

# Once Upon a Time in Learning Measurement ...



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Fixing learning measurement begins with mindset – the way we think about the role and value of data in our work.

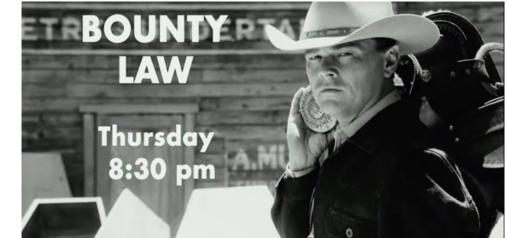


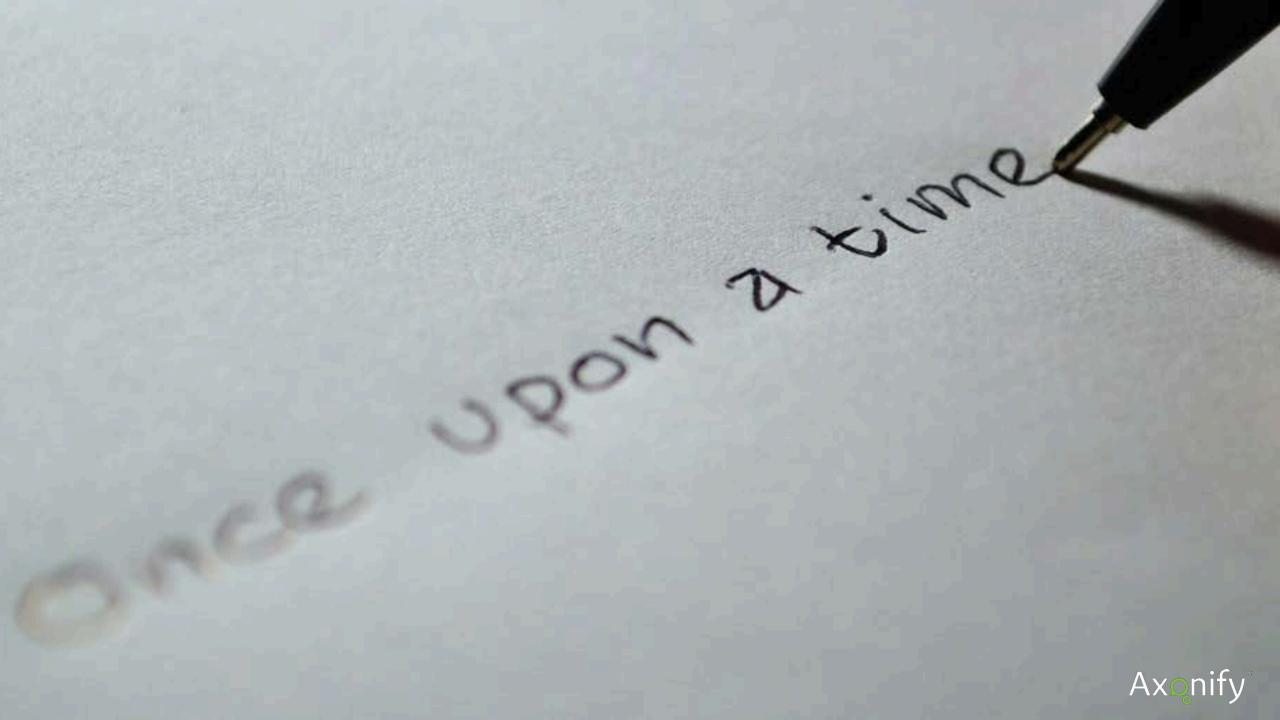






... especially the story of Jake Cahill.

