



Campus Solutions 9.2 Upgrade Functional Testing Kickoff



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Meeting Agenda

- Project Objectives
- Project Scope
- Project Resources
- Critical Success Factors
- Testing Strategy
- Next Steps

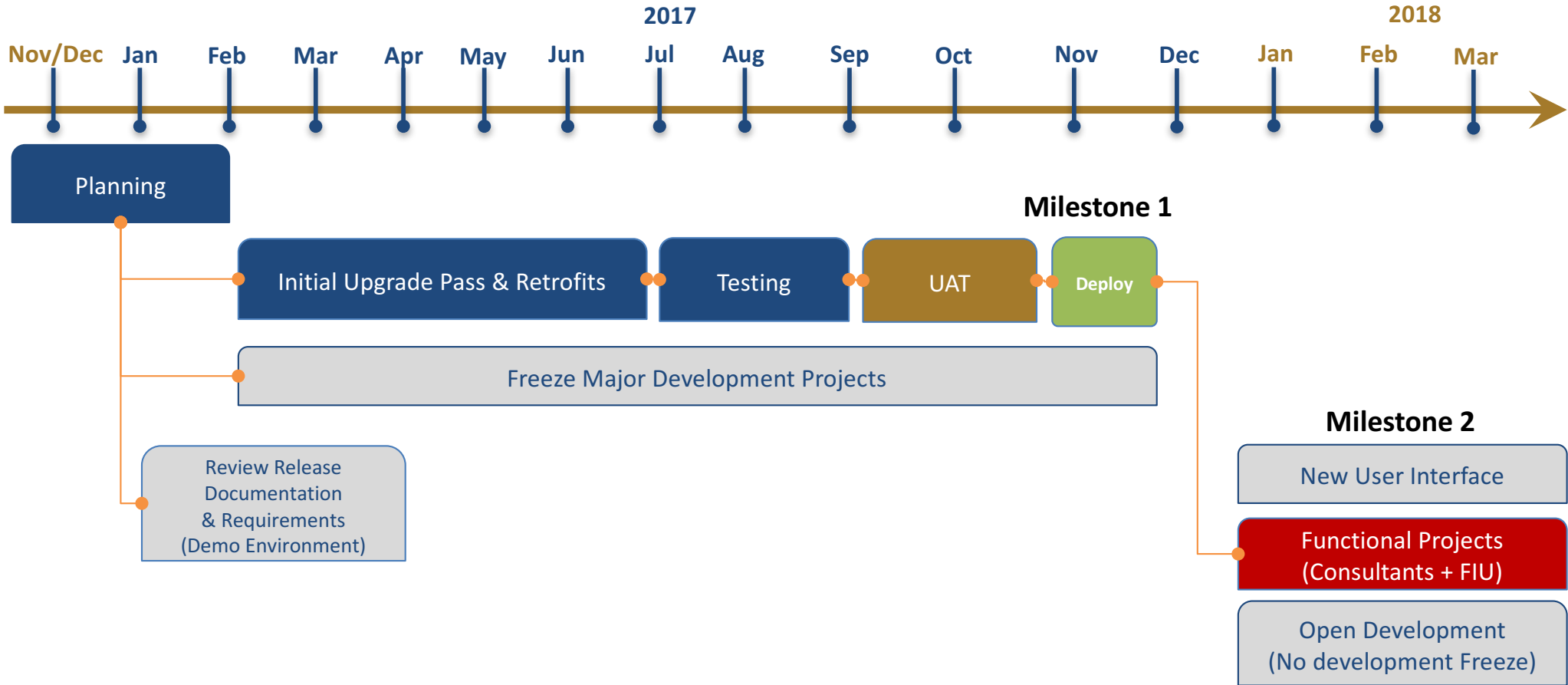
Project Objectives

- Allow FIU to stay current and on track in our Enterprise Applications
- Align technology with FIU Strategic Plan
- Upgrade (not re-implement) Campus Solutions from 9.0 to 9.2
 - Maintain technical support from Oracle's published end-of-support schedule for 9.0
- Upgrade PeopleTools from 8.53 to 8.55 on Campus Solutions and 8.54 to 8.55 on MyFIU
- Seek to use latest technologies to:
 - Improve user experience
 - Improve and streamline processes (where possible)

Deploy into two milestones:

- **Milestone 1:** CS 9.2/PeopleTools 8.55
Technical Upgrade + Portal PeopleTools
 - Giant Bundle Testing with extra focus
- **Milestone 2:** CS 9.2 Business Process Redesign & User Interface Deployment
 - Maximize new features and functionality on upgraded system
 - Functional consulting

Project Timelines



Critical Success Factors

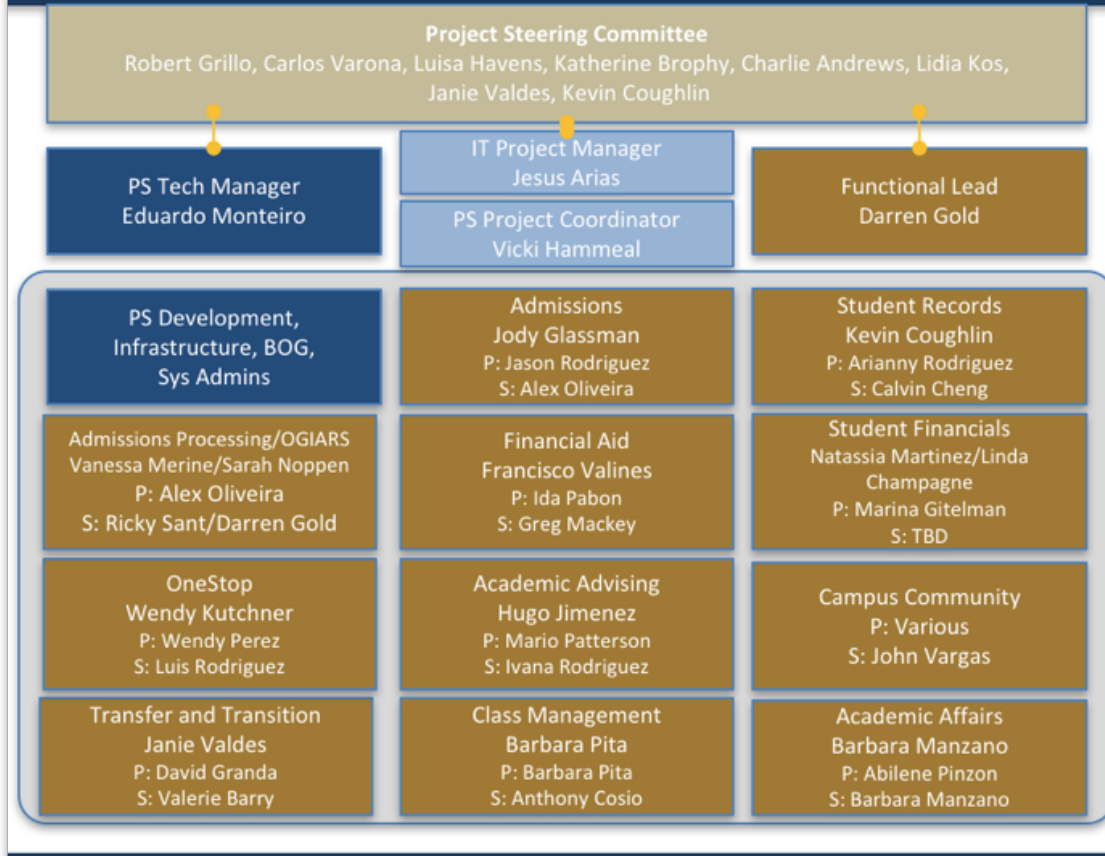
- Clearly defined scope
- Coordinated project communications
- Fast turnaround on decisions & accountability
- Resource availability and commitment
- Product knowledge
- Change management
- Testing, Testing, Testing

