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# LEARNER'S GUIDE

### Learner's Guide

Welcome to Harvard ManageMentor®! Whether you're here for a quick brush-up on a single subject, following a course recommended by your organization, or charting a managerial path for yourself, Harvard ManageMentor has been designed to help you achieve your goals and drive business impact.

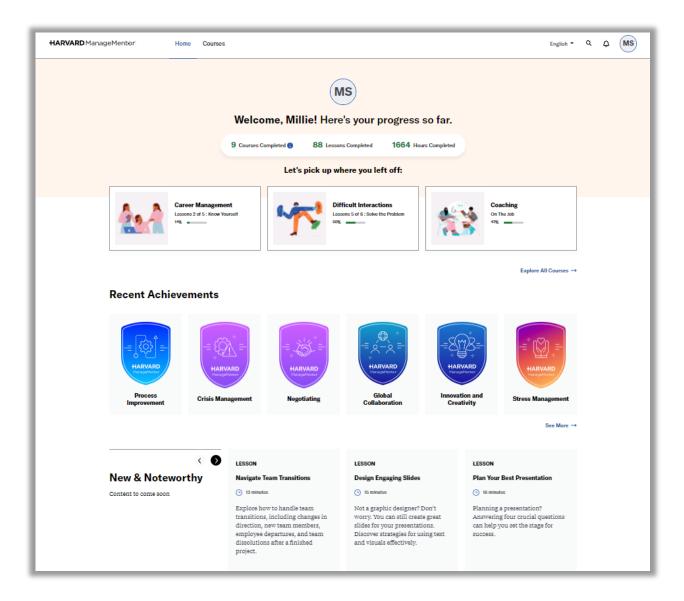
The Learner's Guide will take you through a typical course flow and introduce you to features and functionality designed to help you acquire the information you need, when you need it, apply it on the job, and share it with others.

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### **HOME PAGE**

Whether you're just getting started or are a frequent user, Harvard ManageMentor's **Home page** features everything you need to make the most out of your learning. With our recent redesign, every feature that you need to get started in HMM is right at your fingertips and the page has enhanced accessibility and ease of use!



Specifically, the Home page includes the following sections:

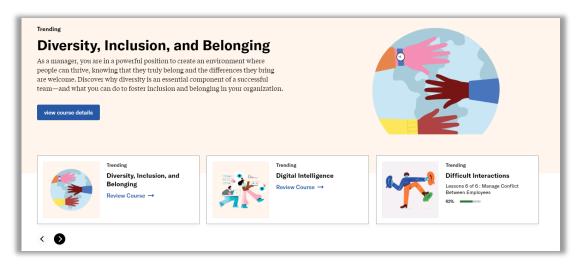
- **My Stats:** Gain insight into how you have spent your time while in Harvard ManageMentor, including details regarding the number of courses and lessons completed and overall time spent.
- Pick Up Where You Left Off: Get direct access to the courses you've started so you can continue
  where you left off!
- Recent Achievements: Celebrate your wins! You can see your recent badges right from the home page.
- New & Noteworthy: Learners can explore the latest additions to Harvard ManageMentor, including new articles and videos.

### **COURSES PAGE**

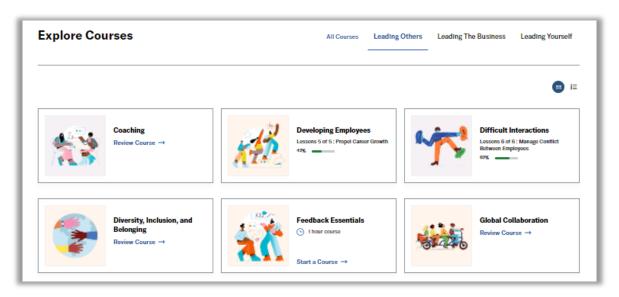
You can access the courses page from the top of the page by clicking **Courses**. The Courses Page shows all the courses available to you in HMM, so you can explore what's available and decide which courses you might want to complete.



At the top of the page, you can see trending courses, which are the courses that are most popular in your organization. You may want to pick one of these to follow the trend in your organization, or you can continue scrolling to see a fuller set of options.



As you scroll down, you'll be able to explore all the different course offerings in HMM. Depending what kind of courses you want to find, you can sort by the HBP categories of Leading Others, Leading the Business, and Leading Yourself or by any additional filters set by your organization (Role, Team, etc.).



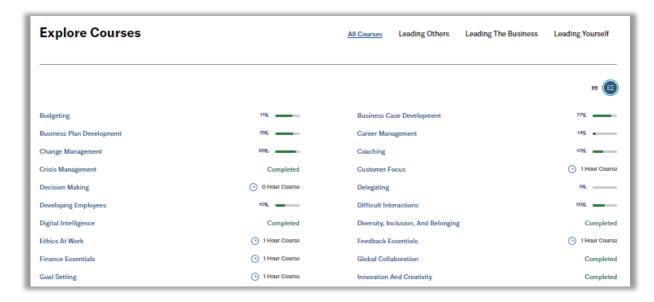
Courses within the *Leading Others* category will be focused on how you work with and manage others, *Leading the Business* courses will be focused on larger scale business goals and strategy, and courses in the *Leading Yourself* category will be focused on self-management and sharpening your own skills.