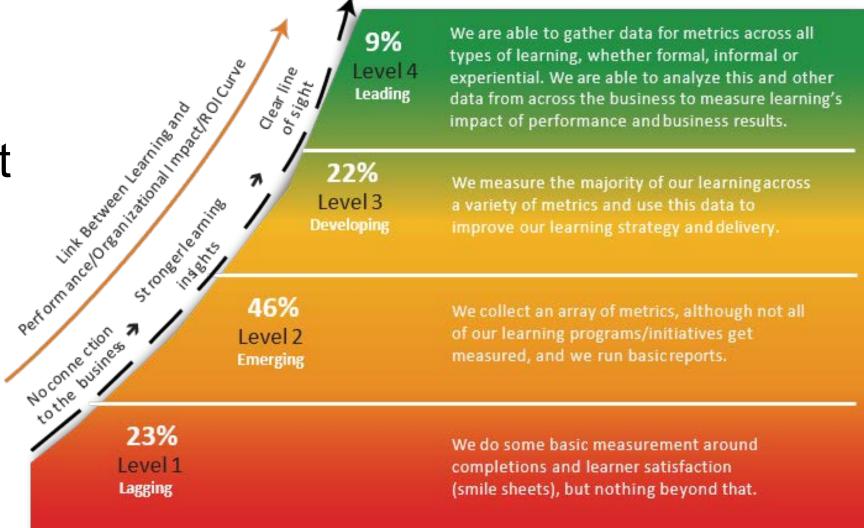




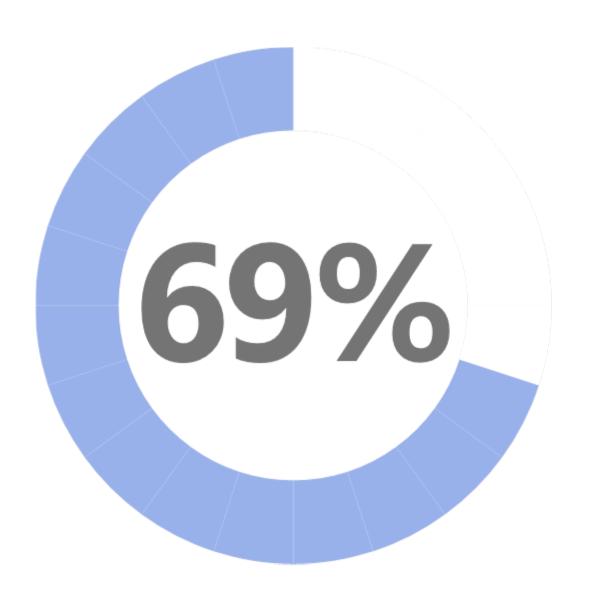
Why do we have to tell this story?







