

SAP SuccessFactors

Learning Management

2H 2024 Release Briefing

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Agenda

SAP SuccessFactors Learning Management

- Most Important Topics
- Other Release Features
- Deep Dive Topic
- Product Road Map





Most Important Topics

ILX

The Integrated Learning experience has been updated with new features.

In the Deep Dive we will explain the ILX changes.

- Manager View
- Library Search using categories
- Custom Pages
- Updated LMS Permission role
- Access to ILX for LMS Sites user

More updates still to come in upcoming release.

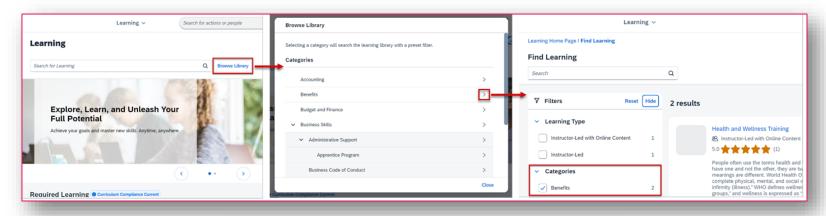
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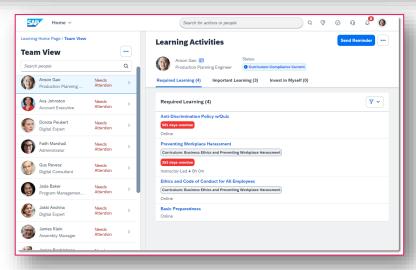
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Lifecycle: General Availability

Enablement: Customer

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Al – Assisted Writing

The Artificial Intelligence (AI) has now entered the realms of Learning.

Assisted writing to improve the Title and Description fields when creating Items, Curricula, Programs, and Collections.

The AI-assisted writing tool isn't yet supported in the Item and Curricula translation widgets.

Pre-requisite:

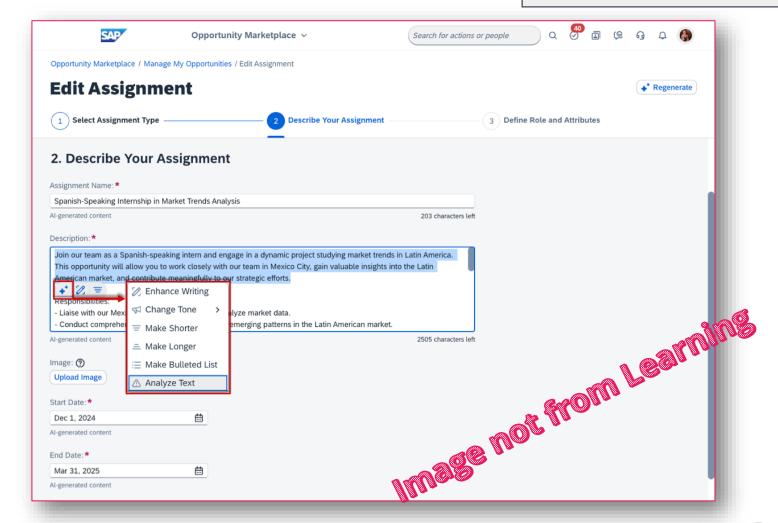
Al Premium license/Al Units

The level of impact is Low.

Type: Changed

Lifecycle: General Availability

Enablement: CEE



AI – Associate skills with items using import

The Artificial Intelligence (AI) has now entered the realms of Learning.

You can use the AI-assisted capabilities to associate skills with learning items in bulk through the import process.

Pre-requisite:

- Al Premium license / Al Units
- TIH

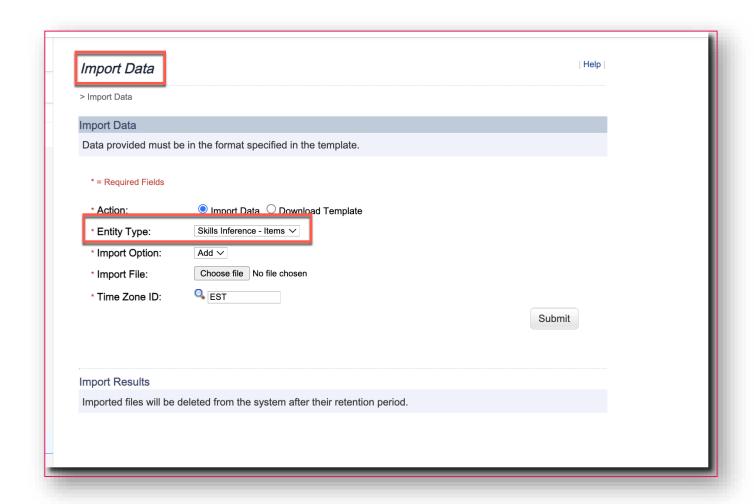
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Lifecycle: Restricted Availability

Enablement: Contact Product

Support





AI - Assisted skills from OCN

The Artificial Intelligence (AI) has now entered the realms of Learning.

You can now use the AI-assisted capabilities to associate skills with Open Content Network (OCN) items based on the predefined skills provided by the OCN providers.

Pre-requisite:

- Al Premium license
- TIH
- OCN provider supporting skills

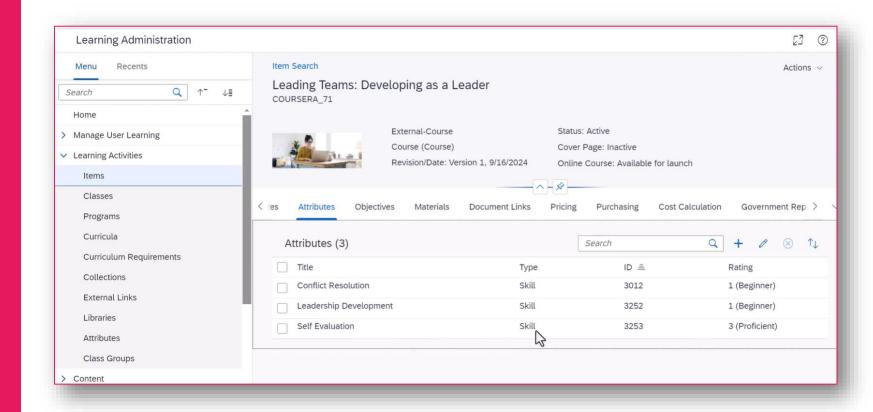
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Lifecycle: Restricted Availability

