IBM Kenexa Talent Suite

Admin Release Notes
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Note

Before using this information and the product it supports, read the information in “Notices” on page 11.

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Chapter 1. Document Purpose

This document describes the current release's changes to the IBM Kenexa Admin. Changes are either categorized as visible or configurable as follows:

Table 1. Visible vs. Configurable Changes

Change Type	Description
Visible	Changes immediately visible to the user without configuration, such as: • New Admin design elements
Configurable	Changes that must be configured or turned on to be visible to the user, such as: • New screens • New fields on existing screens

Note: Changes documented here are only at the Talent Suite level; application level changes are documented separately. See the Resources section of this document for details.

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Chapter 2. Client Reminders

The **Client Reminders** section reminds clients of recently distributed important notices and links to comprehensive documentation and training for the special features recently introduced.

There are client reminders for this current release.

Upcoming Browser Updates

Talent Suite browser support is regularly updated to reflect changes as needed.

Microsoft dropped browser support for Internet Explorer (IE) 11 at the end of November 2020.

Microsoft Edge is now supported.

Expired Email URL

The expired email URL recovery is now a more user-friendly process for new user authentication.

The user account login expired URL message has been updated to direct the user to obtain a new URL.

- **Previously:** The validity of the password reset/change URL was checked after the **Create Password** page process was completed. After the user submitted the new password change the URL would then be verified.

  Previous login scenario:

  1. Upon user creation, the new user receives an email containing and link to change their password.
  2. User selects the expired URL and is brought to the **Create Password** page.
  3. The **Create Password** page appeared to allow the password update until **Continue** was selected and user was met with an error message shown in the following image. There was no way provided for the user to reset password from this page. (Some users, if they had the privilege, were able to go to the landing page of IBM Talent Management Solutions and select **Forgot password** to get a new URL.)

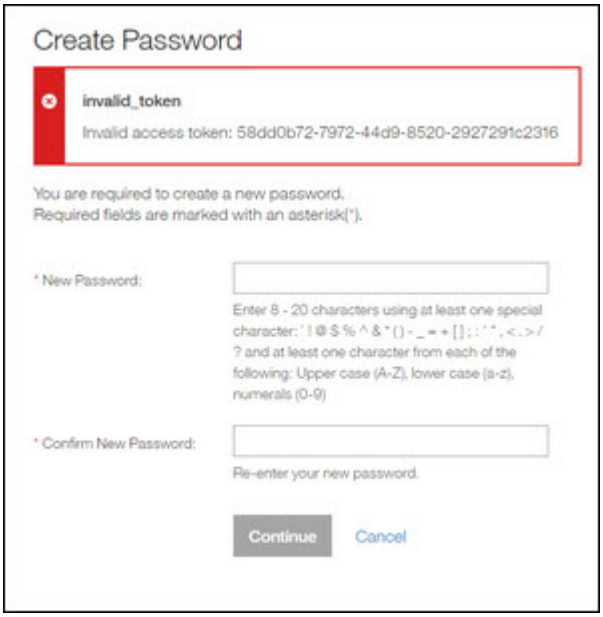

Figure 1. Invalid URL Error Message

- **Now:** A login check is performed with Gatekeeper to verify that the user URL is valid prior to the **Create Password** page being loaded. If the URL is not valid, the user is then redirected to the page for

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resending the email which includes the new error message. The **Forgot Your Password** page asks the user to enter their **User name** and then select **Continue** to obtain a new URL.

New login check scenario:

1. Upon user creation, the new user receives an email containing and link to change their password.
2. User selects the expired URL.
3. If the URL is not valid, the user is sent directly to the **Forgot Your Password** page where they must select **Continue** to have a new user email created and sent. If the URL is valid, the user will progress to the **Create Password** page.

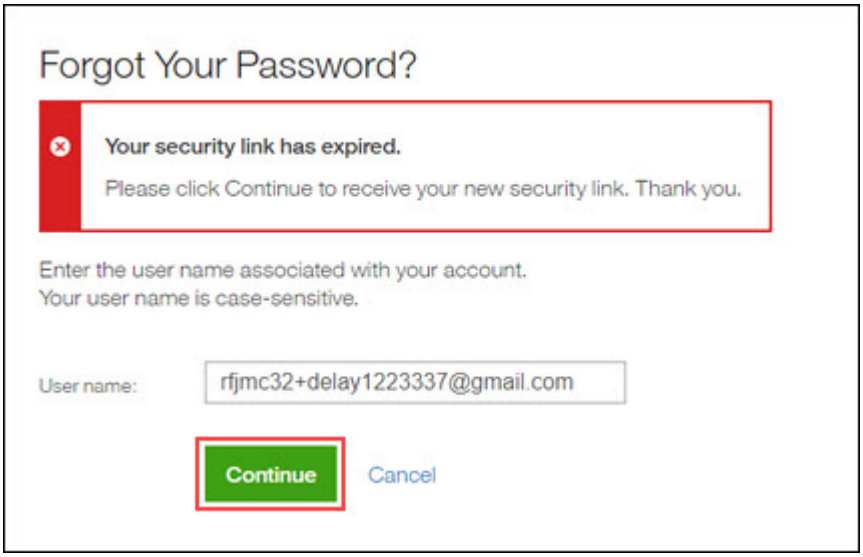

Figure 2. Your Security Link has Expired Message

Chapter 3. Visible changes

For the current release of IBM Kenexa Admin, there are no visible changes to the IBM Kenexa Admin Application. Visible changes alter the appearance or performance of the product without requiring any configuration. The changes are immediately visible or available to users.

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Chapter 4. Configurable Changes

For the current release, there are no configurable changes to the IBM Kenexa Talent Suite's IBM Admin on Cloud application and Foundational Suite. To make configurable changes, contact your IBM representative.

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Chapter 5. Additional Resources

Refer to other IBM Kenexa Talent Suite release notes, and individual Talent Suite applications' release notes if needed.

Talent Suite Release Notes

Access other IBM Kenexa Talent Suite customer release notes in the **IBM Talent Management Solutions and Watson Talent** Knowledge Center as follows.

Procedure

1. Access the IBM Kenexa Talent Suite Release Notes in the **IBM Talent Management Solutions and Watson Talent** Knowledge Center.
2. On the **IBM Kenexa Talent Suite** welcome page, links to Talent Suite release notes are listed by date. Select release notes as needed under **Release Notes** in the **Table of Contents** menu.

BrassRing Release Notes

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Procedure

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