Contracts & Grants System Implementation Project

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Contracts & Grants System

- New "C&G" post-award financial system launches Spring 2014, replaces old EFA system.
- Users outside EFA will have little direct interaction with C&G system itself – but will definitely see the effect!
- C&G has additional data value fields for key data that facilitates award structure in the system
- To implement C&G, departments DO NOT need to change how they currently use chartfields
 - First implementation task: append identifying attributes to existing sponsored award CF1 and CF2 values



C&G won't change how/where info is captured, it just captures more...

- CF1 & CF2 Attributes Task will append an identifying attribute to existing values for sponsored awards
- CF1 and CF2 values will NOT be moved to other fields in this process

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CF1 & CF2 Attributes – Part I

Identify all the types of information represented by sponsored fund CF1 and CF2 values to make an "attributes" list

- The C&G Project Team, along with EFA and RAs, will create an initial list of the most common types of information found in CF1 and CF2.
- 2. Unit Coordinators will take that initial list to their group to confirm all value types their unit uses are included on the Attributes list.
- C&G Team will compile a master Attributes list and modify the CF1 and CF2 maintenance pages in BFS to include a pick list.
 Completion deadline for Part I = 9/27/2013



CF1 & CF2 Attributes – Part II

Assign Attributes to existing CF1 and CF2 values

- 1. C&G Team will provide Unit Coordinators with a list of all unique CF1 and CF2 values for awards associated with their unit (based on DeptID).
- 2. Unit Coordinators will work with RAs and others in their unit to assign Attributes to existing CF1 and CF2 values for their department.
 - The modified BFS maintenance page will be available online for the assignment of Attributes.

Completion deadline for Part II = 10/31/2013



CF1 & CF2 Attributes – Part III

Use assigned Attributes to map existing CF1 and CF2 values to new fields

1. C&G Team proposes structure to map all existing CF1 and CF2 values to the new chartfields in C&G.

deadline = 11/15/2013

Once departments validate the proposed structure, the C&G Team will prepare existing data for new system implementation.

Mapping completion deadline = January 2014



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New website with more details scheduled to go live on Friday 9/13/2013:

http://controller.berkeley.edu/departments/ contracts-grants-accounting/project