Enablement: Contact Product

Support







Other Release Features

Type: Changed

Lifecycle: General Availability

Enablement: Automatically on

Administrator and Peer Suggestions enhancements

- Learners can see whether an administrator or a peer has suggested their learning items
- Learners can now view and access the external links, suggested by administrators, in the Suggested for Me section on the new Learning home page.
- Administrator recommendations are now reportable using Story reports.
- Enhanced the visibility of administrator recommendations in the Recommendations Email Newsletter and Recommended Collections tab of the Collections page for learners.

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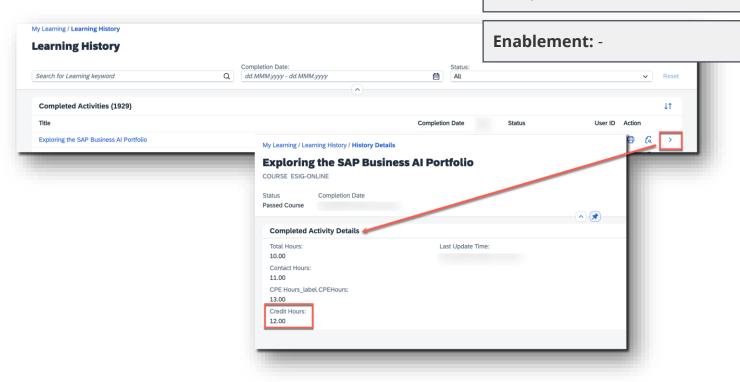
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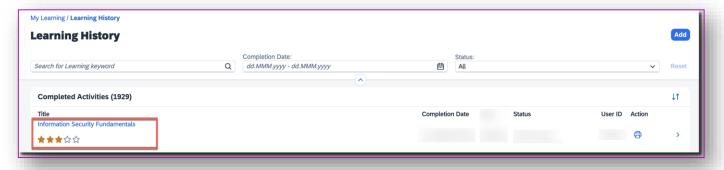
Other updates - 1

Enhancements to Learning History



Lifecycle: -





The level of impact is Low.

Type: -

Lifecycle: -

Enablement: -

Active Period

Other updates - 2

- Enhancements to Banners
 - Preview banners web & Mobile
 - Recommended dimensions for customized images have been enhanced to 1920x250 pixels to meet the standard desktop sizing

Recommended banner images for **mobile** - File type of JPEG or PNG, File size less than 2 MB and

dimensions of 375x250 pixels

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Learning Administration

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System Administration

Brands

Application Administration

User-Created Account
Consent Statements
Easy Links

Integrated Learning Setting

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Banners (3)

Default Welcome Banne

Banner Preview #

Banner Name: Default Welcome Banne

Banners display at the top of the page in the new Learning experience. If y banners. People can see the top 5 active banners that are visible to them, menu. UTC is used for Active Period date calculation.

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Target Group

All Active Users

The level of impact is Low.

Add Banner

Other updates - 3

Туре: -
Lifecycle: -
Enablement: -

- New configuration that improves content completion issues for SCORM 2004 4th edition content.
- Guardrail for running multiple curriculum background jobs.

 (When a job is scheduled to run while a conflicting job is in progress, the system will now postpone the scheduled job by 60 minutes and send an email notification to the administrator.)
- Email Domain Validation and Reporting (see bonus slides at the end) (You can now enable Domain Keys Identified Mail (DKIM) validation in SuccessFactors Learning.)
- Overdue Training Reminder Enhancements [See also 'Deep Dive' section]

 (You can now send overdue training reminders to your team from the Home Page, The Learning Home Page, and the Team View Page.)
- Assessment Exam Usage Visible on Objectives Page

The level of impact is Low.

Other updates - 4

Type: -	
Lifecycle: -	

Enablement: -

- Automatic Import of Open Content Network Items into Learning
 (You can now automatically import learning content from Open Content Network (OCN) providers to make their courses available to your learners.)
- Disable Option For The New Learning Experience Removed

The level of impact is Low.

Deprecations / Deletions

- Deprecation of Copy User [End of Development on June 2, 2023, and will be deleted on June 6, 2025.]
- Deprecation of Free-of-Charge Subscriptions
 [End of Maintenance on May 17, 2024, and will be Deleted on November 15, 2025.]
- Deprecation of News Feature in Learning
 [The legacy Learning home page will reach End of Maintenance on May 17, 2024, and will be Deleted on May 16, 2025.]
- Deprecation of Legacy Learning Home Page
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- Deprecation of SuccessFactors Learning Token Server
 [End of Maintenance on November 17, 2023, and will be Deleted on November 20, 2026.]
- Deprecation of Legacy Item Details
 [End of Maintenance on June 2, 2023, and will be Deleted on May 16, 2025.]
- Integrated External User Feature is Deleted [End of Development in November 2020, as is deleted as of November 15, 2024.]
- User Native Learning Sign-In is Deleted [Deleted as of November 15, 2024.]
- Support for Skype is Deleted [Deleted as of November 15, 2024.]

The level of impact is Low.

Type: Changed

Lifecycle: General Availability

Enablement: Automatically on



Deep Dive Topic

ILX of 2405 – RECAP + Custom Pages 2411

Type: -

Lifecycle: General Availability

Enablement: -

Updates to the Integrated Learning experience / New Learning Experience

- Banners (up to 49 custom banners. Each user can see up to five banners in the carousel).
- Custom Cards. (Up to 100 custom cards. Users can see up to 8 cards.)
- Admin suggestions (recommendations) are now visible in the section 'Suggested to me' on the learning plan.

