

The LMS: Powerhouse of the Learning Ecosystem



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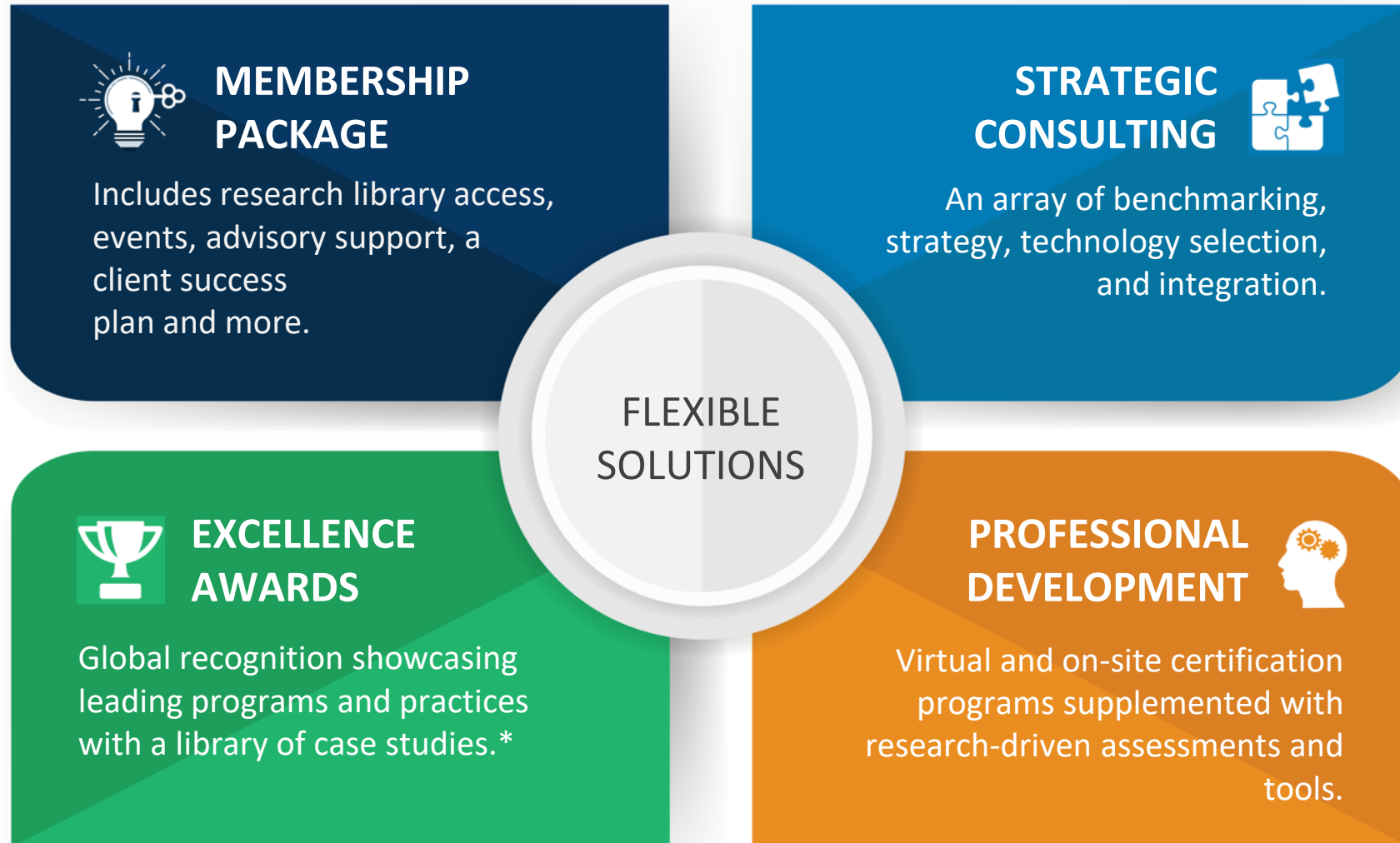
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Agenda