You can also switch to a list view using this button if you'd like to see the courses organized in a list.



In both views, for each course you'll see an indication of your progress or lack thereof. You will either see a progress bar with percentage complete, an indicator of completion, or the time it will take to complete the course depending on if and how you've interacted with the course so far. In the grid view, you also get an indicator of where exactly you left off in the course if you have made progress.



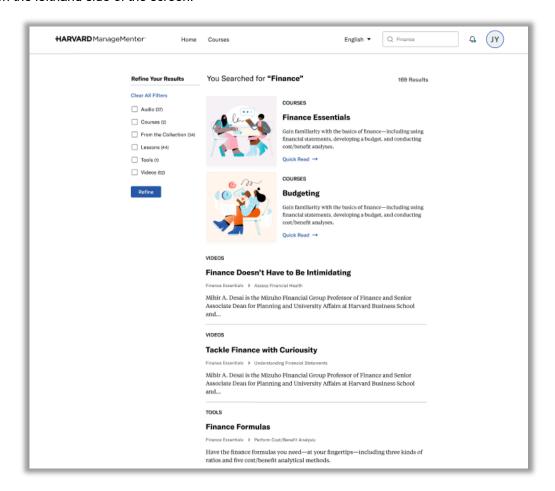
### SITE NAVIGATION

### Search

**Search** is available from the top of every Harvard ManageMentor page. You can simply click on the search icon and then type in the subject or specific resource title to find what you're looking for.

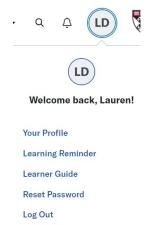


Courses matching your search will come first, followed by lessons, tools, videos, audio, and other resources. To help you find exactly what you're looking for, you can filter your results by resource type under "Refine Your Results" on the lefthand side of the screen.



### **Learner Menu**

Clicking on the user icon at the top right of every Harvard ManageMentor page allows you to access your **Learner Menu**, a drop-down list of key Harvard ManageMentor resources.



This menu will include a welcome message and links to a few key pages and resources in HMM, such as...

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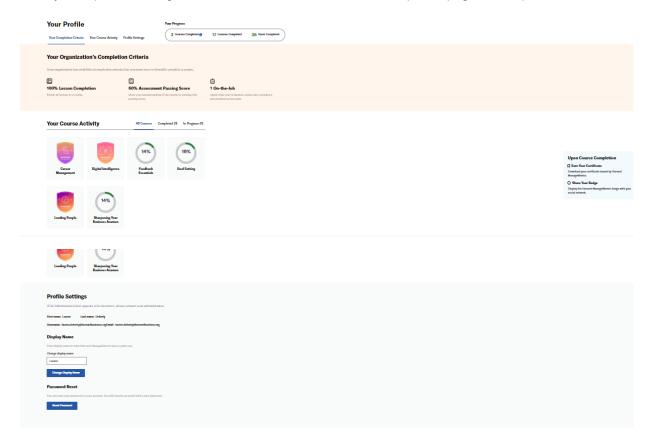
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- Your Profile: offers an enhanced user experience, streamlining access to your achievements, course activity, and profile settings.
- **Learning Reminder**: This link will open a modal which allows you to set calendar reminders for your learning goals.
- **Learner's Guide:** The document you're reading now! This guide contains all of the key information to help you navigate HMM and enhance your learning.
- Reset Password: Will open a modal asking the user if they want to reset their password
- Log out link: This link will log you out of HMM.

The major sections of this learner menu will be covered in subsequent sections in more depth to help you fully understand how to navigate through the site and use all of the HMM features to your advantage.

### **Your Profile**

The new profile page offers an enhanced user experience, streamlining access to your achievements, course activity, and profile settings. Here are the different sections of the profile page from top to bottom.



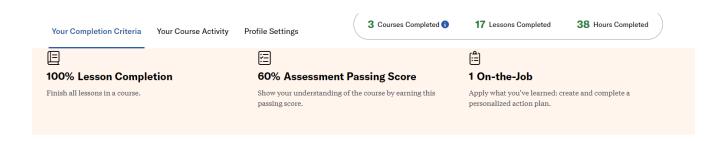
### **Your Progress Section:**

At the top of the page on the right-hand side, you will find the **"Your Progress"** section in the header. This section provides a snapshot of your learning journey, displaying the number of Completed Courses, Completed Lessons, and the total number of hours you have completed. It allows you to track your progress and celebrate your accomplishments.



### Your Org.'s Completion Criteria:

In this section, you can view the completion criteria set by your organization. Depending on your organization's settings, you may see different criteria, such as Lesson Completion, Assessment, and On-the-Job. If you have an assessment and on-the-job features turned off, they will not be visible. In case you have no completion criteria set up, this section will not be displayed.