Users can mark suggestion as not interested or bookmark it for later. Users can also recommend a suggestion to peers using the recommend option on the Course details.

- Hide the required Learning section
- Non-required assignments by admin or manager in Important Learning section

2411:

- Up to **5 Custom Pages**
- Each page can contain banners (up to 5 banners) and up to 6 sections.
- Each section can contain up to **8 cards**.

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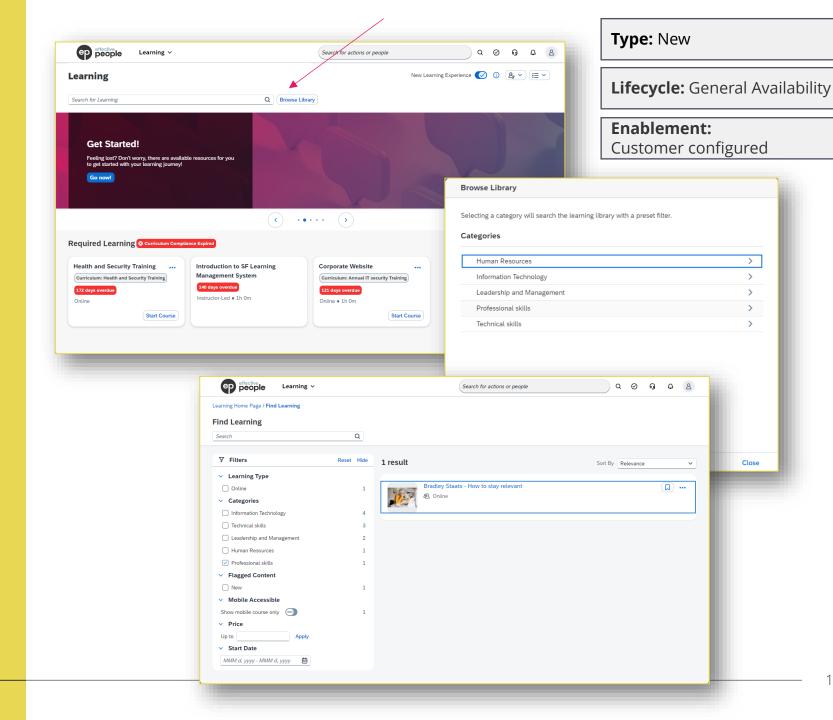


ILX - Browse library

- Adding the 'Browse Library' is enabling you to search/browse the library based on a selected category.
- "Browse all" feature is still not available
- SAP/SF states more updates will come.

NB.: A workaround could be to create a category called 'All Courses' and adding that to all courses – then it can be used when searching on a category.

The level of impact is Medium.



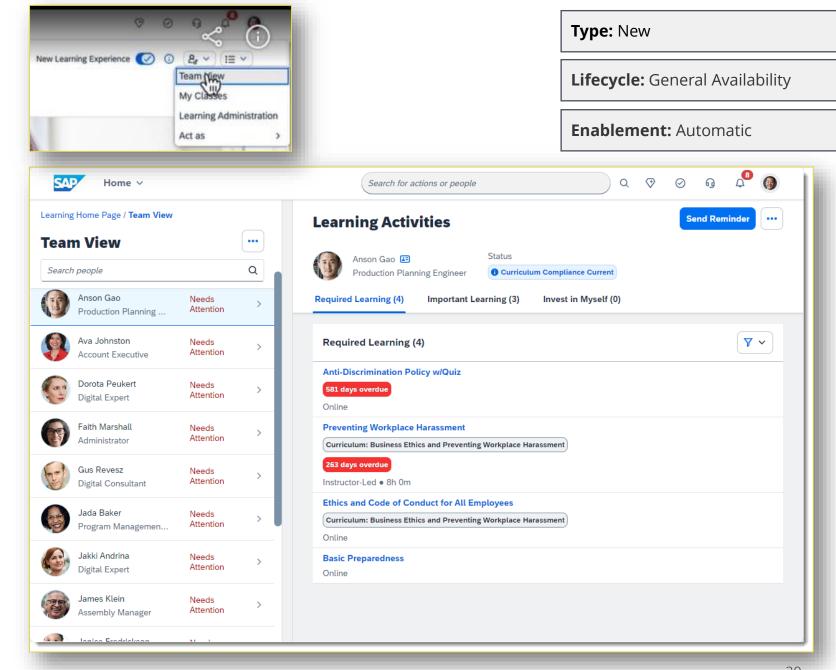
ILX – New Team View Part 1

New team view available from the Dashboards menu.

Team members on the left side, details on the right side – split in three tabs: Required / Important / Invest in MySelf.

Team members are sorted alphabetically, with those who have overdue items appearing first.

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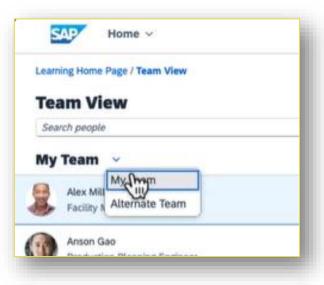


ILX – New Team View Part 2

If you have permission to view team members as an alternate manager or HR business partner a dropdown menu will appear next to the My Team region header and you can select the appropriate role.

You can send reminders to your team members, view their history, or assign alternate managers.

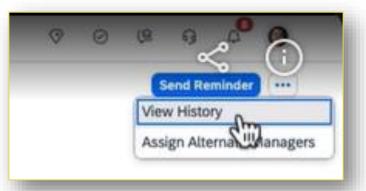
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Type: New

Lifecycle: General Availability

Enablement: Automatic



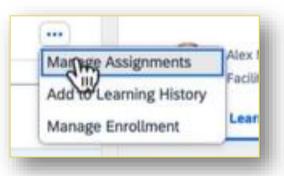
ILX – New Team View Part 3

You can manage assignments and Enrollments and Add to Learning History from the menu next to Team View.

As manager you will on the learning home page also see reminder about team overdue, and you can send reminder from here as well.

The permissions for *Manage Assignments* and *Manage Enrollments* are now split.

