EM P L O Y E E O F T H E Q U A R T E R

Photo: Dave Brinsko, Andy Auble and Rick Burgess

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The endowed zone took on a very time sensitive project in June 2017. The project was to switch over the existing Kronos clocks with the new Workday clocks. This consisted of roughly 100 time clocks being replaced with the new clock and additionally 18 new locations were added in 69 different buildings on campus, along with upgrading them to the latest ADA standards, and as we all know there are no two buildings alike, adding to the complexities of this project. To get the project started Andy was sent out to each building to get a better understanding of the work needed. Andy returned with ideas on how to speed up the process; he got right to work roughing in for the new clocks, we anticipated the need for additional support to complete this, however, the call for more crews never came and Andy completed the project with the support of only one additional electrician during the go-live week. Removal of the old clocks was complete in 3 days instead of the planned 5 days. Andy created a schedule to work around the staff and students, to minimize disruptions, he even coming in over the break to get the installation done before staff and students returned. The result was a project that came in at 30% less than the estimate, and the speed of the activations resulted in approximately 3,600 staff across campus being able to use the new ATS time clocks earlier than planned, which minimized manual time entry. Staff from the Work Day Time Tracking committee wrote: “Andy's work exceeded all expectations. He delivered work well within schedule, well under budget, with a great success rate, all while keeping any inconvenience to others to a minimum. Andy was a standout performer and his efforts contributed greatly to our success, so we wish him thanks and want to recognize his efforts.”

Congratulations Andy!
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