** 

#### Indicators of Success – 3 to 5 Years

- UTHSC is in the top half of our peers in philanthropy
- Resources, access to data, and data analytics are centralized to better serve the UTHSC community (data-based decision making)
- Increased retention of faculty and staff across the institution
- Consistent and coordinated messaging is established across all UTHSC locations and units

## **Discussion Prompts**

- What additional goals/objectives/tactics should be included in Pillar #5: Developing Talent and Resources?
- Where do we (UTHSC) want to be in 5 years with respect to "Developing Talent and Resources"?
- What does success look like?



# **Next Steps**

#### **Next Steps After March**

- Solicit feedback from across UTHSC: no later than April 5
- Feedback is integrated into Strategic Plan: April 5 11
- Updated Strategic Plan is presented to Steering Committee: by April 12; feedback due by April 21
- Final revision of Strategic Plan: week of April 24
- Materials to UTHSC Advisory Board: by May 1
- Final version presented to UTHSC Advisory Board: May 12
- Assuming UTHSC Advisory Board approval, Strategic Plan is presented to the UT Board of Trustees for final approval: June 29-30



*Our Co-Chairs and Steering Committee thank <u>YOU</u> for your engagement in our strategic planning process!* 

Next Meeting: May 23rd @ 1:30PM GEB A104