The level of impact is Low.



Type: New

Lifecycle: General Availability

Enablement: Automatic



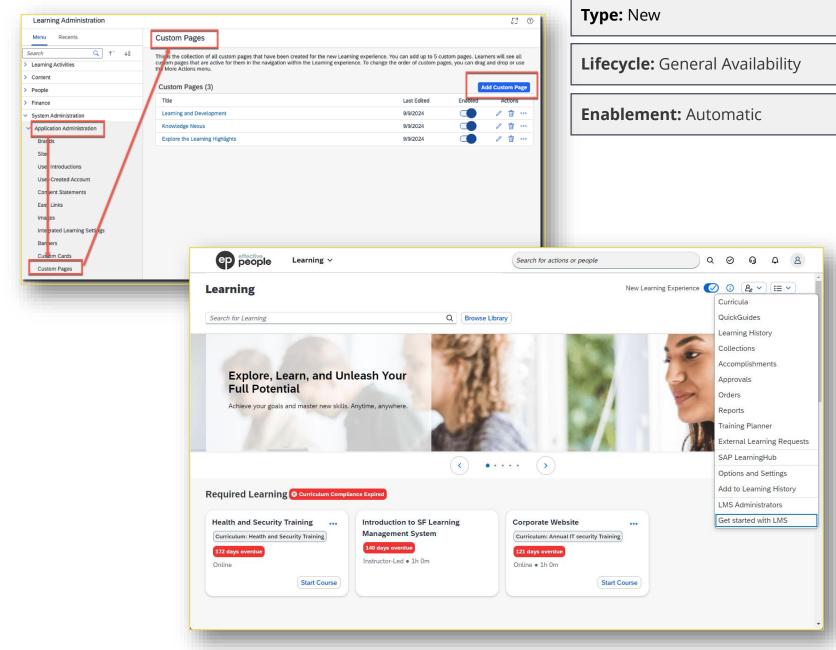
ILX – Custom Pages - 1

You can create up to 5 custom pages.

Within a custom page, you can add banners (top 5 banners) and create up to 6 sections, containing up to top 8 custom cards in each section.

They will be accessible from the 'Activities Menu'

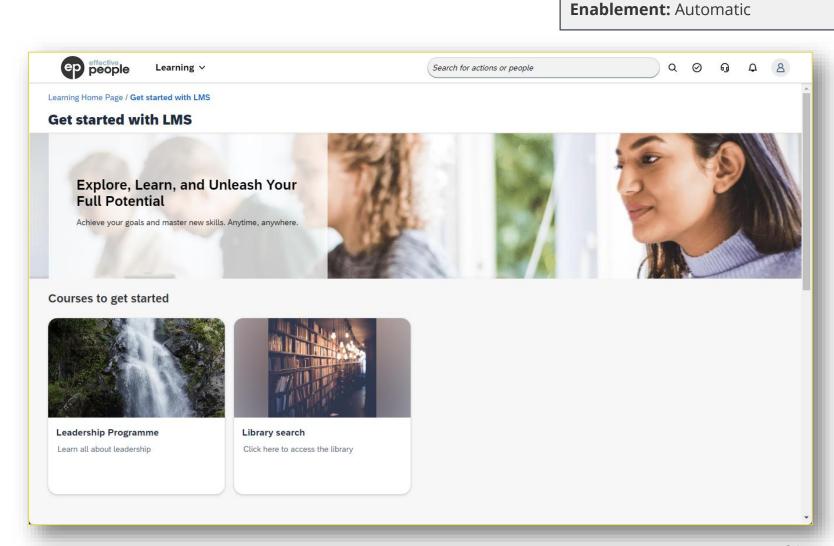
The level of impact is Low.



ILX – Custom Pages - 2

Example of Custom page: containing one banner; one section with custom card.

The level of impact is Low.



Type: New

Lifecycle: General Availability

ILX – Available for LMS Sites

Support for the new Learning experience is now available for users with an external shopping account type.

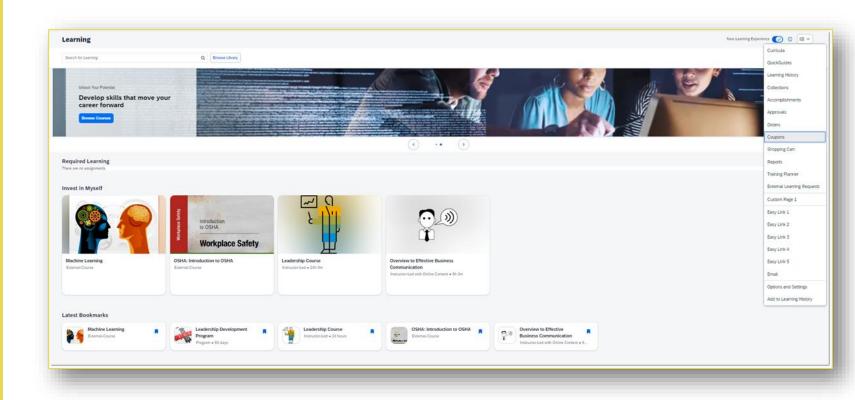
This includes enhanced search with the Browse Library feature and an improved user experience for accessing coupons and the shopping cart.

The level of impact is Low.