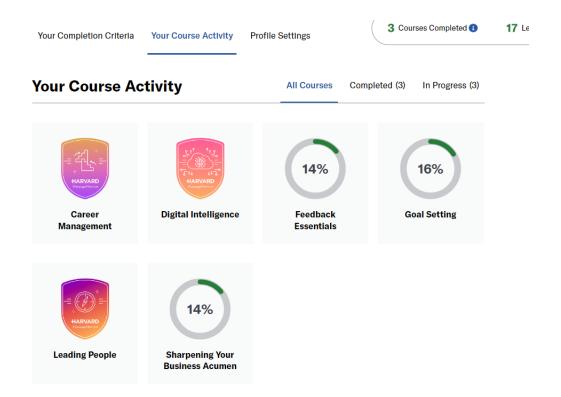


### Your Course Activity:

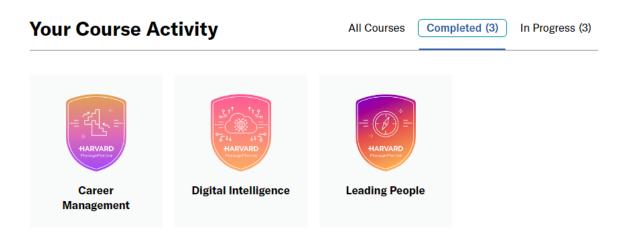
The "Your Course Activity" section provides an overview of your course engagement. It consists of three tabs: All Courses, Completed, and In-Progress.

The All Courses tab shows badges for completed courses and the completion percentage of courses in progress.

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The Completed tab shows badges for courses you have completed.



When you complete a course, you can launch the badge associated with it. The badge page offers various options, including objectives, social media sharing icons, assessment scores, and the ability to download the badge and certificate. Note that if the certificate is turned off, this option won't be visible to you.

# Your Leading People Achievements



Leading People



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This course covers how to:

- Deepen your understanding of what an effective leader does—and doesn't—do
- Identify what you value as a leader and the vision you're working to achieve
- Accomplish results by managing your emotions and by cultivating positive relationships
- Build mutual trust and take steps to restore trust if it's been broken
- Create an inclusive environment in which everyone can perform at their best and grow in their role
- Help your team connect and collaborate, even when everyone isn't in the same place

Your Assessment Score: 100%

Download your:

Badge

Certificate

View Course Details →

### **Your Course Activity**

All Courses

Completed (3)

In Progress (3)

X







By clicking on the In Progress tab, you can quickly resume where you left off in the course.

### **Profile Settings:**

Users can only see the section if the organization-level settings have enabled this functionality. Otherwise, this section will not be visible.

The "Profile Settings" section allows you to manage your personal information. It includes the following features:

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Basic Information: You can view and update your name, username, and email address.

## **Profile Settings**

If the information below appears to be incorrect, please contact your administrator.

First name: Janine Last name: Young

Username: jyoung Email: jyoung@companymail.co

**Display Name:** You can also change your display name, which will be visible to others in the learning community.

# Display Name Your display name is what Harvard ManageMentor uses to greet you. Change display name: Janine Change Display Name

Password Reset: In case you need to reset your password, you can easily initiate the process within this section.

### **Password Reset**

You can reset your password to your account. You will receive an email with a new password yadda yadda.

Reset Password

**Lesson Recommendations:** You can opt in or out of lesson recommendations. Organizations can enable or disable these recommendations in the CL manager. If lesson recommendations are enabled, you can decide whether you want to receive them or not.

### **Lesson Recommendations**

Harvard ManageMentor can send you weekly lesson recommendations emails.

Opt In

### **Learning Reminder**

Having trouble making time for your learning? Consider taking advantage of the **Learning Reminder** feature. Accessible via the drop-down Learner Menu, this feature lets you quickly and easily set-aside time for learning on your personal calendar.

To create a learning reminder, select Learning Reminder from the Learner Menu. Then, fill out the applicable fields (*see below*) in the Create a Learning Reminder window that appears. Don't forget to select whether or not you would like this reminder to recur. Finally, select "Add HMM Learning Reminder" and follow the prompts to enable the reminder for a calendar of your choosing. Recurring events can only be set for Apple Calendar, Outlook, and Google Calendar at this time.

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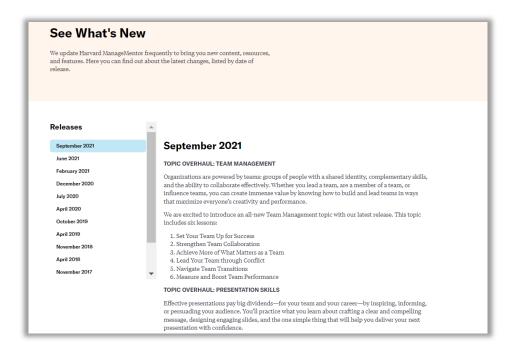
### See What's New

Accessible via the Notification icon on the top right of any page in Harvard ManageMentor, the **See What's New** page provides an at-a-glance look at the new content and features being regularly added to Harvard ManageMentor.