- ➔ Modern learning ecosystem
- ➔ Role of the LMS
- ➔ Benefits of LMS / key features, functionality
- ➔ LMS use cases

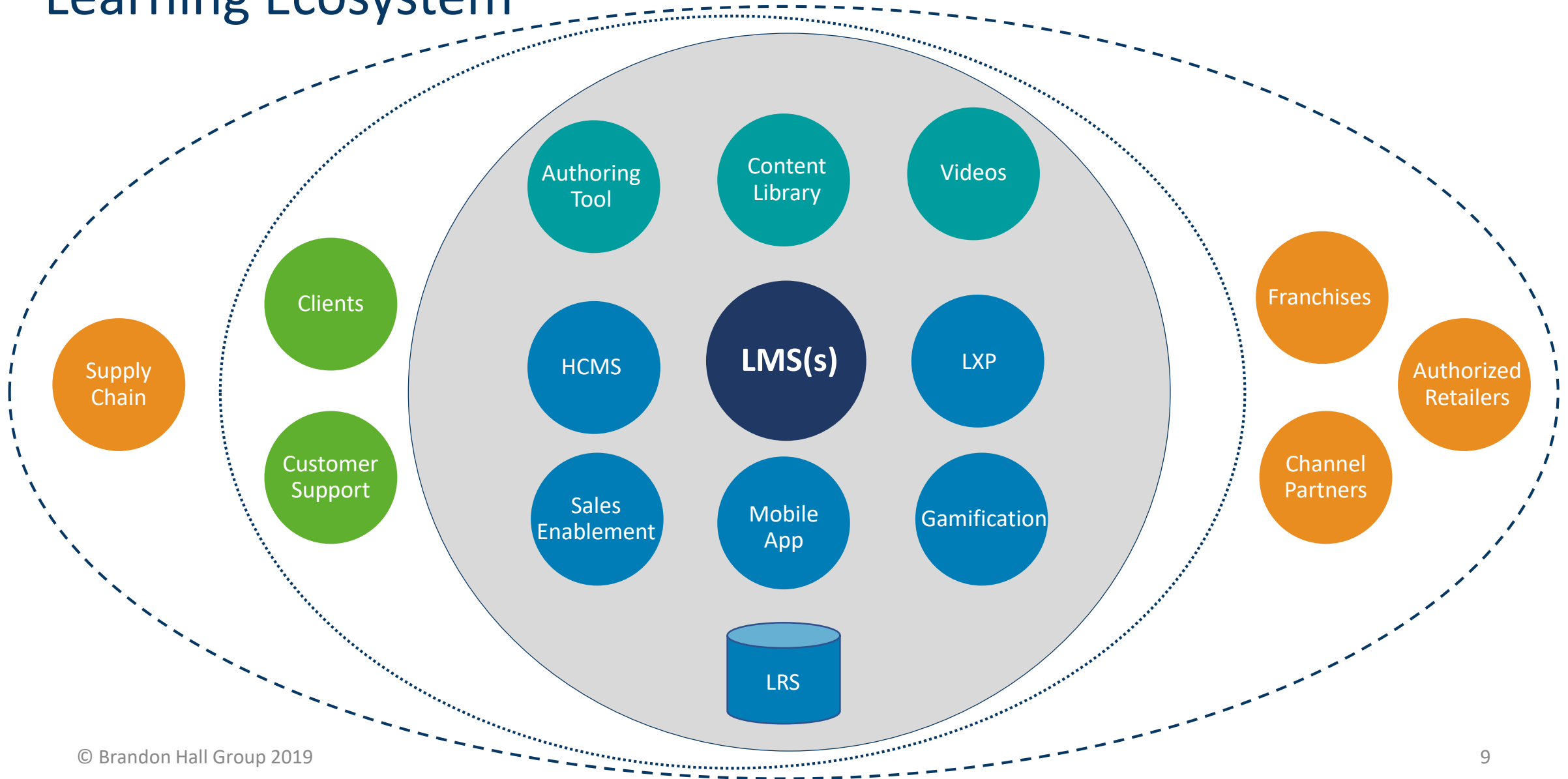




Modern Learning Ecosystem



Learning Ecosystem





Blended Learning Strategy

- Learn it, apply it, receive feedback, refine (and repeat)
- Instructor-led training
- Hands-on training
- Video-based training
- Coaching
- eLearning





What is an LMS?