You're the Keys to Success for the Project

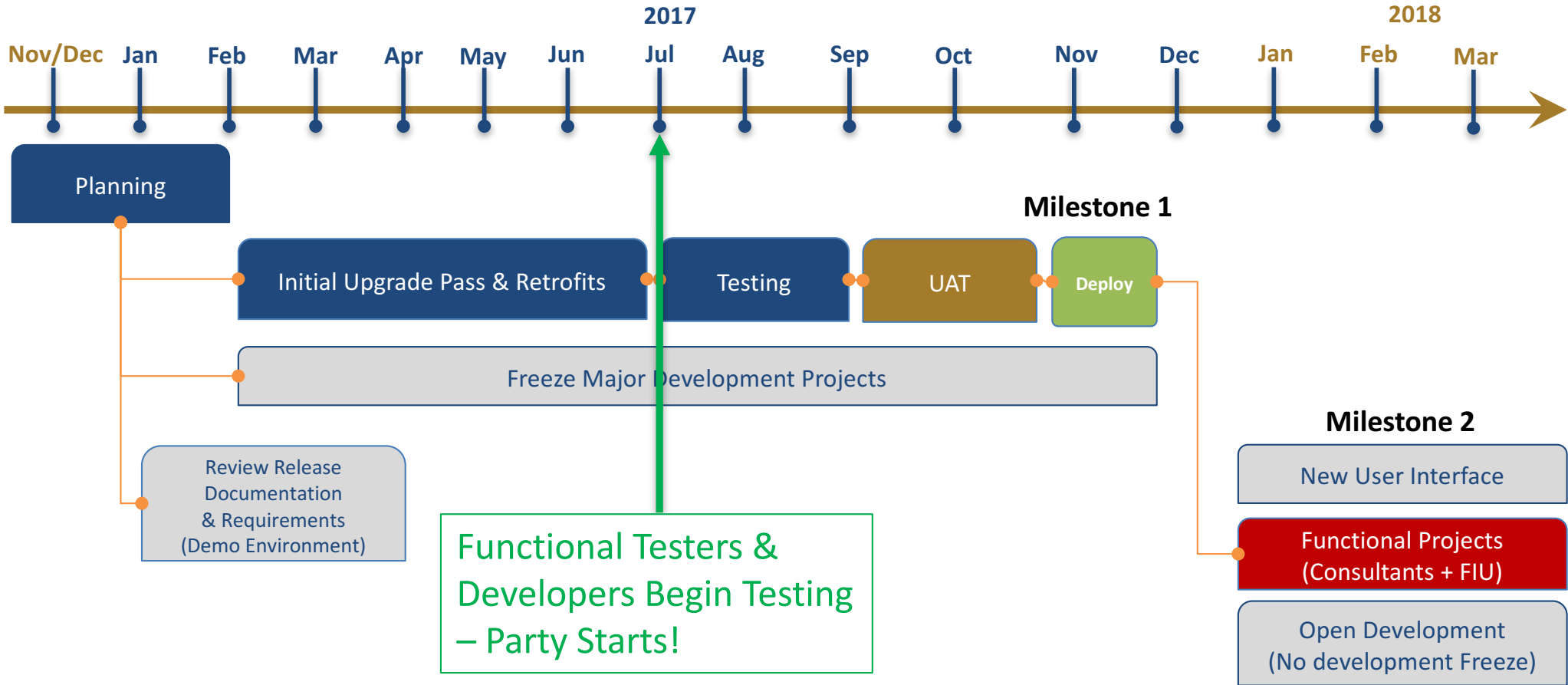
- You were selected as recognized leaders and experts in your area and capable of spearheading testing
- We facilitate the testing
- You and your teams make it successful
- Together we will guarantee a successful implementation in November

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Testing Logistics

- W6 has been re-configured to serve as both a testing lab and a conference room
- Vicki lives here now – along with the chocolate
- We will provide key access to those of you who will be testing often
- Flexible testing schedule – just get ‘er done

Testing Strategy

- Why testing in W06?
 - Functional testers will be working alongside someone from their development team
 - Quickly identify, document and fix issues
 - Allows uninterrupted focus on testing and interaction with other areas for integrated processes
- This is a BIG deal ...
- Testing Focus
 - FIU customizations on delivered pages
 - Processing times
 - Bundle Testing
 - Self-service as your customers – Students, Faculty, Advisors, Others
 - Navigation – **all** of it

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Testing Status and Issue Reporting

Navigation	Page
Campus Community > Personal Information > Biographical > Addresses/Phones > Addresses	Addresses

- Many pages are shared by everyone but, in general, the owner of the page will signoff
- We'll review the spreadsheet listing all the pages your users have access to so it correctly reflects your pages
- We are working on developing a standardized issue reporting system that will be user-friendly

