# must-have elements



for an organisational learning culture

Employees report that they value the opportunity to refresh their skills at work more highly than pay, yet very few employers have any kind of skills roadmap in place. ELMO's "5 must-have elements for an organisational learning culture" infographic provides a summary of the factors to consider when building a culture that values learning & development.

### **1. Support from the top**

Leaders must understand the importance of continuous learning for the success of their organisation. Here's what leaders believe:



#### 2. Employee-centric learning

Leaders should think about how the user experiences the company's learning offerings. Here's what employees think about L&D:

74% believe it is their own responsibility to update their skills<sup>5</sup>

74% feel they aren't achieving full potential at work due to lack of development opportunities<sup>6</sup>

70% say that job-related training opportunities directly influence their decision to stay with a company<sup>7</sup>



# 3. A shift from push to pull

Switching from a content-centric "push" approach to a learner-centric "pull" approach means organisations must hand some control over learning content, schedules, and platforms to employees.

**96%** of employers plan to increase self-directed learning in the next 12 months<sup>8</sup>

#### 88% of employees know what learning they need but only 42%agree that their company provides relevant online learning for their job<sup>9</sup>

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#### 4. Design thinking

Learning organisations should think about the month-by-month, day-by-day, and hour-by-hour experience of the learner.

of executives rate design thinking an important or very important issue when creating L&D programs<sup>10</sup>

of learners learn more by finding things out for themselves than through face-to-face classroom training<sup>11</sup>

#### 5. Smart use of technology

Mobile, social, and web-based platforms that can deliver on-demand learning content are "must-have" capabilities. The best systems can easily integrate any type of digital content.

**1 out of 3** learning managers deliver compliance and technical skills training to mobile devices<sup>12</sup>



**44%** of organisations cite social/collaborative tools as a top learning technology priority<sup>13</sup>

## FAST FACTS...

- The World Economic Forum indicates that a third of the desired core skill sets of most occupations will change by 2020
- According to Glassdoor, "the ability to learn and progress" is now the **number 1** driver of a company's employment brand
- The half-life of a learned skill is just **5 years**
- The average time spent on training every 6 months varies according to company size<sup>14</sup>: >100 employees – 12 minutes 100-500 employees – 6 minutes
- On average, organisations spend 11% of their budget on learning tools and technologies<sup>15</sup>
- Training budgets are controlled by:



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