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Quarterly Report

1. **Contract No:** W81XWH-08-1-0451
2. **Report Date:** April 28, 2011
3. **Reporting Period:** January 18, 2010 to April 17, 2011
4. **Principal Investigator:** Dr. Bea Babbitt
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6. **Institution:** University of Nevada, Las Vegas –Division of Educational Outreach (UNLVEO).
7. **Project Title:** Development of a P.O.I. and a Blended Learning Ecology for use in Combat Lifesaver Skills Training for the Army.
8. **Current Staff with percent of effort:**

The percent of effort of the current project personnel is as follows:

Name	% of Effort Development Stage	% of Effort Implementation Stage
Principal Investigator (Dr. Bea Babbitt)	50%	50%
Research Specialist (Dr. Angelina Hill)	50%	50%
Dist. Ed. E-Module Design Team	80%	20%
Project Assistant (Gordon Louie)	50%	50%

	This Quarter			Project Cumulative		
	Development	Implementation	Total	Development	Implementation	Total
Personal	11,875.23	2,400.00	14,275.23	175,572.86	146,249.89	321,822.75
Fringe Benefits	382.08	80.40	462.48	16,023.77	15,934.33	31,958.10
Travel	-	-	-	3,185.55	25,085.28	28,270.83
Operations	1,927.98	-	1,927.98	19,326.97	38,097.64	57,424.61
Indirect Cost	6,170.61	644.91	6,815.52	93,137.67	58,595.49	151,733.16
Total	\$20,355.90	\$3,125.31	\$23,481.21	\$307,246.82	\$283,962.63	\$591,209.45

9. Project Updates and Progress for the Quarter:

- E-Module Development

The eModules are being finalized, and the team is also in the process of creating the front page and sleeve designs for the final product. The debugging and final revisions for the modules themselves should be completed by the time of this report's submission, and production of the deliverables is estimated to be completed by the end of the next quarter.

- Research Dissemination

The team has submitted presentation abstracts to several conferences and has decided on three in particular: the ATACCC 2011 Conference (proposal submitted), the 4th Annual Emerging Technologies for Online Learning (ET4OL) International Symposium, sponsored by Sloan-C and MERLOT (proposal submitted and accepted), and DevLearn 2011 (proposal in preparation). During the next quarter, potential publication journals will be identified, and by the end of summer, the team will submit the research for publication.

- Disseminate Deliverables

Once the deliverables are created and completed, the team will consult with interested training units in the Southwest region for distribution over the summer. For this task, the team may collaborate with a representative who has extensive connections to military training units to facilitate communications.

10. Plans or Milestones for the Next Quarter:

Twelfth quarter objectives for this project include the following items:

- Complete and submit refined eModules;
- Submit proposals to and present at conferences over the upcoming summer. Gather feedback, and incorporate it into working drafts of research articles;
- Establish contact with interested training units in region for possible distribution of eModules.