You can click into specific updates from the notification menu or click to view all notifications. On the full page, these updates are separated by month of release and contain key info about the updates made to the platform and courses.

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If you have a question regarding updates found on the **See What's New** page, please contact your local Harvard ManageMentor administrator for more information.

### **COURSE STRUCTURE**

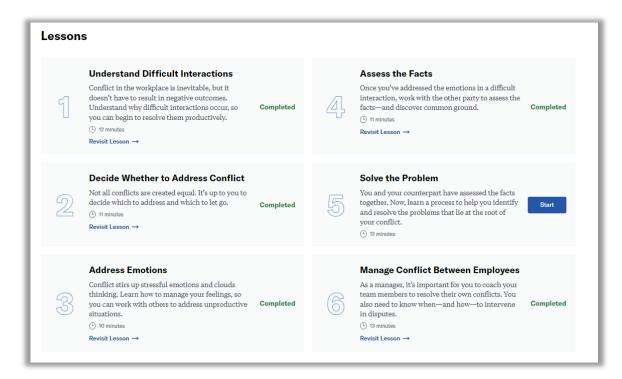
### **Details Page**

Each course begins with a **Details Page** that gets you started with an overview of what you'll learn and a list of all the lessons in the course, links to the assessment and on-the-job sections, and key resources related to the course.

The Course Details Page begins with a course overview including a description of the course, the estimated duration of the course, the number of lessons, the number of videos, and a call to start or resume the course. You can also easily access your completion criteria by clicking "How to earn completion for this course".



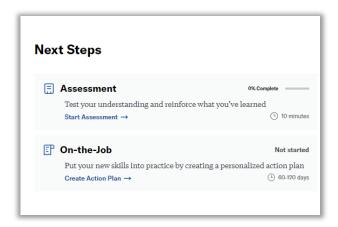
The next section of the Details Page is the list of all of the lessons in the course. From this section, you can read the lesson descriptions, see your status in completing each lesson, view the estimated duration, and begin or revisit the lesson.



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The last three sections of this page include...

**Next Steps:** Links to the assessment and On-the-Job activities that you will complete after finishing the lessons for the course. The assessment tests what you've learned throughout the lesson, whereas the On-the-Job section asks you to put your skills into action in your day-to-day life. Clicking either link will bring you right to these sections of the course.



**Discussion Guides:** These are guides to help you facilitate conversations about the subject of the course and share your learning with others. You can download these directly from this page as zip files.



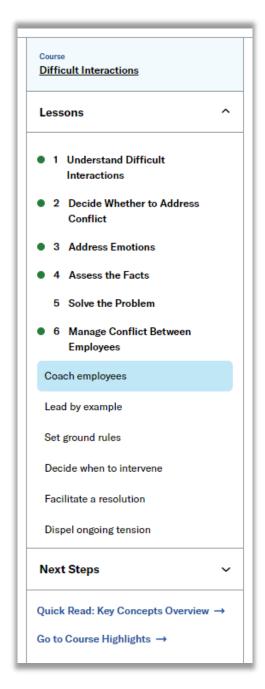
**Highlights:** This section contains key articles from the course which can help you to extend your learning about the subject of the course. You can click into an article to read it or click "See All Highlights" to go to the **Highlights** page for the course which contains all course resources.



### **Course Sidebar**

Once you're in one of the lessons of the course, the **Course Sidebar** provides navigation to other lesson sections, lessons, and components of the course.

You can start the course with lesson 1 and complete it in order, or you can jump right to the lesson that meets your needs. Once you have completed a lesson, you will see a green circle to the left of the lesson title. Your inprogress lessons will be indicated with a half moon icon and lessons you haven't started won't have any icon next to them.

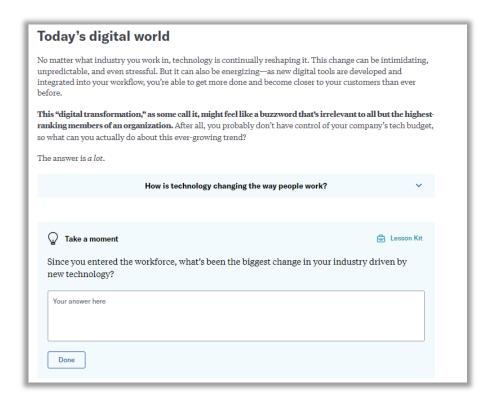


### Lessons

Each course contains a series of **Lessons**. Both from the Course Details Page, as well as at the top of each lesson, you will see a time estimate for how long it will take you to complete the lesson.

