Blackboard is pleased to announce the general availability of enhancements to the Core module for Blackboard Intelligence, impacting all Intelligence modules (Analytics for Learn, Student Management, Finance, HR, and Advancement).

Release Highlights

The enhancements below highlight the key updates made in this new release. This release provides new capabilities in reporting on report use across all Intelligence suite supported providers: SSRS, Pyramid, and A4L Learn Integrated reporting.

- **Report Popularity dashboards and drill capabilities** to identify which users are running reports, when, and providing associated contextual information;
- **Execution Success analysis** reporting, identifying performance hiccups and associated error codes for investigation;
- **A4L extension reports**, describing when and by whom courses are the subject of reporting, and what sort of information is being sought

Prerequisites

The following prerequisites must be in place prior to applying this upgrade.

- HEA Core Version 4.1 – the upgrade will require version 4.1 of the HEA Core module to be installed and operational.

New Features and Enhancements

- [COMN-27] Partitioned Deletes and Truncates on Final Fact Tables
- [COMN-106] Usage Reporting for Analytics Modules
- [AFLN-1190] Report Usages Extension

Resolved Issues
Client Deployment Recommendations

Clients interested in deploying the upgrade may contact Blackboard Support for release documentation and install files. Release documentation is also linked below. Clients may also contact their Blackboard account representative to arrange for a scoping call to plan and schedule any desired services.

Related Links and Resources:

Intelligence Core 4.2 Documentation

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