Type: New

Lifecycle: General Availability

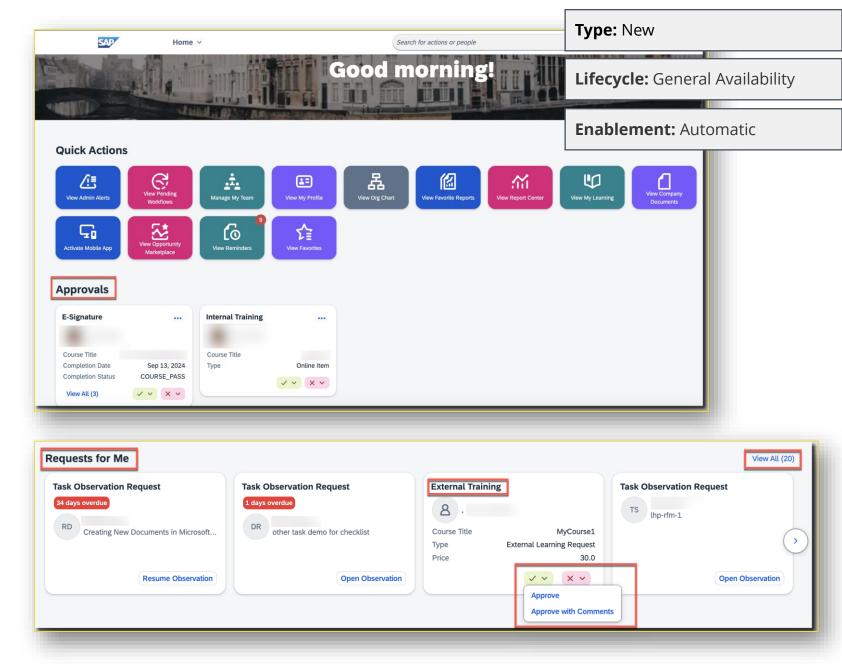
Enablement: Automatic



ILX – Approvals

Employees, managers, instructors, and HRBPs with approval roles can now accept or decline pending learning assignment requests sent by learners directly on the new Learning home page.

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ILX – Permission for Creating Custom Content

To create and manage custom content, such as banners, custom cards, and custom pages, in the Learning Administration tool, you need the new permission, Manage Custom Experience.

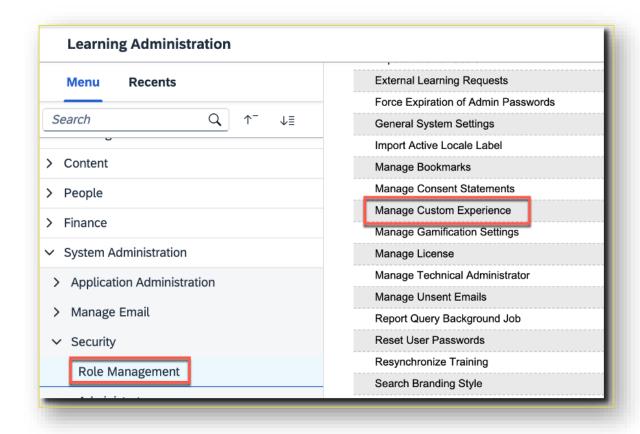
If the Edit System Configuration permission is already enabled for a role, the Manage Custom Experience permission is automatically enabled. No additional action is required.

The level of impact is Medium.

Type: New

Lifecycle: General Availability

Enablement: Automatic



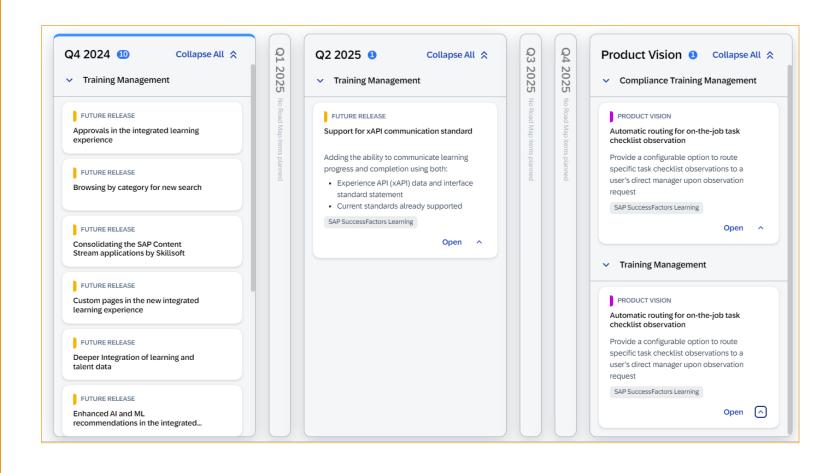


Product Road Map

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"Support for xAPI" is scheduled for 1H 2025

In release presentation of 2H 2024, it was told that "Optional Surveys" will also come in 1H 2025 release.



2H 2024 Release - Known issues

- 3531315 New Learning Experience Displays in Launch Proxy Window_SAP SuccessFactors Learning 2411 https://me.sap.com/notes/3531315/F
- 3531284 'Search Results' redirection is not working in Learning Administration after 2411 Release https://me.sap.com/notes/3531284/E
- 3529029 Referenced custom columns display the same options in all columns
 https://me.san.com/notes/3529029
- 3530665 Error importing custom report after 2411 preview release https://me.sap.com/notes/3530665/E
- 3530303 Failure of LMS Instance Refresh from Production to Preview Post-2411 Release https://me.sap.com/notes/3530303/E
- 3528385 Content Objects detail page alignment issue https://me.sap.com/notes/3528385/E
- 3528396 Breadcrumb not working for legacy entity pages https://me.sap.com/notes/3528396/E
- 3518873 Banner image changes as the window size reduces https://me.sap.com/notes/3518873/E

- 3531796 Error
 'HOME_ADMIN_CUSTOM_CARD_MSG_FILE_FAIL_UPLOAD_ERROR' when uploading image for custom card in SAP SuccessFactors Learning https://me.sap.com/notes/3531796/E
- 3469658 User Learning History French Translation https://me.sap.com/notes/3469658/E
- 3531877 2H 2024 : Can not View or Edit Holiday profiles in SAP SuccessFactors Learning https://me.san.com/potes/3531877/F
- 3531841 Learning Administration Page Alignment Issue https://me.sap.com/notes/3531841/E
- 3531199 Within the Training Planner: My Org screen, the Reviewed checkbox is missing https://me.sap.com/notes/3531199/E
- 3530303 Failure of LMS Instance Refresh from Production to Preview Post-2411 Release https://me.sap.com/notes/3530303/E
- 3530673 Team View is not available in New Learning Homepage https://me.sap.com/notes/3530673/E