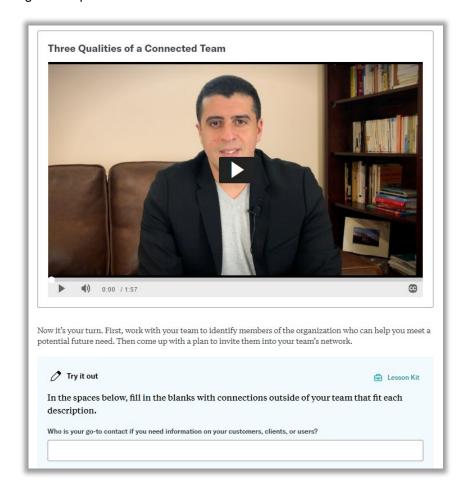


In our lessons, you will see elements of practice and reflection integrated into the primary learning content to reinforce concepts and actions you can take to build new skills. This integrated learning approach strengthens your skill building by allowing you to make connections and apply the knowledge you just gained from the content to your own life and work

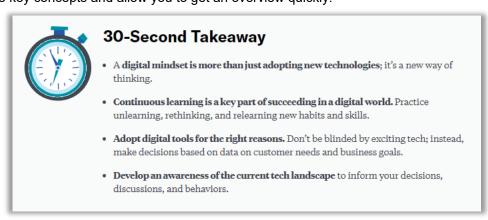


Most lessons will follow a similar pattern, with business concepts presented in a variety of formats, interspersed with different types of exercises including scenarios and self-assessments. Throughout the lesson you are also prompted to reflect on how you can apply the concepts your own work and life. You can redo any of the embedded activities as many times as you would like. Your answers will be compiled within your Lesson Kit at the end of each lesson.

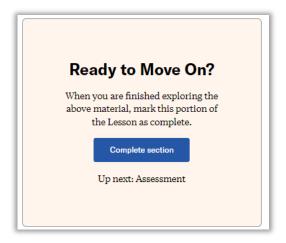
Lessons provide content that is engaging, actionable, and relevant. As you scroll down a lesson page, you'll find proven business concepts presented in a variety of formats, including text, videos, and infographics. Each lesson is complemented by additional resources such as tools, stats, polls, podcasts, articles and more designed to help you take your learning one step further!



Near the bottom of the lesson, you will see some 30 second takeaways. This is a great quick summary of the concepts that were covered in the lesson. This information is also included in the Lesson Kit, which is covered in the next section of this guide. If you have a limited amount of time, and want to review what you learned, it will show you all the key concepts and allow you to get an overview guickly!



One important thing to note is that in order to record your progress and move on to the next lesson within a course, you must click the 'Complete section' button at the bottom of the lesson page. Once you complete a lesson, you'll see a green dot next to it in the Course sidebar.



### **Lesson Kit**

At the end of each of lesson, you will be able to download a Lesson Kit.



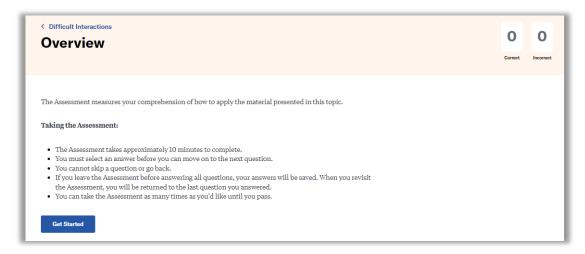
The **Lesson Kit** is a portable, actionable summary of the Harvard ManageMentor lesson you just completed. In it, you'll find:

- 30-Second Takeaway: A reminder of the key lesson concepts.
- Your Responses: The lesson kit will compile all of your answers to the Practice and Reflect activities
  that appear throughout the lesson, for you to review and reflect on.
- Tools: Worksheets and handouts to continue applying what you learned on the job.

### **Assessment**

The **Assessment** is designed to measure your understanding of a course's key concepts and your ability to apply them in your workplace. Check the completion criteria page for requirements to pass the assessment as set by your organization.

After completing the assessment, you will get feedback on both correct and incorrect answers and links to content for the questions you missed. If you do not pass, you can review the content to refresh your learning about incorrectly answered questions and retake the assessment as many times as you need to pass. If your organization has chosen not to include the assessment in the completion criteria, or the passing score is "0", then you will only get one opportunity to take the assessment.

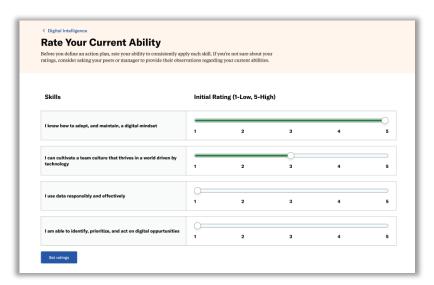


### On-the-Job (OTJ)

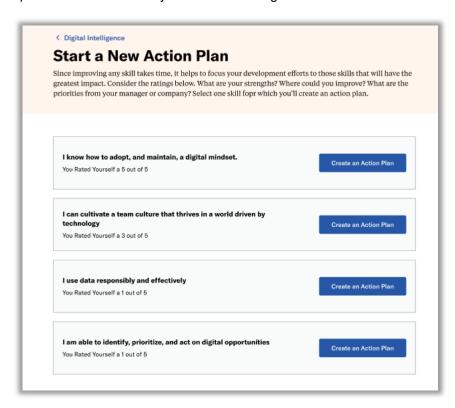
The activities included in On-the-Job section of a course will help you identify opportunities to apply and develop the skills that will have the most impact for you and your organization. You can access OTJ from the Course Details Page or you will be prompted to move onto this section after completing other sections of the course.