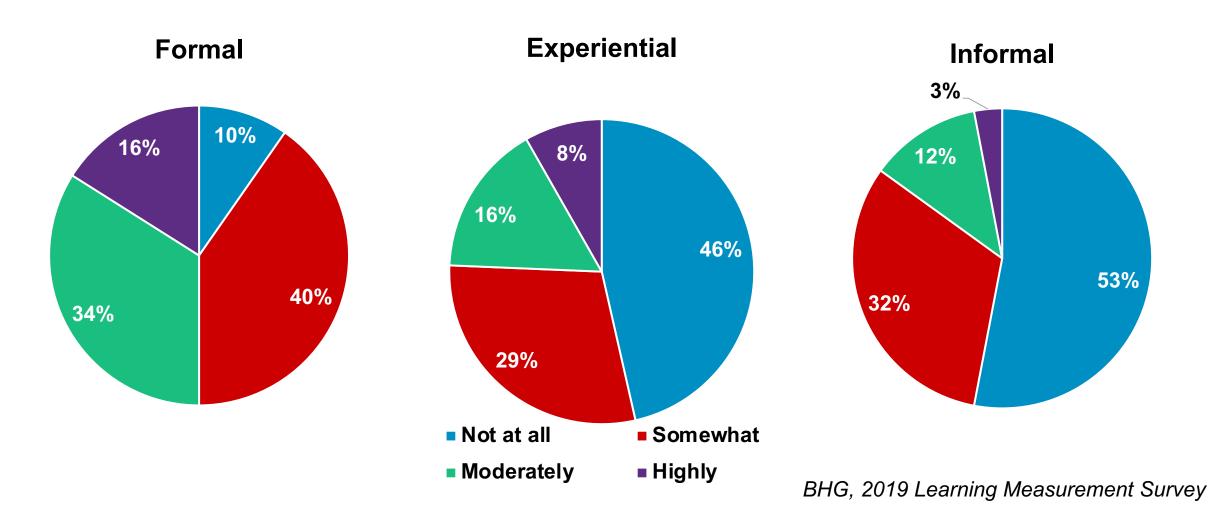




More than two-thirds of companies say that an inability to measure learning's impact represents a challenge to achieving critical learning outcomes



### **Effectiveness of Learning Measurement**



Why is measurement a priority?







Why aren't our existing models working?



Why does L&D struggle to apply existing models?





#### **Level 2: Learning**

Learning evaluation is the measurement of the increase in knowledge—before and after.



#### **Level 1: Reaction**

Reaction evaluation is how participant feels about the training or learning experience.

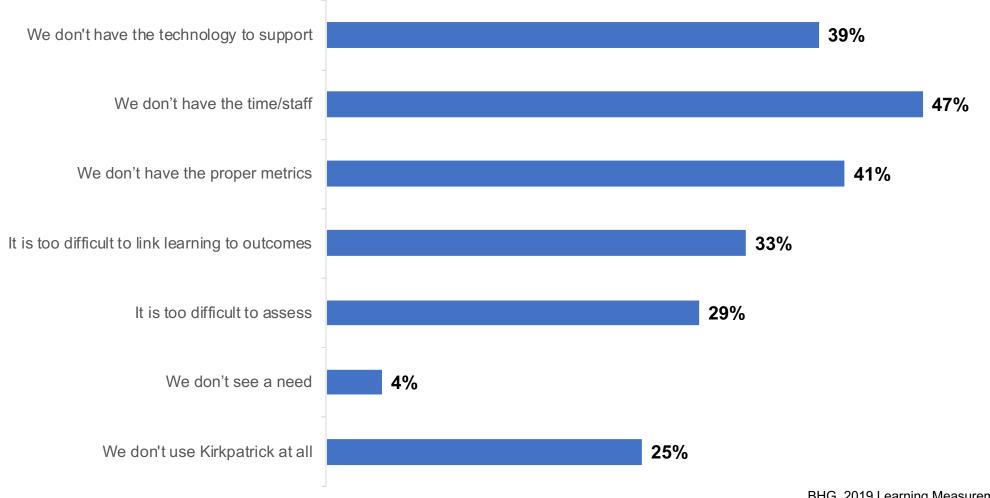








#### Why Aren't We Measuring Behaviors and Impact



BHG, 2019 Learning Measurement Survey



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How do we improve?



Start by asking the right question.

What problem are you trying to solve?



**VERACITY VOLUME VELOCITY VARIETY VALUE** Ability to transform Speed at which data is Trustworthiness of Scale of data generated Different types and data into value data collected and collected for analysis forms of data generated and analyzed for the business

Expand your definition of data.





### Identify the data you need.



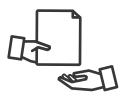
#### Demographic

Who is this person?



#### Connections

How does this person engage with the org?



#### Consumption

What has this person reviewed?



#### Knowledge

What does this person know right now?



#### Feedback

What does this person say they want/need?



#### **Behavior**

What is this person doing on the job?