A learning management system helps you create, assign, distribute and measure the success of eLearning training courses



High Impact Learning

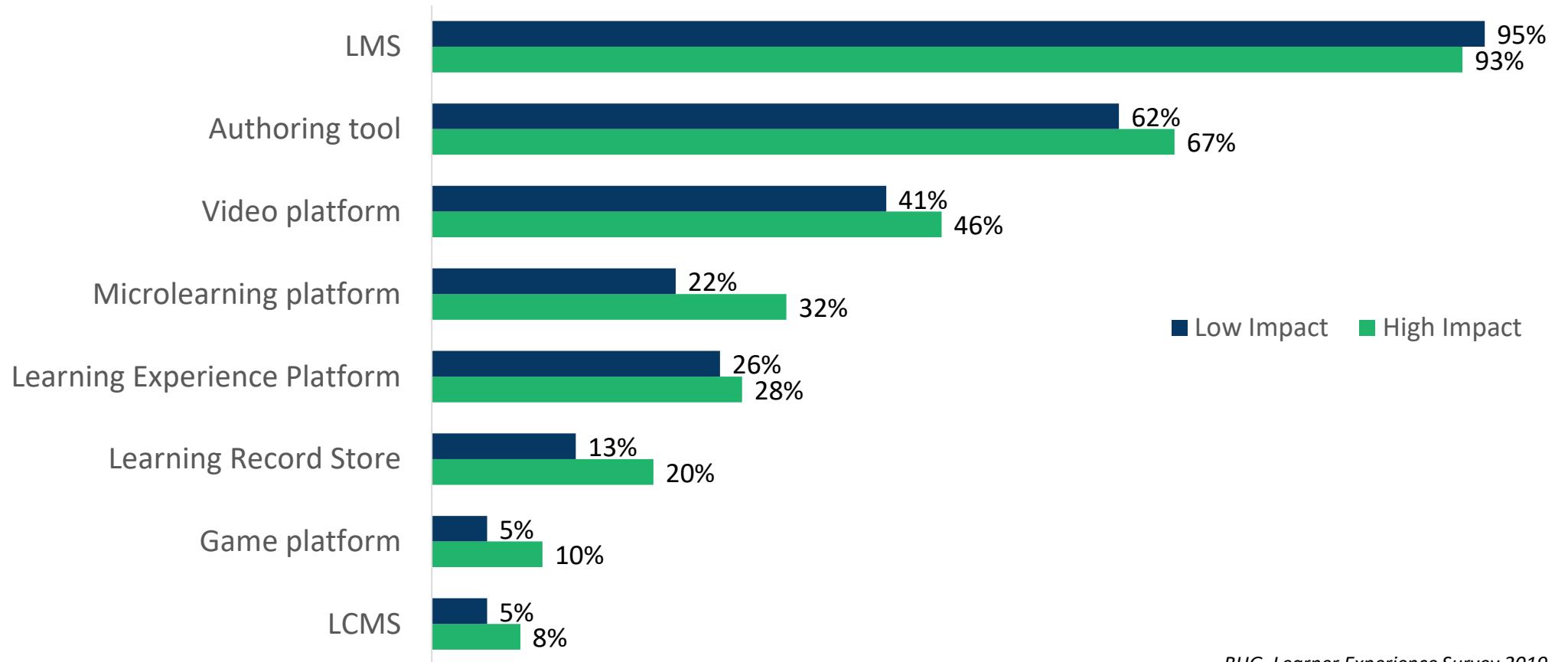
The learning approach is either effective or highly effective at positively affecting the following outcomes:

- 1 Time to productivity/effectiveness
- 2 Voluntary turnover/employee retention rates
- 3 Employee engagement
- 4 Individual performance
- 5 Manager/supervisor observations
- 6 Team effectiveness



Learning Tools & Technology

PLATFORMS



BHG, Learner Experience Survey 2019



Learning Management System Users

LEARNER



ADMINISTRATOR



Learning Management System Content

- MS PowerPoint Presentations
- Guides
- Reports
- White Papers
- Charts/Graphs
- Webinars
- Podcasts
- Games
- Slideshares
- Cartoons/Illustrations
- Videos
- Case Studies
- Infographics
- Problem-Solution Scenarios
- Simulations
- Screen Captures
- Animated GIFs
- Checklists
- eBooks
- Articles
- Blog Posts
- Interviews





Why is The LMS Still The Powerhouse?



Quality Employee Training



Cost of Poor Employee Training

42%

of employees say **learning and development is the most important benefit** when deciding where to work followed by health insurance (48%)

31%

of retail employees said that training makes them **feel extremely engaged**

51%

of employees would **quit their job** if training was not offered



Source: Studies by Axonify And Udemy



Reduce Turnover Rate



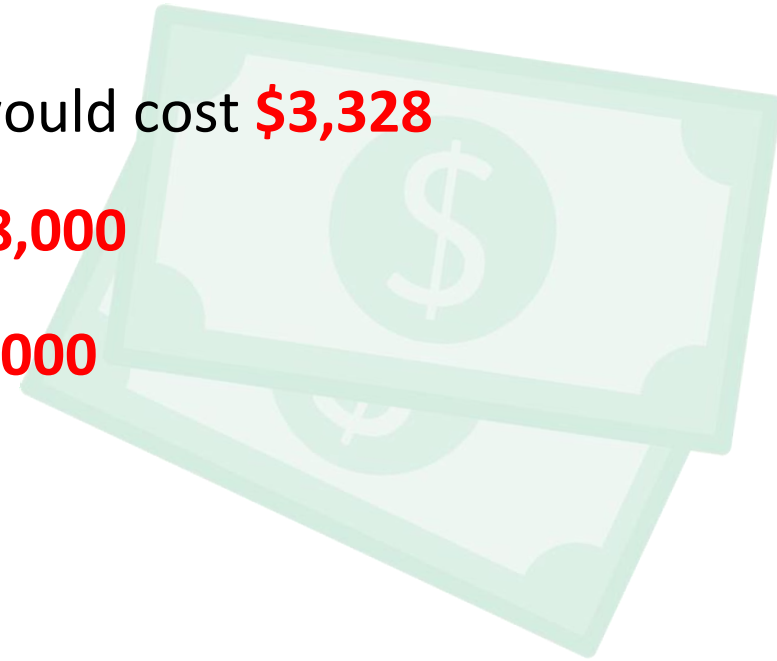
Cost of High Turnover

Hiring a New Employee & Onboarding:

\$10/hour retail employee replacement would cost **\$3,328**

\$40k manager replacement would cost **\$8,000**

\$100k CEO replacement would cost **\$213,000**



Source: www.americanprogress.org/wp-content/uploads/2012/11/CostofTurnover.pdf



Employee Retention



Look at it from the retention angle:

- Businesses with a strong learning culture enjoy employee engagement and retention rates around **30-50% higher** than those that don't
- Offering career training and development would **keep 86%** of millennials from leaving their current position

Source: Studies by Robert Half And Bridge



Increase Engagement & Productivity



Flip It Around:

- Companies that use eLearning technology achieve an 18% boost in employee engagement.

(can increase engagement, thus increase productivity)

- In fact, every dollar invested in online training results in \$30 in productivity.