You will follow four steps to complete the OTJ section.

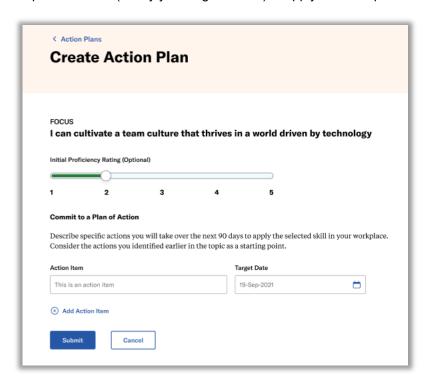
**STEP 1.** Rate your current ability to perform the skills presented in the course.



**STEP 2.** Review your proficiency ratings from Step 1 and choose a skill you'd like to work on. Consider your own strengths and development areas as well as your team's and organization's needs.



**STEP 3.** Create an action plan—a defined set of steps that will help you apply and develop your chosen skill. You will then have a specified period of time (set by your organization) to apply these steps on the job.



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**STEP 4.** At the end of your On-the-Job period (for example, 90 days), you will be asked to re-rate your skill level and reflect on your experiences in the workplace.



Course completion is typically achieved after you have completed and submitted an Action Plan. Check the Completions & Achievements page for requirements set by your organization. This page can be accessed through the Learner Menu.

When you have completed a course, a modal will appear granting you a badge for the course, which you can download and share. You will also receive a certificate as proof of your completion. You can access and download all your badges and certificates from the Completions & Achievements page.

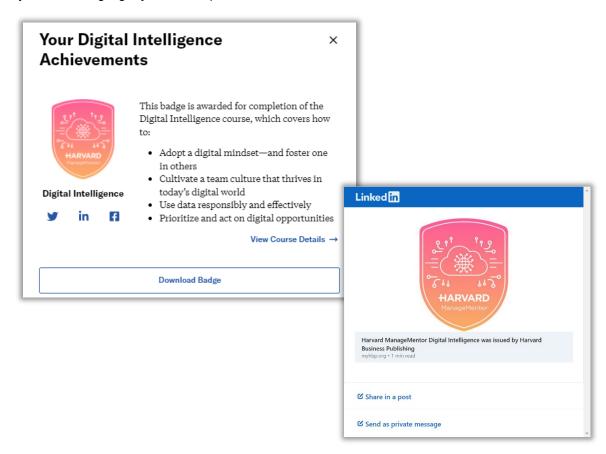
If you'd like, you can target additional skills and create action plans for them as well, even if you have already completed the course.

### **Badges**

You will be awarded with a digital **Badge** for each course you complete in HMM. These badges will be granted once you complete all the criteria that your organization has set for completing a course. Once you complete the last part of the course, a window will pop up with more information about your badge. You can share your badge right from this window or click the "See Badges" button to be redirected to the Completion & Achievements page to see all your badges and certificates.



On the **Completions & Achievements** page, you can view your collection of badges in HMM. When you click onto a specific badge, you will be given the option to download or share to LinkedIn, Twitter, and Facebook using the social media icons below the badge. HMM courses cover valuable skills for today's leaders, and now you can easily track and highlight your accomplishments.