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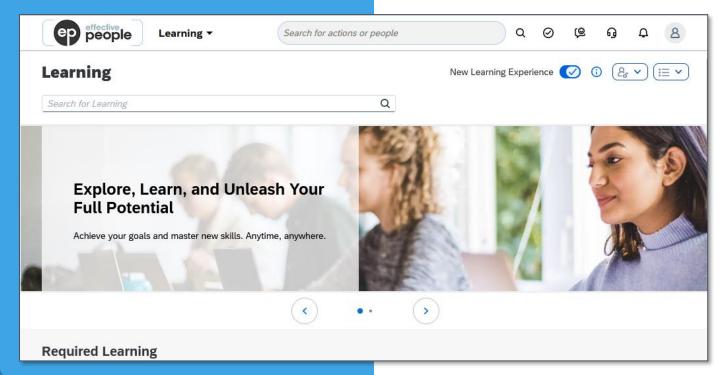


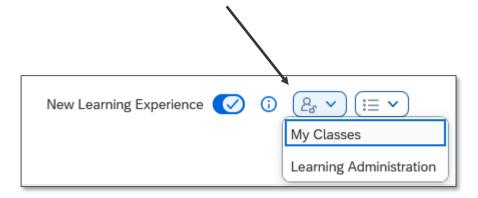
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Dashboards menu

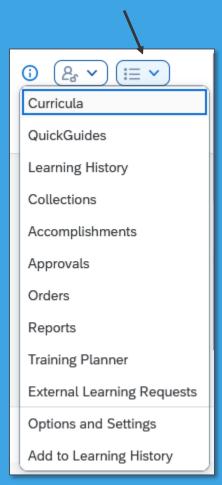
🖧 (Dashboards menu): This menu provides access to the following legacy Learning pages, based on role:

- My Team (managers)
- My Classes (instructors)
- Learning Administration (administrators)



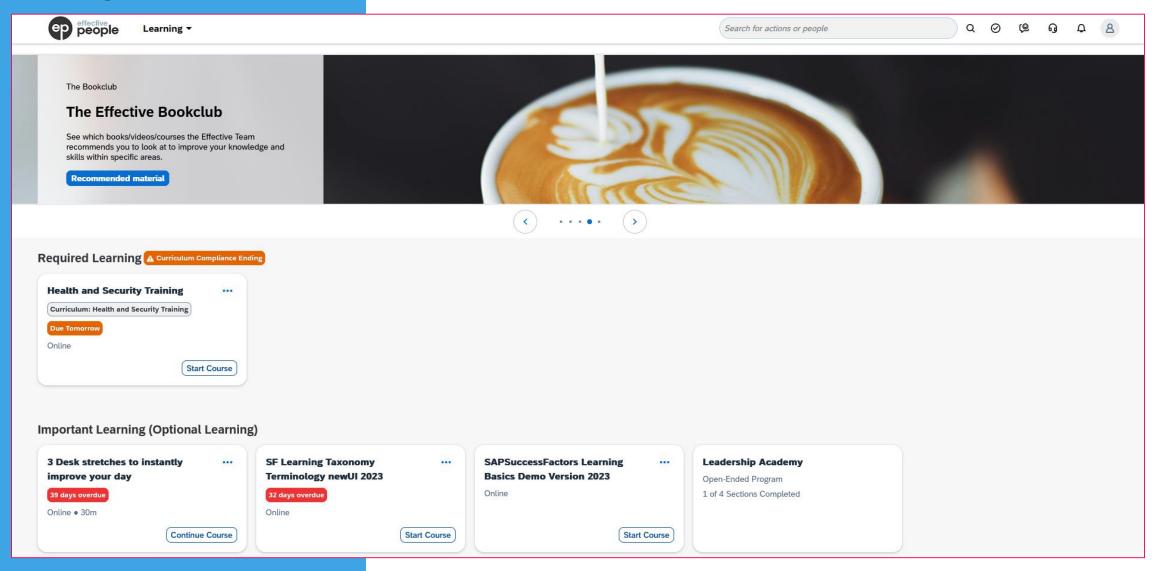


Activities Menu



≔ (Activities menu): This menu provides access to the following legacy links, based on permissions:

- Curricula (displayed as Curriculum Status on legacy page)
- QuickGuides (displayed as My QuickGuides on legacy page)
- Learning History (displayed as Completed Work on legacy page)
- Collections
- Accomplishments
- Approvals
- Orders (displayed as My Orders on legacy page)
- Reports
- Training Planner
- External Learning Requests
- Custom Pages (Links for up to 5 pages, displayed as tabs on legacy page)
- Easy Links (Up to 10 links)
- Options and Settings
- Add to Learning History



