

Project BEST - Oracle EPM Update

July 3, 2025

Where We've Been (June)

1. **Amherst Application** – Finalized build of the Amherst application, including updates from UAT and a general application clean-up.
 2. **Chan Application** – Continued build of the Chan application and reviewing functional design documentation.
 3. **Standard App** – Started development on the Standard App and addressed feedback on functional design documentation.
 4. **Technical Workstream** – Implemented data extraction jobs. Finished accessibility review of the Amherst and Chan applications.
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What's Next (July)

1. **Amherst App** – Finalizing data integrations and planning for administrator training.
 2. **Chan Application** – Continuing development of the Chan application and reviewing the technical design documentation and UAT plan.
 3. **Reporting & Standard Apps** – Continuing build of the Standard App. Reviewing requirements and design documentation for both Standard and Reporting Apps.
 4. **Change Management** – Finishing development of training materials for the Amherst rollout.
 5. **Technical Workstream** – Monitoring data extraction jobs, including Payroll Query for Amherst. Scheduling Chan and Standard integrations to monitor timing.
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More on the Horizon (August - Fall 2025)

1. **Iterative Development** – Continuing the build and testing of all applications sequentially
2. **Change Management** – Supporting the rollout of Oracle EPM to Amherst's end users. Updating the change management plan for other campuses.

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