Lessons Learned Report

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| **Prepared by: Project Manager** **Date: 28th August 2025**  **Project Name: Web Application Publishing System**  **Project Sponsor:** None  **Project Manager:** **Ali Alasmar**  **Final Cost: 510,000 Final Benefit: 637,000** |
| 1. Did the project meet scope, time, and cost goals?   Scope: Met perfectly  Time: Late by 2 months  Cost:  From the company we paid 510,000 in costs, but we had 637,000 in return of the Website  So, it was profitable for the company   1. What was the success criteria listed in the project scope statement?   1.Functional Requirements mentioned met  2.Security requirements mentioned met  3.User Friendly web application  4.Web Application fully tested to prevent bugs  5.Web Application can hold 1000-2000 users.  6.Web Application stability guaranteed as possible  7. Web Application compatible with most used browsers (chrome, safari, edge, Firefox)  8.If Web Application crashes it can start up again and recover the state where the user of the website was on.   1. Reflect on whether or not you met the project success criteria.   We meet all acceptance criteria except:  1.Application Stability, developers worked on that  2.Application Scalability, we didn’t work on this because Client mentioned it late (as stated in Risk Register)   1. In terms of managing the project, what were the main lessons your team learned?   1. We should have had a subscription for a reliable Database Service instead of using a free one (as stated in Risk Register)  2.We should have more developers working on projects, overworking the developers was the Biggest Risk (as stated in Risk Register)   1. Describe one example of what went right on this project.   1. Meetings throughout the project was very satisfying to always get feedback on the development.  2. Developers have gained experience on the Potential of Publishing Websites, although it was very hard regarding their small number.  3. One of the things we did very well was testing every deliverable and even having beta releases was very exciting to the Client to see how much we progressed   1. Describe one example of what went wrong on this project.   1. Payback was only in last year  2. NPV is relatively low.  3. Development was on the edge and depending on small number of developers   1. What will you do differently on the next project based on your experience working on this project?   1. I think we should pick a higher paid University Website next time, even if it requires more work.  2. Certainly when I (Project Manager) can hire more developers I will. |