New Learning Experience

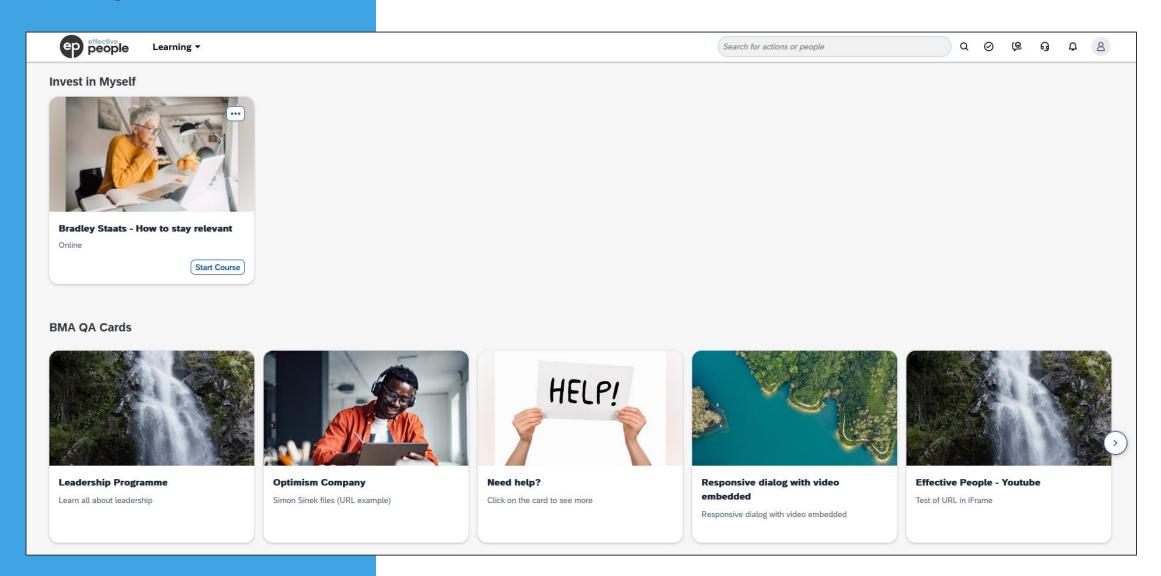
Banners

Required Learning: This section shows assigned required training (assigned by others) prioritized by due date by default. The user can quickly see at a glance items that are overdue, due soon, and upcoming. Items are sorted in the reverse chronological order of required date, which is the start date for a class, then by assignment date if there's no required date. Items with no associated date are listed last.

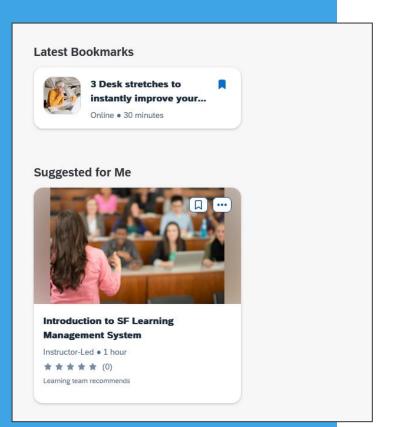
Important Learning:: This section shows learning assignments assigned as non-required items by administrators and managers. See the following topic for complete information: Important Learning on the New Learning Home Page

Curricula Compliance Indicator: The compliance indicator for curricula displays at the top of the page. The status is inclusive of curricula requirements in both the **Required Learning** and **Invest in Myself** sections. Curricula compliance is tracked by the following statuses:

- Curriculum Compliance Expired
- Curriculum Compliance Ending (this means action is required in the next 30 days)
- Curriculum Compliance Current



New Learning Experience



Requests for Me: This section shows any observation requests that the user needs to address.

Invest in Myself: This section shows learning that may have already started, or may be approved and ready for the learner to start. Previously self-assigned learning also appears here. Any item that has a due date in the next 30 days appear first. After that, items appear in the order of your last interaction with them.

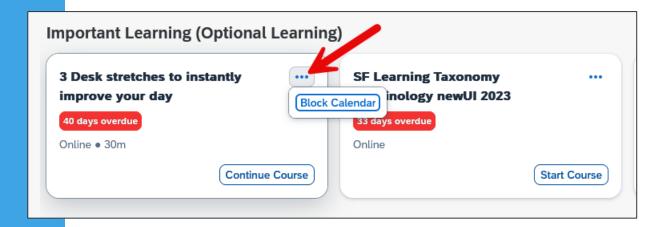
Latest Bookmarks: This section displays saved courses and other learning content flagged using the bookmark feature. It provides users an easy way to manage their learning interests in a single page, separated from courses they're already engaged in or have been assigned.

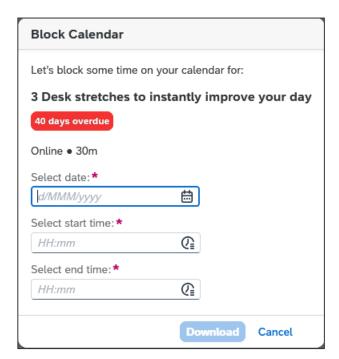
Suggested for Me: This section allows users to see person-suggested items. The recipient can bookmark the opportunity, indicate that they aren't interested, or click for more details.

Enhanced search: See the following topic for complete information on enhanced search: Enhanced Search in SAP SuccessFactors Learning

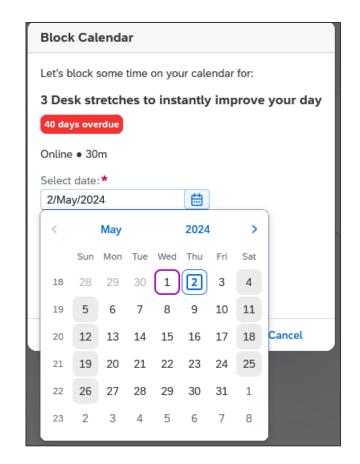
Personalized Recommendations: See the following topic for complete information on personalized learning recommendations: Personalized Recommendations on the New Learning Home Page

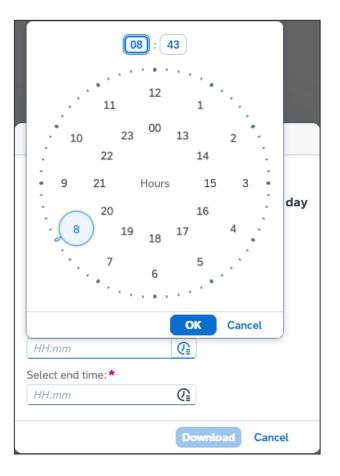
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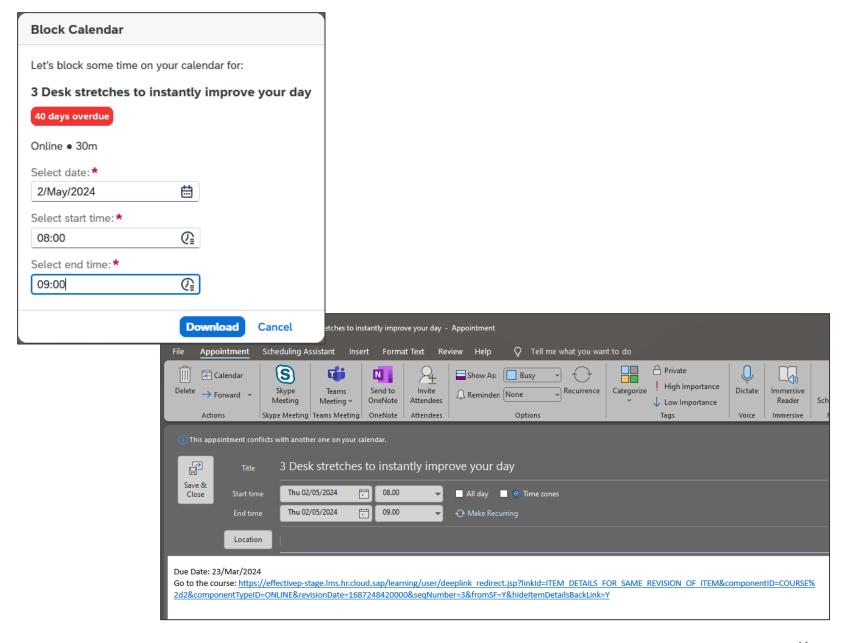


