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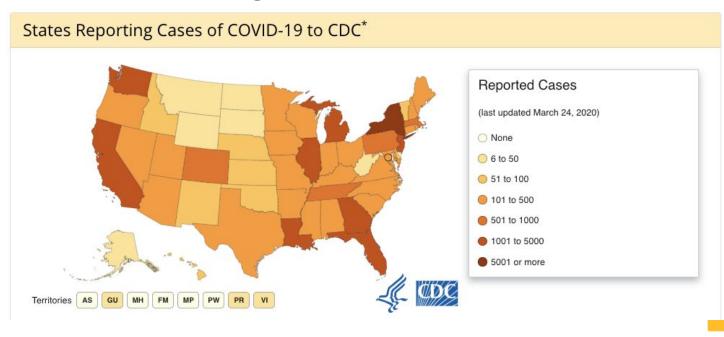
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# Training in the Time of COVID-19: Tips and Lessons Learned

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#### It's been a tough few weeks... or months...



#### As of last night...

- 69,000+ cases in the US
- 21 states have issued stay at home orders
- Senate passed a sweeping \$2 trillion financial relief package
- Currently impacting 198 countries
- 74,000+ cases in Italy
- Span, Germany, and Iran have next highest after US
- Britain just started lockdown



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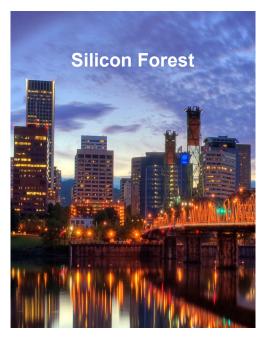






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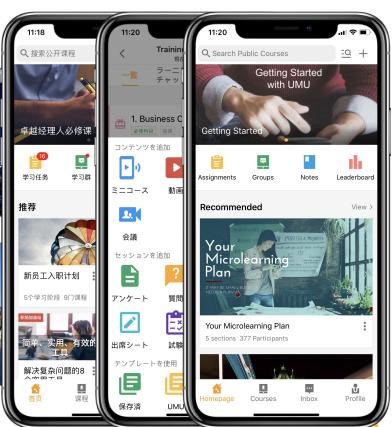


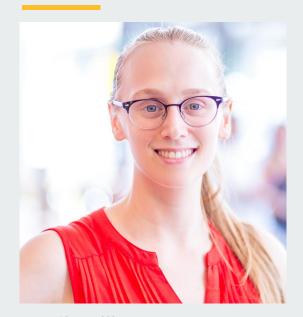






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#### Big issues & lessons learned from abroad

- Communication and change management
- Sales training
- New hire onboarding
- Moving to online FAST



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# Communication & Change Management



#### Challenges

• Things are changing too quickly

 It's hard to keep everyone on the same page

 Employees feel uncertain, unsupported and disengaged



#### Stay connected. Meet early, meet often





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#### Create a single source of truth

Reduce time lost to searching and asking

Use rapid authoring tools

Ensure everyone has access

Keep it up to date



#### Check in with your employees

Everyone's situation is different

If you don't ask, you don't know

Create two-way communication and feedback loops



What are your biggest challenges during COVID-19?

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## **Sales Training**



#### Challenges

 No face-to-face role-play or practice

Customers are busy

Can't travel



#### Focus on what you CAN do





#### **Practice and adapt**

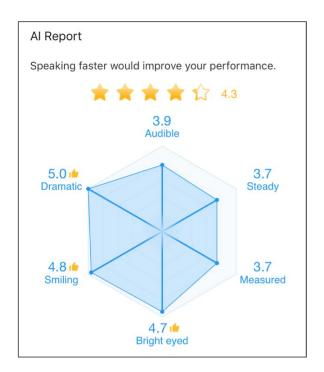


**Practice** 





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#### Be bold. Try new things.







#### **Experiments might pay off big time**

Original method



New method



### **New Hire Onboarding**



#### Challenges

No travel or classroom training

Harder to meet and shadow coworkers

 No oversight when working from home



#### Take onboarding 100% remote





As of the latest estimates, US workers could be working from home for the next 18 months or longer.



What percentage of your onboarding process is remote?



#### Remote Onboarding Recipe

- Host a welcome session and Q&A with executive leadership through webinar or live broadcast
- Pick one day a week for regular check ins and virtual support sessions
- Schedule remote job shadowing opportunities with peer coaches
- Assign self-paced microlearnings for relevant job activities everyday
- Flip virtual trainings with assigned pre-work and reinforcement activities
- Quiz often to check for knowledge retention and practiced recall



# Move to Online FAST



#### Challenges

Time spent creating online learning

Limited experience with virtual training

Unsure how to keep learners engaged

How would you rate your level of experience leading virtual training?



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Before: Have a producer!

- During: Take breaks 10 minutes for every 75 minutes of instruction
- After: Survey the results and iterate



#### **Move fast**





#### Leverage existing resources + rapid authoring





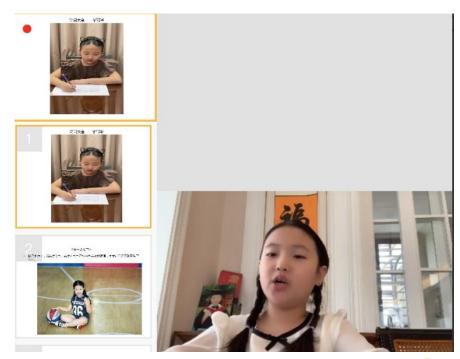




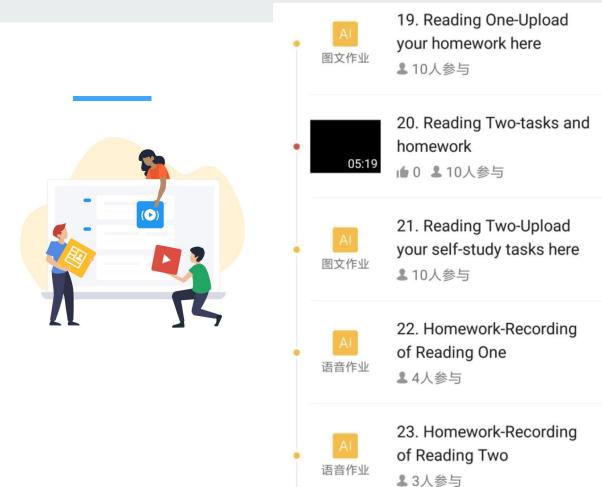
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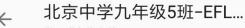


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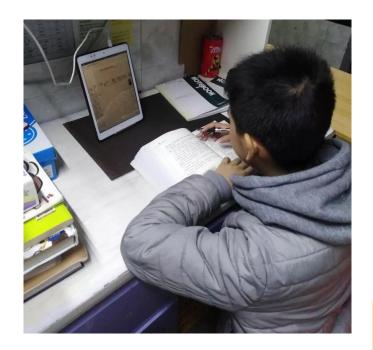




- Virtual teaching / Live streaming
- Microlearning
- Artificial Intelligence
- Mobile Learning









What tools and methods are you currently using?





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