Project BEST - Oracle EPM Update   Sept 5, 2025

Where We've Been (August)

1. **Amherst Application –** Finalized build of the Amherst application began end user training.

2. **Chan Application –** Continued build of the Chan application and planning for UAT.

3. **Reporting & Standard Apps –** Continued development on the Standard App and reviewed requirements and design documents for the Reporting App.

4. **Technical Workstream –** Evaluated and improved queries for performance

What's Next (September)

1. **Amherst App** – Finish delivering end user training on in-year projection processes

2. **Chan Application** – Start UAT with the budget office in from 9/8 to 9/12, followed by a full UAT starting 9/29.

3. **Reporting & Standard Apps** – Continuing build of the Standard and Reporting Apps; UAT dates to be finalized

4. **Technical Workstream –** Developing support model for after go-live.

More on the Horizon (Fall 2025)

1. **Iterative Development** – Continuing the build and testing of all applications sequentially

2. **Change Management** – Developing timelines for communications and training material develop for all campuses annual budget training.

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