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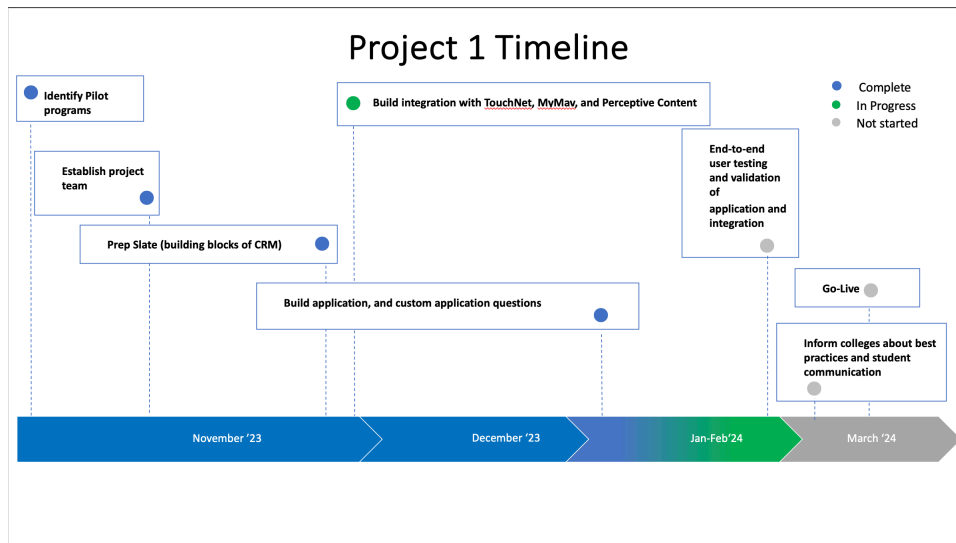
NOTICE – NEW SLATE LAUNCH DATE: MARCH 18

The Slate graduate application has a new launch date: **March 18**.

During a recent leadership meeting, UTA's CRM team decided on the new launch date to ensure a definitive final product for the Slate graduate application. Please contact crmgradprogram@uta.edu with any questions.

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SLATE PRODUCT TESTING

Our [Jan. 16 newsletter](#) outlined the product testing process. In February, we will complete end-to-end user acceptance testing for the Slate graduate application.

The CRM team met with the [Slate champions](#) and Office of Admissions staff to review the testing approach and expectations. The CRM project team will correct issues and errors as reported during testing.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What is the difference between a program and a project?

The overall Slate implementation – encompassing most of 2024 – is considered the *program*. The program is divided into separate *projects*. The Slate standardized application rollout is [Project 1](#).

What does “standardized application” mean?

The CRM team has spoken about the “standardized application” available in March. “Standardized” in this instance means temporarily limited in customization. All programs will utilize an application containing the same features. This is intentional as it will introduce a generic application and allow the CRM team to work with programs on individual customizations.

Is the Slate graduate application completely replacing ApplyTexas in March? Will ALL graduate academic programs be available in Slate?

No. Slate will not completely replace ApplyTexas in March, and not all graduate academic

programs will be immediately available in Slate.

Prospective students will have the option to apply for admission via the UTA-managed Slate application or ApplyTexas, depending on the program type. The following programs will be available in Slate and ApplyTexas:

- Slate – All master's and doctoral degrees.
- ApplyTexas – All certificate and non-degree programs.

In March, can employees access graduate applicant information directly in Slate?

No. In March, UTA employees *will not* access graduate applicant information directly in Slate. During Project 1, Slate will operate a one-way integration with MyMav and Perceptive Content. This means that UTA staff will access graduate applications, transcripts, and recommendation letter(s) in MyMav and Perceptive Content. Any employee access to Slate will be communicated when available.

At Project 1 launch, applicants will directly interact with Slate, as outlined in the student [Slate Graduate Application Process Flow](#).

Do I need to do anything different when reviewing applications?

It is important to remember that during Project 1, business review processes *will not* change for UTA staff – meaning that you will continue your familiar application review process. Any future changes to business processes will be communicated as needed.



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