Source: (1) The Molly Fletcher Company,
<https://mollyfletcher.com/3-reasons-to-implement-e-learning-in-your-organization/>

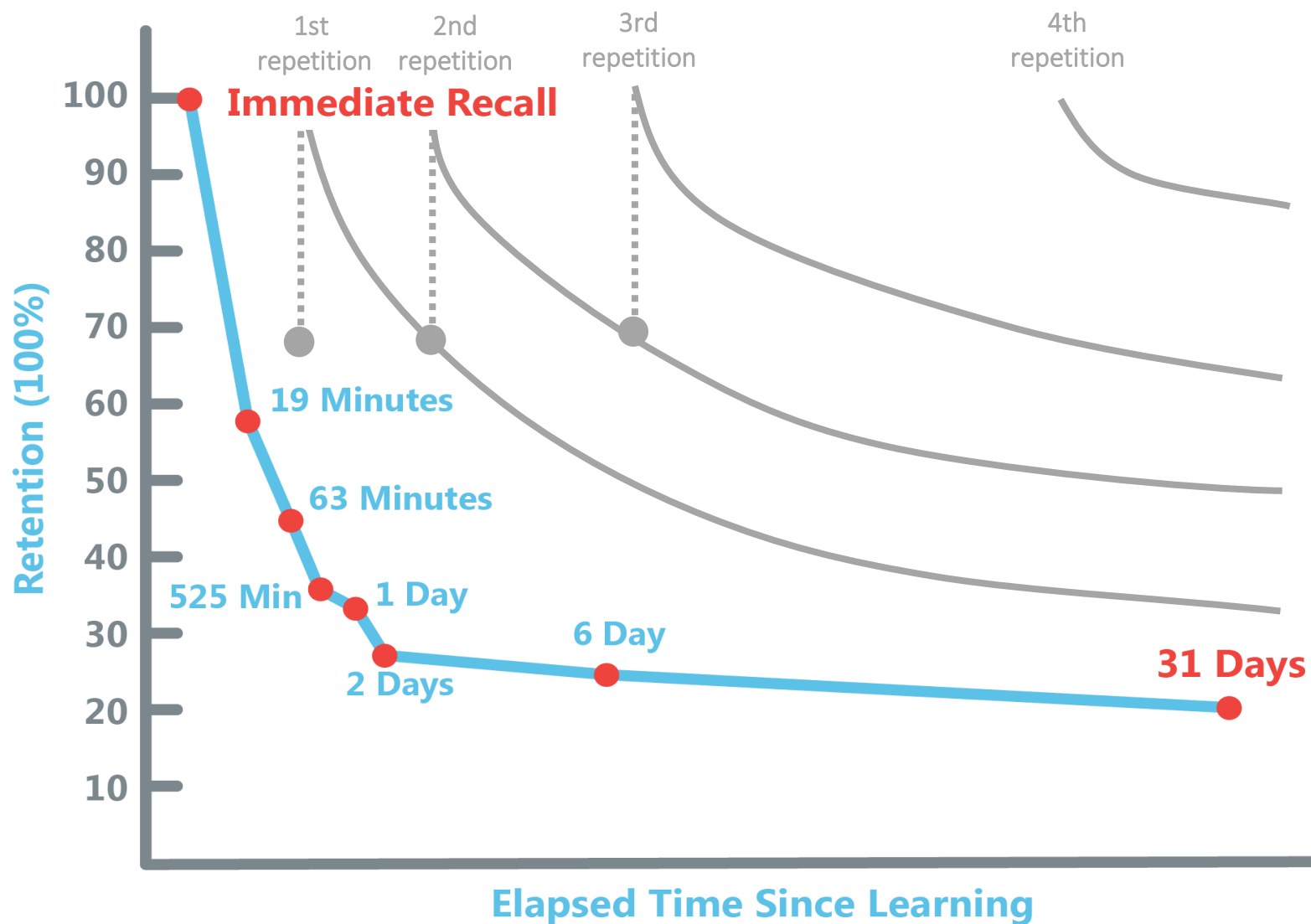
Source: (2) IBM study,
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Just In Time



