National Staffing Application (NSA)

Executive Summary

The purpose of this Proof of Concept (PoC) is to eliminate two separate tools for tracking PC&B costs, projections, and staffing plans by integrating PBS Fund 192 into the enterprise-version of the National Staffing Application (NSA).

Additionally, update the user interface and address user-focused pain points.

Scope

- Move to scalable solution for enterprise consumption
- Ability to roll up by BL and Region NSA Enterprise

Success Criteria

Complete UX design with personas and wireframes

Ability to roll up by Business Line (BL) and Region - NSA Enterprise

Successful demonstration of MySQL & Tableau integration

Using Agile Investment

Collaboration between PBS, OCFO, OHRM, & GSA IT

Composed Scrum Team with use of JIRA to manage PoC tasks

Using a 3-Wk sprint cadence; currently in Sprint 4

Lessons Learned

- Sprint 0 is needed in addition to the Technical & Discovery Sprints to clear contract resources, account for environment setup, etc.
- We recommend a short introduction to Agile / Scrum prior to the start of the PoC to familiarize Scrum Team Members and Stakeholders