
Press Release

Synch-Solutions Completes Second Phase of ERP System Rapid Implementation at University of Arkansas at Monticello

CHICAGO, Aug. 23 -- Synch-Solutions announced today that it has completed Phase II of a three-phase rapid implementation of PeopleSoft Enterprise Campus Solutions, Financial Management and Human Capital Management applications for the University of Arkansas at Monticello (UAM). The full-scale rapid implementation process – from startup to production environment – is to be completed in only 15 months, compared to the two years or more expected for a traditional implementation. Rapid implementation is enabling UAM to reduce costs while allowing the institution to better focus on strategic initiatives.

Phase I of the project included go-live of the financial aid functionality of the Campus Solutions component of the system. Phase II included go-live of all remaining functions of Campus Solutions and of the Financial Management component. In Phase III, to be completed in October, the Human Capital Management component will be fully implemented.

"We've been very pleased with the work of the Synch-Solutions team," said Jay Jones, Vice Chancellor for Finance and Administration for the University of Arkansas at Monticello. "They have managed the work very well and have kept our project moving forward on time and on budget."

"Rapid implementation reflects our commitment to delivering business transformation solutions for higher education institutions that reduce costs and increase the value of information technology," said Paul Davis, Vice President of Client Services for Synch-Solutions. "This solution will enable a much faster time to value for UAM."

Recently celebrating its centennial year in 2009, the University of Arkansas at Monticello is a member of the University of Arkansas System and has three campuses located in the southeast part of the state. UAM is an open-door institution, and seeks to serve the needs of its students through teaching, research and public service.

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