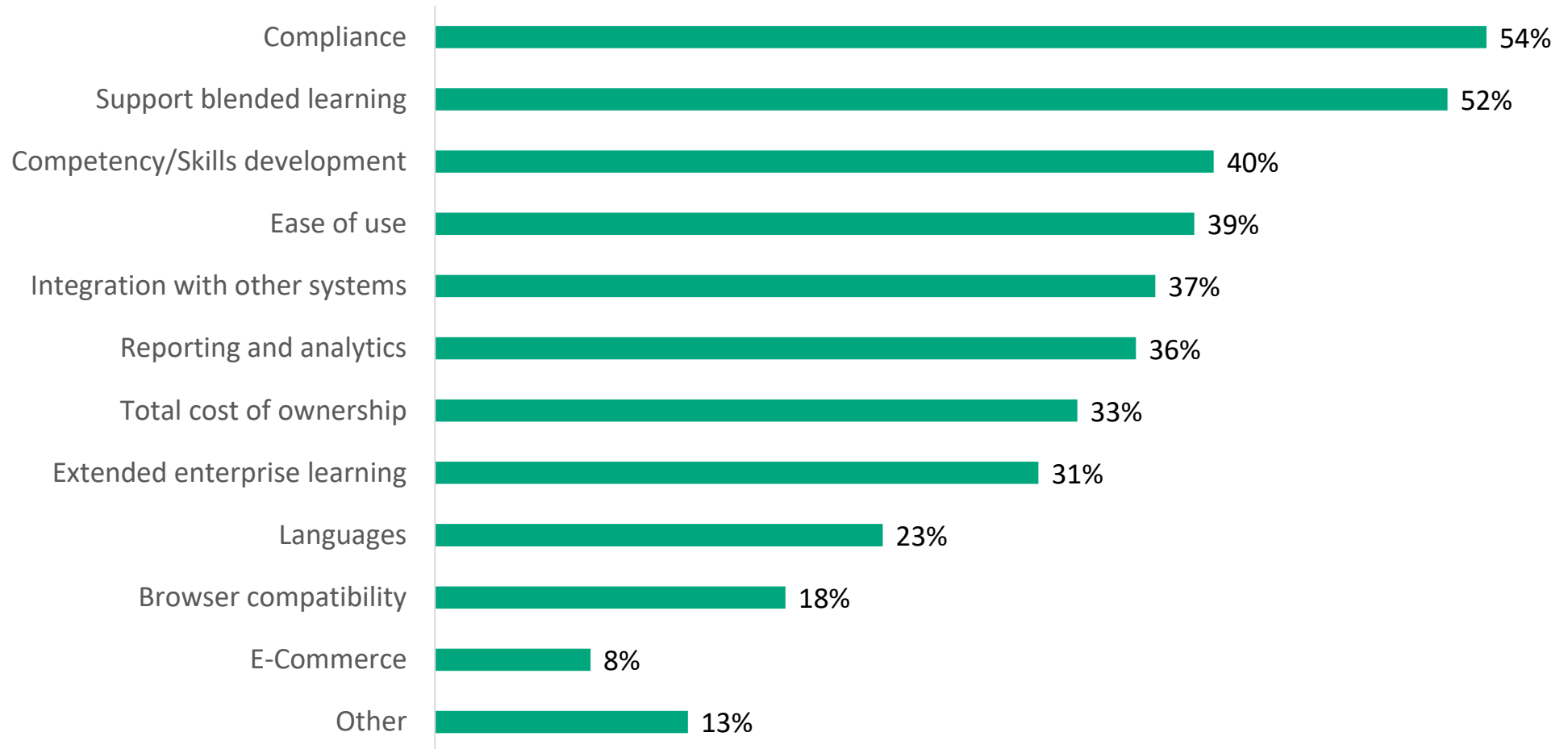
Learn it when you need it



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LMS Drivers

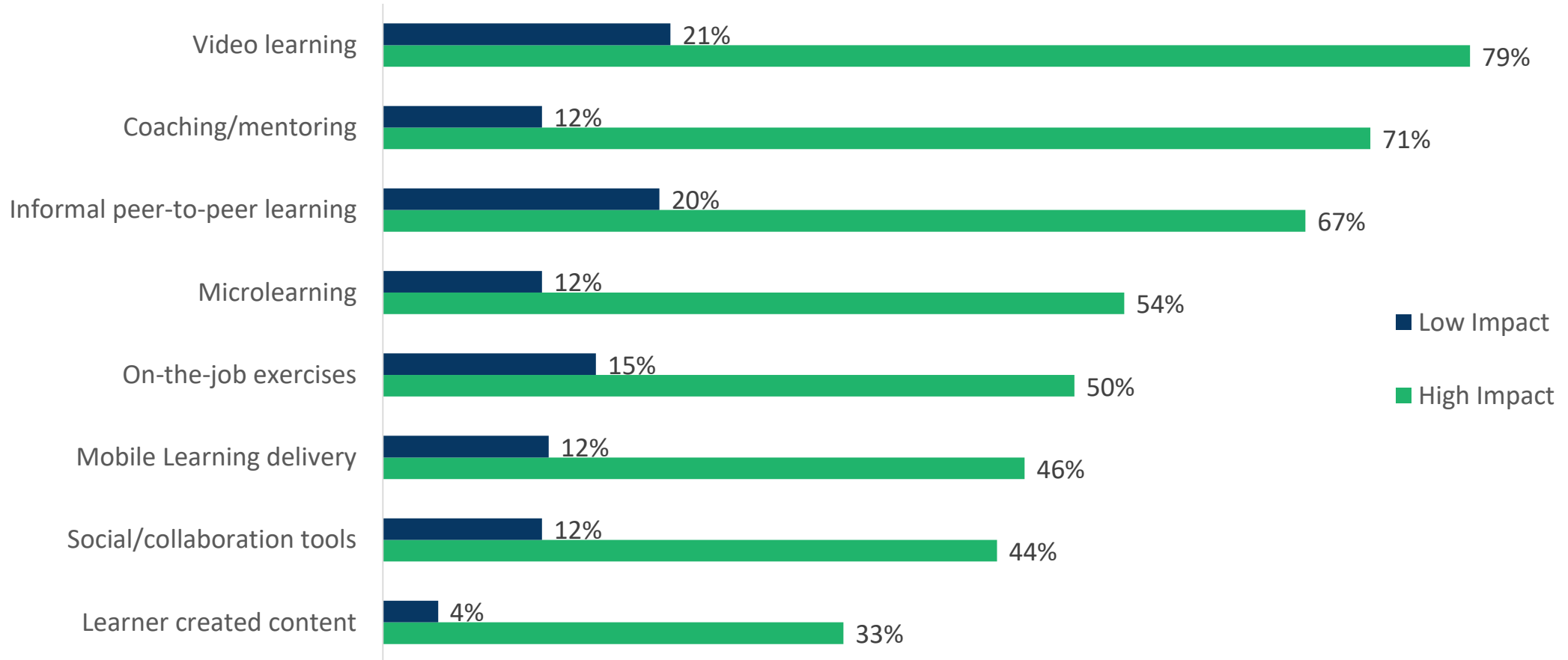


Source: BHG, Learning Technology Survey 2018



Beyond the Course

Used Often or Always





Polling Question

How big a priority is employee training for your organization?





