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The University is embarking upon a significant project to redesign its compensation structure for approximately 3,300 staff in A&P and Executive Services and USPS spanning across the University.

Five significant issues are driving the need for change:

- > A limited number of very generic classifications which:
  - Internally leads to title inflation, reporting issues, and lack of clarity on appropriate compensation
  - Creates challenges in external recruiting and retention
- Ambiguous guidelines for pay changes—hard for managers to use to guide decisions and difficult to explain to employees
- Working titles used as a work-around for generic classifications
- Unclear linkage between current structure and market
- Lack of clarity in career progressions

#### **Desired Outcomes**

Desired outcomes from this project include:

- > A new, more modern approach to compensation with market alignment and clear career progressions
- A system which empowers managers and HR liaisons to guide better compensation decisions
- Clearer guidelines for management of title and job changes, reclassification requests, and salary change requests

## **Overview of the Approach**

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The University of Central Florida plans to partner with an external consultant, Sibson Consulting, over an 18-20 month timeline to:

- Establish a compensation philosophy
- > Determine job architecture, including job families and career-leveling frameworks
- Determine job titles, collect position descriptions, and map employees to jobs
- > Conduct market competitiveness assessment and update job classifications to reflect current jobs
- Develop salary structure and job evaluation system
- Develop pay guidelines
- Communicate and plan for implementation



# **Project Phases**

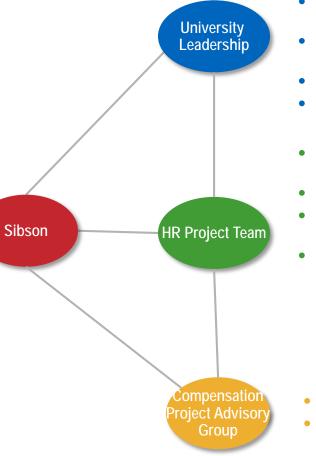
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The entire project is expected to take 18-24 months.

## **Overview of Roles and Responsibilities**

Roles and responsibilities will be defined as we begin the process to ensure efficiency of process and effective outcomes. Draft role descriptions are shown below:

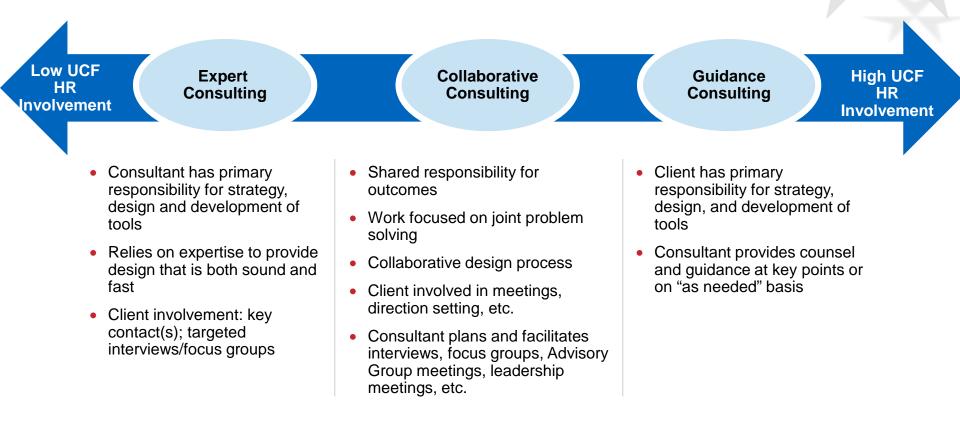
- Serves as subject matter expert and provides alternative approaches and considerations
- Develops and manages the project plan; manages the project and day-today activities; ensures key deliverables are completed on time
- Collaborates with the HR Project Team to complete analyses and develop the detailed design and implementation plan
- Facilitates meetings
- Participates in presenting recommendations to key stakeholders as appropriate



- Sponsors and champions the compensation initiative
- Provides institutional insights and directional guidance
- Confirms and endorses philosophy, design, and execution
- Reviews and approves defined comparison markets
- Reviews and approves project direction at key decision points
- Works closely with Sibson to clarify current practices and identify issues
- Provides feedback and guidance on key decisions
- Completes analyses and develops work product as indicated in work steps
- Project Team Lead:
  - Acts as internal liaison for project coordination and execution
  - Provides project management support, including data and other resources
  - HR voice for the project in key meetings
- Champions the compensation initiative
- Confirms and endorses strategy, design, and execution
- Provides feedback and guidance on key decisions
- Spokesperson for the project within their area

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### For the Majority of the Steps, We Will Engage Sibson Using the Collaborative Consulting Approach



## **About Sibson Consulting**

### An Overview of Our Project Partner

- Founded in 1959 and specializes in human capital consulting
- Cross-functional National Higher Education Team consists of senior level consultants who focus predominantly on working with colleges and universities.
- Sibson draws upon the experiences of colleagues working outside academia to bring effective practices to our higher education clients, adapting those practices as needed to suit the academic environment
- Sibson is privately held—the officers of the company own the firm.
- Service offerings include
  - Strategic planning (institution-wide and school level)
  - Organizational assessment and improvement
  - Total Rewards Strategy
  - Compensation (faculty, executive, administration and staff)
  - Benefits assessment, design, and compliance
  - Talent Management and Performance Management
  - Human Resources Function Assessment
  - Employee Communications
  - Technology specification and selection



### **Select Public Higher Education Clients**

Arizona State University **Ball State University** Cal State University – Long Beach Cal State University - Northridge Central Michigan University Chemeketa Community College Clackamas Community College **Cleveland State University** Cuyahoga Community College Coastal Carolina University Collin County Community College Colorado Community College System Colorado State University Columbia Gorge Community College Coppin State University Community Colleges of Philadelphia Eastern Kentucky University Florida State University George Mason University Georgia Regents University—Augusta Georgia Institute of Technology Georgia Gwinnett College James Madison University Kean University Keene State University

Longwood University Maricopa County Community Colleges Medical University of South Carolina Miami University (OH) Minnesota State Colleges & Universities Montclair State University Morehead State University Mott Community College Northern Arizona University North Carolina State University Northern Michigan University Northern Virginia Community College Northwood University **Oakland University Oregon State University** Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education Pennsylvania State University Pima County Community College Portland Community College Prairie View A&M University Radford University Roque Community College

Stephen F. Austin State University Texas Southern University Texas State—San Marcos Texas Woman's University The Citadel The City College of New York The Ohio State University University of Baltimore University at Brockport (SUNY) University at Buffalo (SUNY) University of Alaska University of Arkansas UC—Hastings School of Law University of California Retirement System UC - Santa Barbara University of Central Florida University of Connecticut University of the District of Columbia University of Florida-College of Pharmacy University of Idaho University of Kentucky University of Louisville University of Maine

University of Massachusetts-Lowell University of Michigan University of Minnesota University of Missouri University of New Hampshire System University of New Mexico University of North Carolina - Charlotte University of North Texas University of Oklahoma University of Pittsburgh University of Southern Indiana University System of New Hampshire University of Tennessee System and Campuses University of Utah University of Virginia Utah State University Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University Weber State University West Georgia College West Virginia University Western Kentucky University Western Michigan University Wright State University

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