#### Context

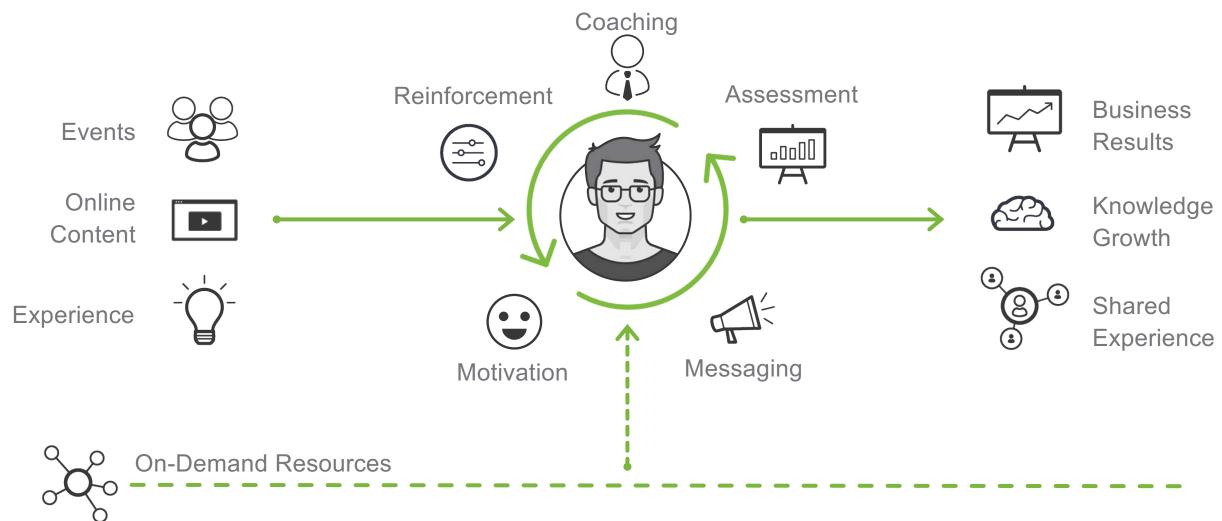
What else is happening around this person?



#### Results

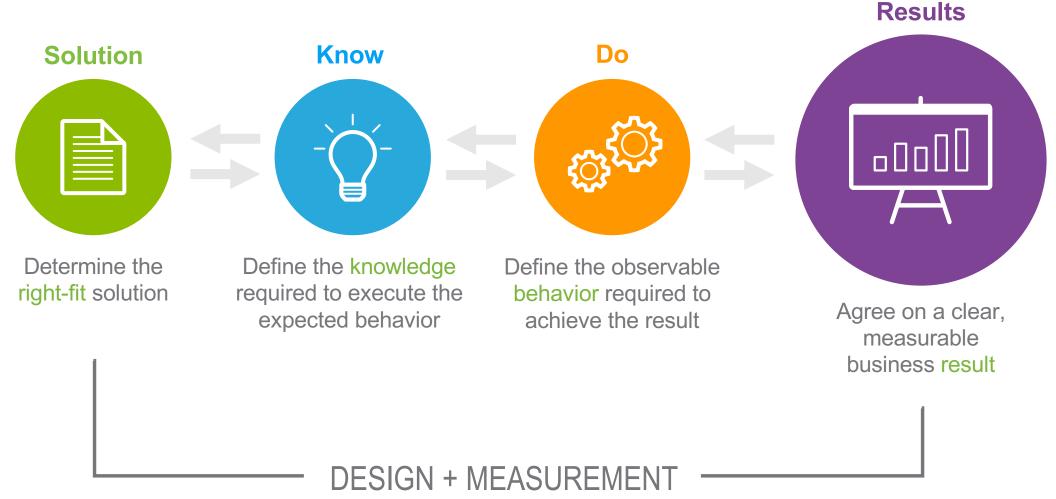
What impact is this person having on business outcomes?

### Adopt data-rich tactics.





### Design data-rich solutions.





# View measurement (and learning) as continuous, not programmatic.

#### Adaptation

How can we continuously adapt our support tactics to ensure optimum results?

#### **Prediction**

How are we projected to perform in the future with our key business goals?

#### Outcomes

How is learning impacting business results and delivering ROI?

#### Engagement

How are people engaging with learning opportunities?

#### Learning

How is people's knowledge changing over time?

#### **Behaviors**

How are people's behaviors changing on the job?



Can you give me some examples?



