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**IITG Project Title (truncated)** 2015-Purchase -Middleton-Chemistry Labs

**1) Please consider the original timeline and deliverable targets. How is your project progressing compared with the original estimates?**

We are mostly on schedule. All general chemistry videos were prepared over the summer and are being implemented in the course during the academic year. Most of the first semester organic chemistry videos are complete, and the remainder will continue to be produced as the course progresses in the fall and spring. Deliverables are expected to be 100% complete by the target date. The learning assessment before and after video implementation has proved more challenging, though we still expect to be able to draw conclusions about effectiveness.

**2) How is spending progressing when compared with the original budget estimates? (You may also choose to detail issues regarding access to funds in the next three questions).**

We are on budget for both personnel and materials, and expect final costs to be completely in line with project funding.

**3) Please provide feedback regarding your experience with the project execution, in particular any issues or roadblocks you've encountered that may have been unexpected.**

Funding delays at the beginning of the project were a challenge, but that has been rectified. More communication regarding the process would have been helpful as well, though our staff support worked hard to sort through the confusion.

**4) What are your positive observations or pleasant surprises about your team's interaction or project process that might be helpful to other PI's?**

Rather than filming one lab each day, we gathered several to be filmed in one day to make the process more efficient. Also the assistance of talented undergraduates (filming/editing/appearing in videos) has been invaluable.

**5) Please describe any challenges you've encountered working with your project team that you've found solutions for that might be helpful to other PI's.**

No major challenges, simply a few instances of miscommunication that were easily overcome with more frequent informal conversations regarding the project.