

### THE EVOLVING ADMIN

#### Where Do We Go From Here?

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Evolution = The process by which a species adapts over generations through natural selection; a requirement for any species to survive over time.

# We Are EXPERTS at Evolving

As a result of the global Covid-19 pandemic, the administrative field experienced several *years* of evolution in a matter of mere months.

We were forced to ELEVATE exponentially!

#### **NEW & EMERGING TRENDS IN THE ADMIN FIELD**

1.	Environmental Shifts	
	•	More opportunity for remote and roles
	•	Expanded employment options and increased competition
	•	Visibility requires more effort
	•	SKILLS TO ELEVATE
		> Self-Management
		> Communication
		> Trust

2.	In	ncreased Executive Self-Sufficiency	
	•	Articulate and the value of time and attention	
	•	Define the Return on Investment (ROI)	
	•	SKILLS TO ELEVATE	
		> Managing Up	
		> Assertiveness	
		> Persuasion	
3.	Sł	hift from Task Focus to Result Focus	
	•	Automation and technology continue to streamline tasks	
	•	The admin field is likely to continue	and
	•	SKILLS TO ELEVATE	
		> Project Management	
		> Process Improvement	

- > Problem Solving
- > Anticipation of Needs
- > Change Championship

	4.	Growth	of Artificial	Intelligence
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- Al will become capable of increasingly \_\_\_\_\_\_ "thought"
- Develop broad technological acumen (rather than software-specific mastery)
- Focus on your *human* intelligence
- SKILLS TO ELEVATE
  - > Emotional Intelligence
  - > Collaboration
  - > Connection

# 5. Increased Emphasis on Education & Training

- Fewer positions = more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
- More resources available and easier access than ever before
- SKILLS TO ELEVATE
  - > Ongoing Development
  - > Certification
  - > Higher Education

"It is not the strongest of the species that survives, nor the most intelligent, but the one most responsive to change."

CHARLES DARWIN, 1809

# **Certification Options**

The following table contains professional certification options you may be interested in exploring.

#### Please note:

- This is not an exhaustive list; there are many, many other options not listed here.
- I believe these are quality certification programs provided by reputable organizations, but it is your responsibility to do your research.
- I am deeply involved in the PACE Certification program; I helped create it and am the primary trainer for this program. While I don't consider it a conflict of interest, I do have an affiliation with ASAP.

Admin Specific	URL and Notes
Certified Administrative Professional (CAP)	<ul> <li>https://www.iaap-hq.org/page/CAP Certification</li> <li>Provided by the International Association for Administrative Professionals</li> <li>Offers specializations and add-ons for Organizational Management, Technology and more</li> </ul>
Professional Administrative Certificate of Excellence (PACE)	https://www.asaporg.com/pace/what-is-pace  Provided by the American Society for Administrative Professionals
World Class Assistant™ Certification (CWCA)	https://officedynamics.com/world-class-assistant/  • Provided by Office Dynamics
Certified Executive Administrative Professional (CEAP)	https://officedynamics.com/star-achievement-series-virtual/  • Provided by Office Dynamics (Star Achievement Series)

Technology				
Microsoft Certifications	<ul> <li>https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/learn/certifications/</li> <li>MS offers a variety of certifications including Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS)</li> </ul>			
Google Cloud Certification	https://cloud.google.com/certification  • Google offers "Associate" certification and  "Professional" certification			
Social Media Certification	<ul> <li>https://education.hootsuite.com/pages/certifications/</li> <li>Provided by Hootsuite Academy</li> <li>Offers a number of different certifications including Social Advertising, Social Selling and more</li> </ul>			
Personality/Workstyle Asse	essments & Training			
Myers-Briggs Personality Assessment Instrument	https://www.myersbriggs.org/my-mbti-personality-type/take- the-mbti-instrument/			
DiSC	https://www.everythingdisc.com/Certification.aspx  • Provided by Everything DiSC			
Crucial Conversations	https://www.vitalsmarts.com/crucial-conversations-training/			
Insights Discovery Practitioner	https://www.insights.com/us/insights-discovery-accreditation/			
Other / Niche Expertise Certified Travel Associate				
(CTA®)				
Certified Travel Counselor	https://www.thetravelinstitute.com/travel-agent-certification/			
(CTC®)	Provided by the Travel Institute			
Certified Travel Industry Executive (CTIE®)				

Certified Meeting Planner (CMP)	https://www.mpi.org/education/certificate-programs/cmp- certified-meeting-planner  • Provided by Meeting Professionals International (MPI)
Virtual Event & Meeting  Management Certificate	https://eventleadershipinstitute.com/courses/certificate/virtual- event-management-certificate/  • Provided by the Event Leadership Institute
Professional Certified Marketer (PCM®)	<ul> <li>https://www.ama.org/certifications/</li> <li>Provided by the American Marketing Association</li> <li>Offers a number of specializations including Content Marketing, Digital Marketing, Sales Marketing and more</li> </ul>
Certified Associate in Project Management (CAPM®)	<ul> <li>https://www.pmi.org/certifications/certified-associate-capm</li> <li>Provided by the Project Management Institute (PMI)</li> <li>Offers a number of different project and program management certification options</li> </ul>
SHRM Certified Professional (SHRM-CP) SHRM Senior Certified Professional (SHRM-SCP)	https://www.shrm.org/certification/Pages/default.aspx  • Provided by the Society for Human Resource Management

# **MEET YOUR PRESENTER**



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# **ABOUT EAT YOUR CAREER**



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