

EMPLOYEE SERVICES

SkillSoft 7.3 System Requirements and Supported Browsers

HARDWARE REQUIREMENTS

SkillSoft supports the minimum hardware specifications for all supported operating systems.

SUPPORTED OPERATING SYSTEMS	NOTES
Microsoft® Windows® operating system versions	 Microsoft® Windows 10 Microsoft® Windows 8.1 Note: Microsoft Windows 8 is no longer supported. Microsoft® Windows 7 Note: Windows 7 Display Settings must be set to 100% for the Skillsoft Course Player to display correctly.
Macintosh OS® X™: 10.6.8,10.7.5, 10.8.5, 10.9.2, 10.10, 10.10.1, 10.10.5 and above	Version 10.6 32-bit kernel is supported. Mac OS X JRE Support: All Skillsoft product releases support the latest fully released version of the Oracle JRE. Skillsoft does not formally support any JRE that has not been fully released by Oracle. If issues with a specific Oracle JRE occur, the problems are analyzed to determine the best course of corrective action.

SUPPORTED BROWSERS – SkillPort 7.3 (minimum versions) Windows:			
			Internet Explorer:
Internet Explorer 8, 9, 10 or 11.			
Firefox:			
Version 38 or later			
Chrome: ■ Version 40.0.2214.94 or later.	Note : Chrome 45 no longer supports Java and will not support Java-dependent Skillport functions. When a Java-dependent function is attempted, a message displays indicating the user should switch to a Java-friendly browser.		
Mac OS X:			
 Safari: 5.1.10 or later Safari on Windows platforms is not supported. Live Learning is not supported on Safari. 	 Safari 5.1 Known Issues: There are known issues with Safari 5.1 that cause content playback issues in the SkillSoft Course Player. These are not player issues and have been reported to Apple Corporation. The scroll bar does not work and cannot locate the correct key letter position (CR 103109) Cannot input text into a text field. (CR 103698) 		

Supported HTML5 Browsers for Java-free Mode:

Note: Accessing platforms, players or content from an HTML5 browser does not guarantee a Java-free experience. For more information about the platforms, players, and content types that are able to be used in Java-free mode, see the Skillsoft Java-Free Overview.

RI	ECOMMENDED BROWSER SETTINGS	NOTES
All Browsers:		Note : The Skillsoft Course Player does not support zoom in browsers. Also, certain versions of Firefox will adopt your
•	Enable browser caching. Enable Active Scripting and Scripting of Java™ Applets Support JavaScript™ 1.0 and Java™ 1.0.2	system display settings. If the Skillsoft Course Player does not display correctly in Firefox, be sure your system display settings are set to 100%.
• • • •	Support JAR Java™ Applets Enable Java™ Console Accept Cookies Set your browser display to 100% Always disable pop-up blockers to use SkillSoft.	Note : A browser enabled with a pop-up blocker might interfere with the launch of Job Aids, NASBA, Help, SkillBrief windows, and Books24x7. If pop-ups do not display, Skillsoft recommends that you set the blocking tool to "Always allow" for Skillsoft sites ending in .skillport.com and .skillwsa.com

THIRD-PARTY SOFTWARE AND PLUG-INS	NOTES
 Minimum Requirements for Plug-Ins Adobe Connect® 9.1 (for Live Learning courses) Requires Adobe Flash® 11.2 Adobe Flash® 11.0 or later Windows systems using Firefox require Flash 11.0 or later SCP 7.x on Macintosh requires Flash 11.0 or later to play narrated content. Adobe Reader® 11.0 or later FileOpen® Plug-in (for student guides) 	The listed plug-ins are not required in all instances; their use depends upon which SkillSoft Products and content items are used.

Note: You must have Java enabled on your browser to launch the SkillSoft courses, videos and simulations.

ORACLE JAVA RUNTIME ENVIRONMENT™ (JRE support) Oracle JRE™ with installed JVM™ (Windows): • 6.0: 1.6.0_25 and later updates • 7.0: (1.7.0) and all updates

7.0: (1.7.0) and all updates
8.0: 1.8.0 and all updates

Oracle JRE™ with installed JVM (Mac OS X): • Mac OS X 10.6.8 with Oracle JRE v1.6.0_65

Mac OS X 10.7.5 and above with Oracle JRE v1.6.0 65 and above

Java Downloads for All Operating Systems: http://www.java.com/en/download/manual.jsp

For Operating Systems: Windows, Mac, and Linux.

Basic Troubleshooting tips for Java issues: http://www.java.com/en/download/help/troubleshoot_java.xml

New SkillSoft JAVA Quick Reference Guide:

http://documentation.skillsoft.com/en_us/print/Java_Quick_Reference.pdf

WEB ACCESSIBILITY NOTES

SkillSoft supports the Java Accessibility Bridge to ensure that its courseware can be used by individuals who utilize Assistive Technologies. Although there are many Assistive Technologies that support the Accessibility Bridge, SkillSoft tests its courseware and player with JAWS on Microsoft Internet Explorer only:

Web Accessibility is not supported for SARM Reporting, Live Learning or Instructor Led Training (ILT), or the SkillSoft Mobile Player on smartphones.

SYSTEM MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE	NOTES
SkillSoft currently provides two weekly routine maintenance windows. SkillSoft will not be available during these times. Activities conducted in these maintenance windows may include, but are not restricted to, hardware maintenance and replacement, system patching, infrastructure enhancements, and	The weekly maintenance windows are: • Wednesday: 1:00 AM - 2:00 AM ET OR 11:00pm – 12:00am Denver time. • Sunday: 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM ET OR 11:00am – 1:00pm Denver time.
SkillSoft software releases.	

SkillSoft Resources:

- Career Advancement & Learning at: http://www.cu.edu/employee-services/career-advancement-learning
- Contact us at: system.training@cu.edu
- Run a browser compatibility check at: http://support.skillsoft.com/browser-test.asp