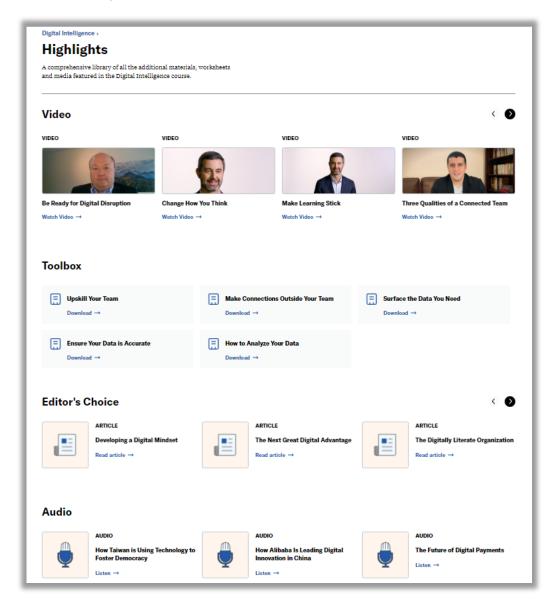


### **CONTENT RESOURCES**

### **Course Highlights**

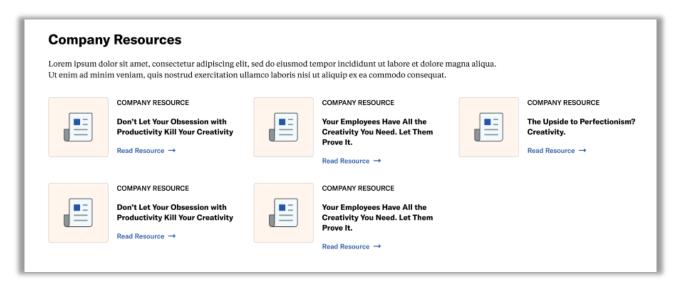
The **Course Highlights** page provides quick access to all additional resources for a course. These resources include videos, tools, audio, and Editors' choice articles. You can access this page from the Details Page or Course Sidebar for any course. Clicking into the video or audio links will bring you directly to the videos and podcasts within the lessons in which they appear. The other resources will open in a new tab or download to your computer for easy access.

This page provides a one stop shop for all the resources for a course so you can have easy access to them anytime you want to revisit specific content.



### **Company Resources**

Harvard ManageMentor provides a variety of additional features to enhance and extend your learning and the learning of others. **Company Resources** are custom resources that your company can provide to enrich and give context to your learning, in alignment with the company's business goals.

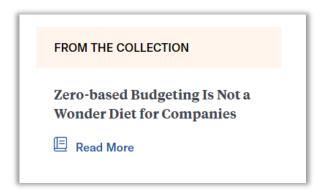


Not all companies include this supplementary content or include it for every course, so if you don't see **Company Resources** for a course, you can assume that it's because your company hasn't added them.

If your company has provided **Company Resources** – which may include links to articles, video, and tools – they will display on a Course Details Page. Select a link to navigate to the resource.

### From the Collection

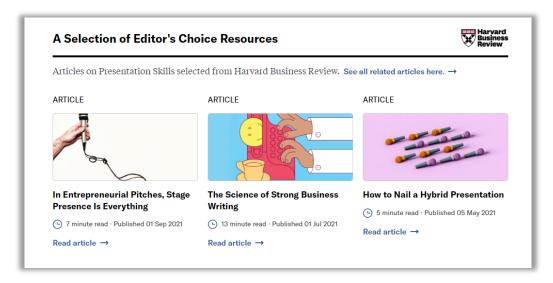
From the Collection is a set of carefully chosen articles from Harvard Business Publishing experts and thought leaders, available for many courses. You can find these articles within lessons. Clicking into them will open the article in a new tab.



### **Editor's Choice**

**Editor's Choice** articles are updated on a regular basis, bringing the latest content from *Harvard Business Review* into HMM to supplement the lesson content. You can find these articles at the end of each lesson as well as on the **Course Highlights** page.

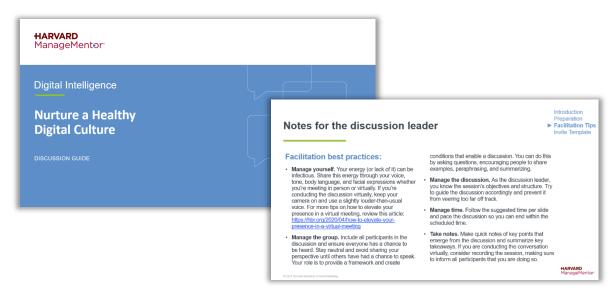
Note: Editor's Choice content is only available when viewing Harvard ManageMentor in English.



### **Discussion Guides**

One of the best ways to extend your learning is by sharing it with others. Each Harvard ManageMentor course provides materials for leading discussions with your team about why and how the concepts can be applied in the context of your organization.

**Discussion Guides** and slides will help you shape the conversation, and ready-made emails can be used to invite participants and set expectations about the discussion. Each course's Discussion Guide materials are accessible from the Course Details Page.



### **Tools**

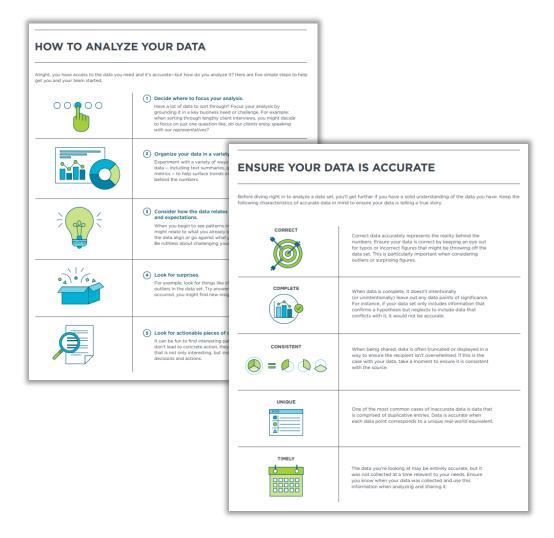
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You can find **Tools** individually interspersed into the lessons under the **Tool** headings or compiled on the Course Highlights page under **Toolbox**.

