



Countdown to Project Compass PeopleSoft Financials!

January and February have been busy months for Project Compass. Read all about it in this edition of the *Compass Spotlight*.

Project Compass System Testing

In February, the Project Compass Functional Teams kicked off the testing phase of the project. The teams created over 300 test scripts, which will guide testers through various scenarios to ensure the system meets Emory business needs.

The team members are dedicating a portion of their day to “test” the system. Testing the system includes executing the test scripts and looking for variances in expected results. If the test results do not match what is expected, team members document the unexpected results and escalate issues for resolution. System Test will last through mid-March, followed by two additional testing phases - Integration and User Acceptance Testing.

Project Compass Learning Forums

The Project Compass Team held four Town Hall Overviews in January and February. The Town Hall Overview provided Emory with an opportunity to learn the basics about the new PeopleSoft Financial System and what to expect over the next seven months. Over 600 people registered to attend the sessions. If you missed the Town Hall, download the presentation from the Project Compass website, www.compass.emory.edu.

Up Next...The Project Compass Learning Forums. The Learning Forums will provide you with more details about PeopleSoft Financials functionality, including a system demonstration. The Learning Forums will help prepare you for what to expect during training. Some of the topics include:

- PeopleSoft Financials Basics
- Transacting in PeopleSoft Financials
- PeopleSoft Financials and Grants Impacts on the University

The Learning Forums will be held this spring, from March – June. The schedule will be available soon on the Project Compass website.

If you have a question about Project Compass, send a message to compass@emory.edu or visit www.compass.emory.edu.

Have a productive week!

The Project Compass Team

Thought for the week: *People who enjoy what they are doing invariably do it well. –Joe Gibbs*