Six Features of a Great LMS



COMPREHENSIVE



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FLEXIBLE



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Features of a Great LMS

1. Self-Authoring Tool
2. SCORM Compliance
3. Access to a Course Library
4. Easy to Use
5. Tracking and Reporting
6. Integrations and Customizations





What Companies Want from Their LMS

Top Requirements for an LMS

1. Ease of use
2. Ability to integrate with other systems
3. Reporting and analytics
4. Mobile capabilities

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Real-World Examples



REAL WORLD EXAMPLE

System Integration & Upselling

- Turned 45-minute video and 12-page document into a 12-minute eLearning lesson
- Consulted with client to customize POS to track product and service sales
- Resulted in being able to measure the results from training, and over time increased LMS use from 1500 active users to 15,300





REAL WORLD EXAMPLE

Compliance Requirement

- Needed employees to complete declaration annually
- Could easily schedule completion
- Reporting easily tracked when people were scheduled to complete, who had completed

Hand and Stone Code of Ethics Declaration



CODE OF ETHICS DECLARATION FORM

As a condition of employment, I have taken the Hand & Stone "Code of Ethics and Zero Tolerance Policy" course. I have also read and understand the **Code of Ethics** policy. I agree that following these guidelines is a condition of my employment. I agree that during the term of my employment, I have an ongoing requirement to report to my employer any revocation of my professional license, any criminal charges alleging sexual misconduct or any criminal charge of a felony.

I also understand if anything sexually inappropriate occurs in the therapy room, it will be reported to the police with the client's permission. The therapist involved will likely be arrested, lose their license to practice, be reported to the Massage Board, possibly face imprisonment, and be listed on the sexual predator list. These consequences may restrict where one can live and work.

I hereby accept these terms as a condition of my employment. (Select the appropriate checkbox below and click Submit.)

I agree

I disagree

SUBMIT



REAL WORLD EXAMPLE

Just-In-Time Solution

- Technicians spent two weeks in the classroom
- Skills were lost before used
- Turned classroom content into 2-4 minute JIT videos, developed with responsive design
- Resulted in decrease in support calls, decrease in time at client site, increase in the number of jobs techs completed; increase in revenue



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REAL WORLD EXAMPLE

Custom Solution

- Implemented a custom solution for Denso
- Custom admin features to manage proprietary hierarchy and expedite training objectives
- Custom reporting
- Custom integration with their customer-facing website including substantial user interface upgrades





The Role Of The Modern LMS

- **Integration** – a top requirement for any LMS is its ability to seamlessly integrate with other systems leveraging a robust set of APIs; integration provides the opportunity for an organization to have a 360 degree view of their learner experience; the integration of data from the LMS with learning, talent, workforce management, HRIS and ERP systems provides an organization with a robust data table that is the foundation to optimizing the quality of learner analytics and providing invaluable insights into improving the quality of learning.
- **Assessments** – Basic functionality around tests, exams, surveys and other forms of assessments are very important in measuring learner progression and their length and depth of retention; assessments are well supported through LMS functionality and provide a straightforward and scalable approach to quickly developing and launching assessments.
- **Traditional learning resources** – the functionality of the LMS is designed to support SCORM oriented content. Because the LMS is uniquely formatted to accept this content and deliver it, the expediency an LMS offers in uploading and feeding this form of content into the experience is very important.
- **ILT support** – instructor led training is and will remain a major part of learning for many organizations, therefore instructor, resource, course and classroom management will remain important functions to support using an LMS.



The Role Of The Modern LMS

- **Administration** – the LMS still plays an important role in overall learning administration and in particular supporting instructor led training and managing compliance training. Key features are:
 - Content Catalog/Domain Management
 - Administrator Rights and Permissions
 - Data Security and Privacy
 - Learner/User Management
- **Reporting** – learning that takes place on the LMS is best reported by leveraging reporting features built into the LMS including:
 - Report Building Engine
 - Standardized Report Templates
 - Schedules for Training Management
- **Notifications and reminders** – push notifications are important to keep learners and administrators aware of important actions that reside within the LMS and include:
 - Notification Configuration for Administrators
 - Notification for Learning Events
 - Notifications for Progress in Completing Assigned or Mandatory Training
- **Certification Management** – many organizations rely heavily on the LMS to support and deliver training that ends with a certification or maintains a level of certification and track the progress of learner in their certification process



Questions?

Thank you

for joining us today!



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