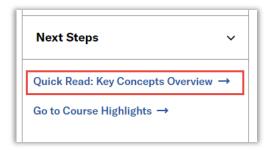


Tools comprise checklists, self-assessments, worksheets, handouts, and logs that will help you apply the course learning to your own situation. You can download the tools by clicking on the download links under each title.

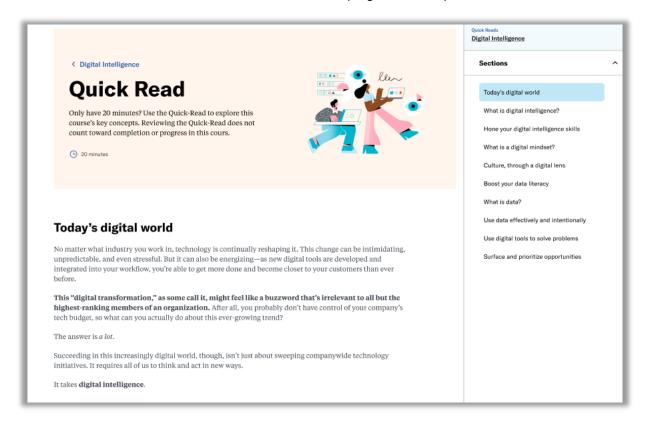


### Quick-Read

You'll find the Quick-Read listed in the Course Sidebar under Next Steps.



If you have a limited amount of time, you can use the **Quick-Read** to review a course's key concepts in approximately 20 minutes. This might be a good way to review before taking the assessment, or to refresh your knowledge while doing your Action Plan. You can navigate through the different sections of the Quick Read using the Course Sidebar. The Quick Read does not count toward progress or completion in a course.



### SITE RESOURCES

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### **Language Selection**

If your organization has access to additional language options, you can change the language currently being displayed at any time by using the drop-down menu located in the top right corner next to the search bar on each Harvard ManageMentor page. The system will remember the last language that you selected and will automatically display that language when you next log in.



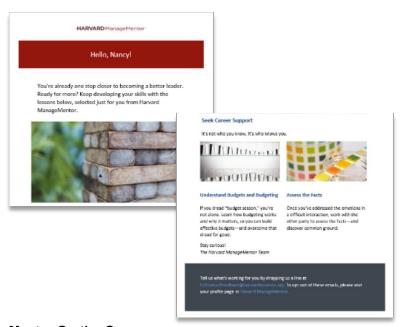
### **Recommendation Emails**

If your organization has opted into this feature, you will receive personalized email recommendations from Harvard ManageMentor (HMM). They are sent bi-weekly on Tuesdays with links to three suggested HMM lessons. These automated emails are an opportunity to engage with new content and build new skills!

If your organization has these emails enabled, look out for the recommendation emails, and check out the recommended lessons:

- Their title is **Keep Learning with Harvard ManageMentor**.
- They are sent from no-reply-hmm@harvardbusiness.org

If you would like to opt out of these emails at any time, you can do so by clicking the link at the bottom of the email.



Harvard ManageMentor On-the-Go

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Don't confine Harvard ManageMentor to your office or home computer; take the learning with you by enabling quick access on your mobile device. Follow the instructions below to add HMM to your home screen and ensure you can log in anytime with ease.

Adding Harvard ManageMentor to an iPhone:

- 1. On your iPhone, access Harvard ManageMentor using your preferred web browser. If your organization uses single sign-on, ensure that the URL includes the appropriate subdomain (e.g., [Your Org].myhbp.org/hmm12).
- 2. Click on the "Share" icon on the bottom of the browser.
- 3. Click on the option to "Add to the Home Screen."
- 4. Edit the name as desired, such as "HMM." This will appear on your iPhone home screen.
- 5. Click on "Add."
- 6. An icon will be added to your home screen.

Note: Works especially well if you allow Safari or Chrome to save your user credentials

Adding Harvard ManageMentor to an Android phone:

- On your Android phone, access Harvard ManageMentor using your preferred web browser. If your organization uses single sign-on, ensure that the URL includes the appropriate subdomain (e.g., [Your Org].myhbp.org/hmm12).
- 2. In the browser, Click on the Menu icon.
- 3. Click on "Add Shortcut on Home Screen."
- 4. An icon will be added to your home screen.

Note: The name and icon for Harvard ManageMentor cannot be edited.

### **System Check**

To ensure that your browser settings, plugins, and system set-up are optimal for Harvard ManageMentor use, click System Check from the bottom of any Harvard ManageMentor page.

### Help

This guide has provided an overview of the features and content in Harvard ManageMentor. For additional help using Harvard ManageMentor, email <u>techhelp@hbsp.harvard.edu</u>, access chat from the login page during business hours (Eastern Standard Time) or call a customer service representative.

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