



Skills release notes: December 2018

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Explore all the recent updates to the Pluralsight Skills platform.

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Learner releases

Channels

External links in a channel get marked as complete when clicked. But sometimes learners click a link just to see what it is. To help this scenario, we added the ability to **reset progress** for any external link, in the link's dropdown menu.

Stumped on what to learn next? Now Skills offers recommendations at the bottom of channels, so you can easily see more courses that might be a good fit for your channel.

Courses

You can now see the interactive courses and projects an author has created on their author page. [Explore our authors' profiles \(opens in new tab\)](#) to see this in action.

Profile

[Your profile \(opens in new tab\)](#) already showed video courses you've watched. Now, interactive courses and projects also display on your profile. You can still choose whether that's publicly visible by clicking the **eye** icon.

Role IQ

We've released nine new Roles:

- Business Intelligence / Data Analyst (Microsoft Self-Service)
- Business Intelligence / Data Analyst (Microsoft SQL Server Stack)
- Business Intelligence / Data Analyst (Qlik)

- Mobile Developer (Android)
- Mobile Developer (iOS)
- Java Developer
- Cloud Architect (AWS)
- Developer on AWS
- Android Associate Developer Kotlin

Visit [Role IQ \(opens in new tab\)](#) to see all the roles available to you.

Tip: If a role has the **beta** tag, that means we're still [validating the Skill IQs](#) associated with those roles.

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General

All first-time learners on Business plans will see a guided tour of Pluralsight Skills that prompts them to measure skills, try a learning path, explore channels, browse courses, and apply skills with interactive courses.

Business analytics

[Channels analytics](#) just got faster. Some business plans have dozens or more channels that only have one member, and that made it slow to display your channels. Now, Skills hides channels with one member by default.

You can click the **All Channels** drop-down menu in the top right to display all channels.

The screenshot shows a table of channels in a dark theme. At the top left, it says "All Channels(289)". To the right is a search bar "Filter by title, owner, objective" and a dropdown menu currently set to "> 1 member". Further right is an orange "Download report" button. Below the search bar, the table has columns for "CHANNELS", "OBJECTIVE", "MEMBERS", and "ACTION". A blue tooltip points to the "> 1 member" dropdown, containing the text: "We now automatically hide channels with only one member." The first row of the table shows "Architecting Azure Solutions" under the CHANNELS column, "Azure transformation" under the OBJECTIVE column, and "11" under the MEMBERS column.

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Mobile and offline apps

Android

Fixed an issue with progress reporting for external links in channels

iOS

Added progress reporting for external links in channels

If you need help, please email support@pluralsight.com for 24/7 assistance.