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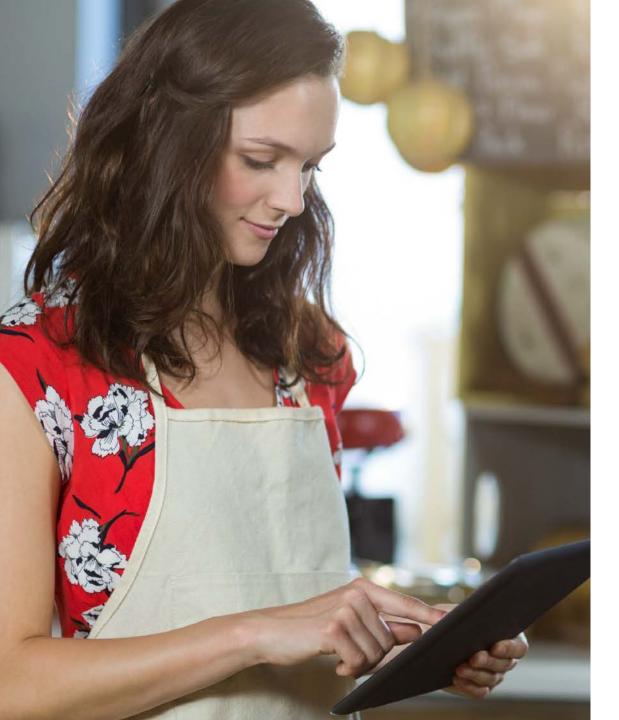
18 million

training sessions

12 months

of quality data





### Impact measurement is real





What should we do next?

Determine what problems you are trying to solve

Work with SMEs to determine what data is available

Evaluate your design process and learning tactics to determine how they can become more data-rich

Work with technology providers to expand your data options

Experiment

### Conclusion

L&D cannot become a highly valued strategic business partner until we fix measurement.



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#### Dig deeper

The Ultimate Guide to Personalized and Adaptive Learning - from Axonify

The Formula for Personalized Learning - from LearnGeek



#### Podcast: Driving Business Performance with People Data

David Green shares the best resources on how to improve the use of people data in the workplace. Listen as he chats with Edward Houghton from CIPD.



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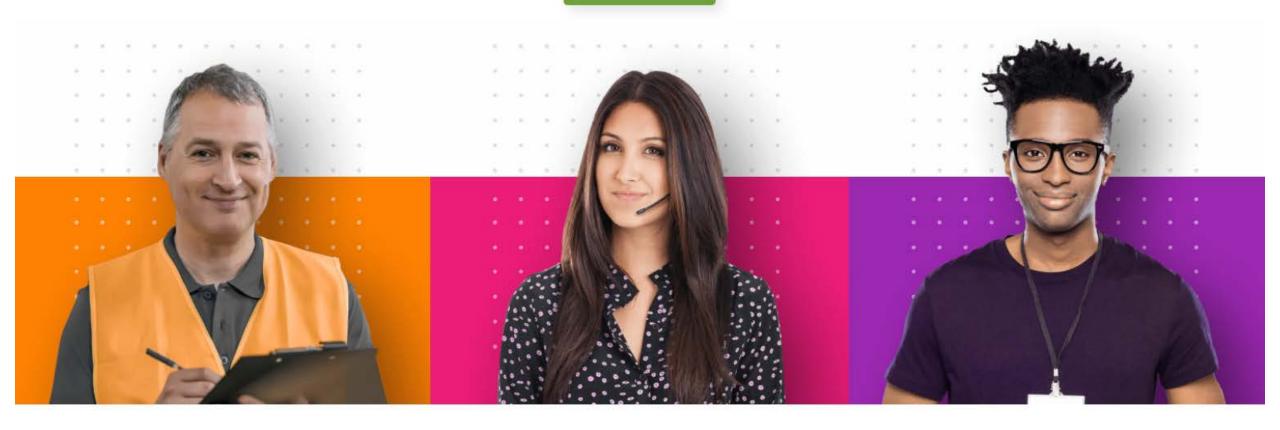
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