Block Calendar II





Block Calendar III





Email Domain Validation and Reporting

Email Domain Validation and Reporting

You can now enable **Domain Keys Identified Mail (DKIM)** validation in SuccessFactors Learning. To use this feature, you must have a **verified email domain** in SuccessFactors platform, and your Learning instance **must be sealed** to a platform instance.

You can now enable email domain validation for Learning in: "Learning Administration > System Administration > Configuration > Global Application Settings > Mail".

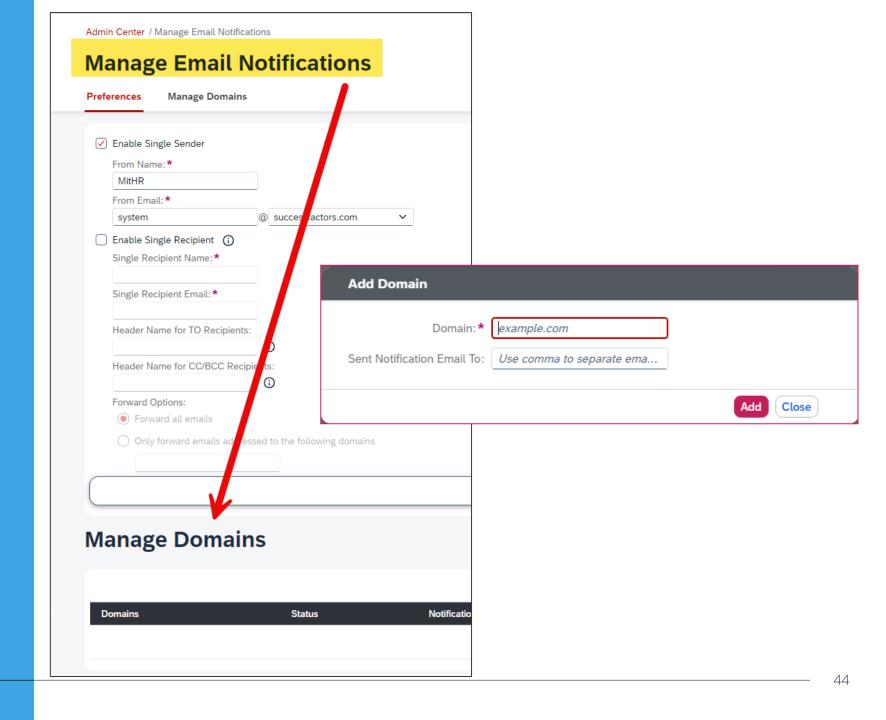
Once enabled, administrators will receive the following warning on any page where you can configure an email address used as a "from" address: "<email address> contains a domain NOT verified in: "Admin Center > Manage Email Notifications > Manage Domains".

Therefore, when Learning sends notifications using this address, the "From" address will be overwritten with the default address: "system@successfactors.com" or "system@successfactors.eu".

Whenever the "from" address is replaced by the system default, the application will use the "Reply-to" address that is configured in: "Learning Administration > System Administration > Configuration > Global Application Settings > Mail" along with the original sender's email address.

Manage Domains

Admin Center



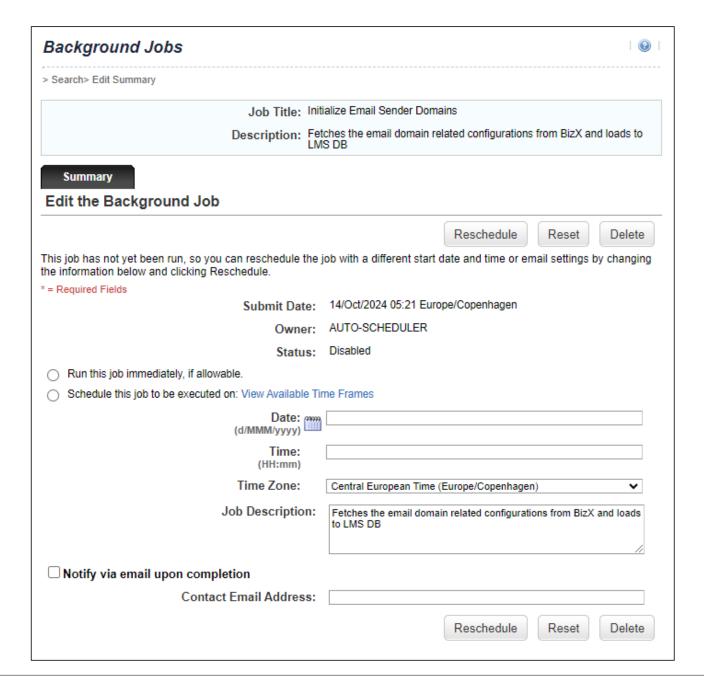
Learning > Mail configuration

You can now enable email domain validation for Learning in:

"Learning Administration > System Administration > Configuration > Global Application Settings > Mail".

Enforce notification sender's email domain verification against verified domains in Admin Center > Manage Email Notifications > Manage Domains.		
Enable Email Domain Validation:	☐ View Job Details	

Job details





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