Name of Principal Investigator: Natalie Sarrazin
IITG Project Title (truncated): 2015-Brockport-Sarrazin- Problem Based Learning in Music
Please consider the original timeline and deliverable targets. How is your project progressing compared with the original estimates?
This project is absolutely on time and adhering to its original time line. We are on track for completion of the project by the stated deadlines.
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).
Spending is adhering to the original estimate, with no difficulties whatsoever. No new or unforeseen expense have appeared, and everything here is also on track.
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.
As of now, there is little to report in the way of roadblocks. The only issue that has cropped up concerns technology, and finding a format for all of the participants to interact and post material. The College has recently switched to Blackboard, and there was an issue getting us all up and running on the new format, but that seems to have worked itself out with the help of our technology dept.
4) What are your positive observations or pleasant surprises about your team's interaction or project process that might would be helpful to other PI's?
Our project required that we hold a conference with invited participants from around the state in the grant early last semester. My co-principal and I were pleasantly surprised at how highly involved everyone was in the project, how enthusiastic, and how collegial! It was excellent.
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 Pl's.
The only challenge concerned #3 above.