

Welcome to Effort Certification

Effort Certification Training

Federal and state agencies, private foundations, organizations, and industry sponsors provide significant funding to enable The University of Texas at Dallas to conduct research, public service, and training projects. The University's Effort Reporting System provides the principal means for certifying that the salaries and wages charged to, or contributed to, sponsored projects are reasonable and consistent with the portion of total professional activity committed to the projects.

"...as we progress toward our goal of joining the ranks of the top research universities... it is vitally important that those involved in our research programs fully understand and comply with reporting and accountability requirements."

Dr. David E. Daniel, President, The University of Texas at Dallas.

Training Objectives

This training covers the following:

- Defining Effort and Effort Certification
- Importance of Effort Certification
- Understanding Committed Effort
- Reporting Time and Effort at UTD

Your understanding of the material is tested with an exam of 20 questions, and a passing score of 16 or more will fulfill your annual requirement for this online training.

Online Training

To login to the [Effort Certification Training](#), please use your netid and password. While reading the training information, you can logout and login at any time during the training, the application will keep track of your progress.

Questions or Concerns

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