Testing Schedule

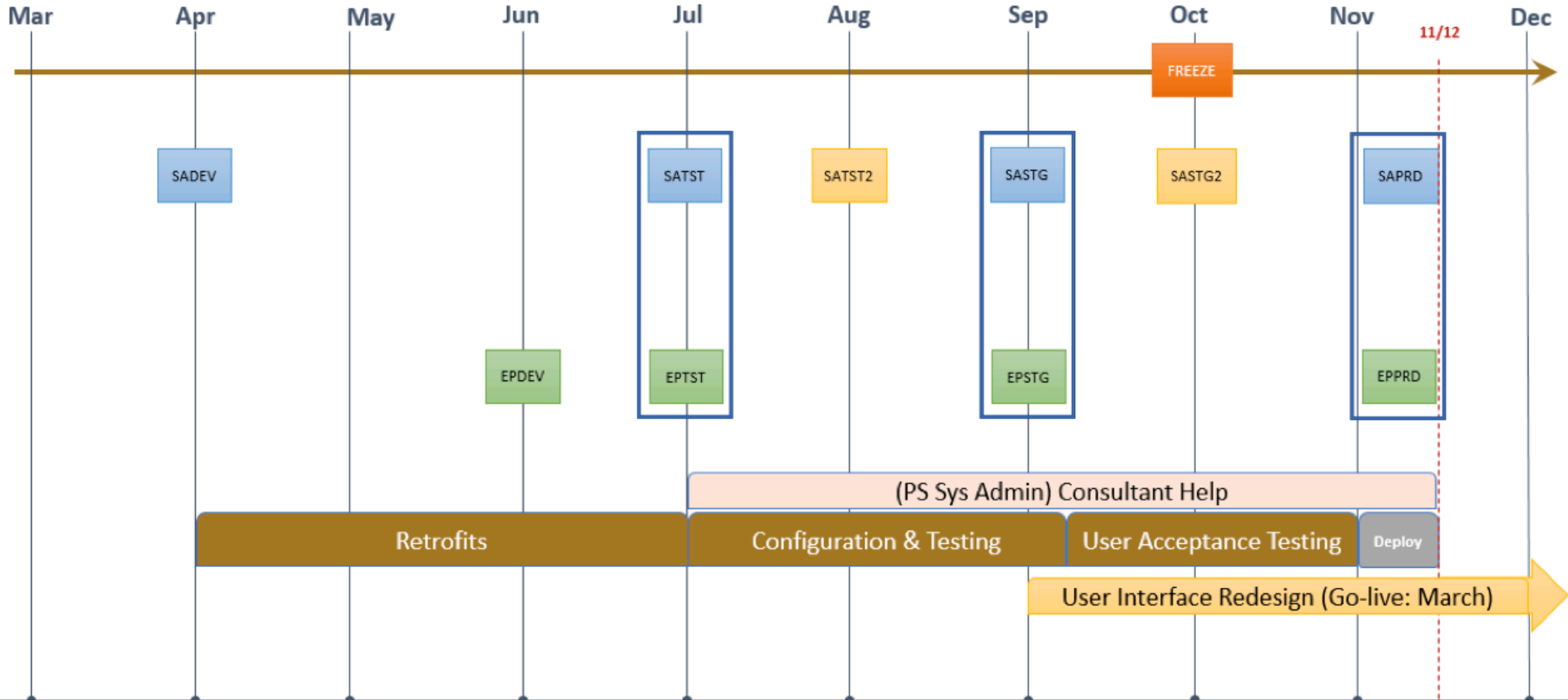
- We respect that there are operation tasks that need to be managed and completed and we will work with them as best we can
- Functional leads and power users should concentrate on the first rounds of testing in TST2
 - July through August
- User Acceptance testing should include staff with various functions, sometimes with multiple members participating
 - September through October
 - They approach the system differently
 - Fresh eyes on the system as we expect it to be implemented

Important Dates

- September 25, 2017
 - HARD FREEZE – absolutely no changes
- November 8 @ 5 PM +
 - Campus Solutions down
- November 10 @ 5 PM +
 - Financials, HR and Portal down
- November 12 – Go Live
 - All systems available by Noon for review by upgrade team

Campus & Portal Upgrades

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Next Steps

- Provide Panther IDs and names for frequent testers to get key access to W6
- We will be contacting the functional leads soon to plan the testing schedules for each area
 - There may be more than one area testing at a time – we want to fill the room!
 - Starting July 10 users should begin testing
 - Functional/Technical leads will meet to review spreadsheet
- Finalize issue reporting strategy
- Tell Vicki your favorite candy

Questions

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