



Colleges Lack an IT Capability to Communicate With and Engage This Economically
Vital and Growing Student Population

Single Greatest Technology Hurdle Colleges Face Today
Critical Application Gap for Our Current and Future ERP Solution

Paper Process

NEEDED TO:

- Communicate and Engage Workforce Students and Industry Partners Online and in a Mobile Environment; Where They Work and Where They Live.
- Dynamically Build Training and Educational Programs as Needed at The Speed of Business
- Interface Seamlessly With Current and Future ERP Systems; One Door, One College, One Student
- Align with New IT Capabilities and Programs Underway to Modernize our Apprenticeship and Adult Literacy Programs



Short Term Workforce Development

In order to meet the growing continuing education needs of the 58 community colleges, the System Office is creating an environment that governs, delivers and sustains high productivity business solutions to deliver workforce training responsive to employer and student skill acquisition demands outside traditional curriculum program structures.

This is achieved by:

- Refining organizational process assets to establish business needs baseline to improve quality and mitigate risk
- Delivering configurable solutions, not custom software, to deliver dynamic training programs using responsive technology to meet student and industry expectations
- Leveraging new technologies such as the adaptive cloud to deliver short term workforce educational services any where, any time and to any device
- Creating business and technology communities of interest by investing in professional development and continual communication



Short Term Workforce Development Procurement Status Update

Posted RFP	Respond to Vendor Written Questions	Submission of Offers	Consensus Evaluation & Clarifications	Enhanced Product Demonstrations by Finalists	Complete Best and Final Offer	Submit Recommendation to Award Letter	Obtain Contract Award Decision Point Approvals*	Contract Award Date
4/10/2019	6/4/2019	6/28/2019	10/2/2019	01/8-9/2020	01/24/2020	1/31/2020	03/14/2020	03/31/2020

*State Board of Community Colleges, Office of State Budget and Management, Attorney General, & Statewide IT Procurement. NCCCS Technology Solutions & Distance Learning Division anticipates request for State Board approval February 2020.

Date Completed (Actual)	Planned Completion Date/Work In Progress	Anticipated Completion Date
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