

# Introduction to BPM and Cora Sequence

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This module is designed for newcomers to the world of business process management. We recommend that you complete the module in order, as some later topics require knowledge gained from previous topics. After you complete this module, you'll be able to answer these questions.

- What is business process management?
- What are iPMSs?
- What is Cora SeSequence?
- What features and components does Cora SeSequence deliver?

## Curriculum: BPM and Cora SeSequence 101

Course Title	Description
What is Business Process Management (BPM)?	Overview of BPM as a discipline, how and why organizations use BPM, and best practices for BPM implementation.
What is Cora SeSequence?	Overview of Cora SeSequence and iPMSs in general.
What is Dynamic Workflow?	Overview of dynamic workflow.
HotChange Technology	The foundational architecture on which Cora SeSequence is built, and which enables rapid change to business processes in a controlled environment.
App Studio and Dual View	App Studio is the environment where business users and technologists collaborate to design workflows, using a single canvas.
UX Studio	UX Studio is the environment where developers define and design Cora SeSequence forms.
Cora SeSequence Forms	Forms are the backbone of dynamic workflows.
Rich Messaging	Many workflow activities include the option to send messages to end users: message, task, and listener. The message module includes rich-text options. You can attach documents and images to the message.
Flow Activities	Cora SeSequence provides flexible flow execution with And, IfElse, Split, and Switch activities.
Workflow Variables	Cora SeSequence exposes workflow variables and data, and use these variables to sort process data in the Flowtime.

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Sub-Workflows	Developers can create and reuse sub-workflows, promoting a modular development approach, while saving time and effort.
Analytics	The analytics feature provides developers and administrators visual insight into the solutions they build: solution optimization, ROI, KPI.
Process Lab (Debug)	Developers can experiment with and analyze process changes.
Flowtime	Flowtime is the environment where end users operate, manage, and monitor their business processes. End users can kick off processes, managers can monitor and assign tasks, delegate processes and monitor over-all process performance with rich visual dashboards.
Hot Operations	HotOperations is a case management and work optimization product available as an add-on to Cora SeQuence. HotOperations enables you to intelligently manage load balancing on organizational, divisional, and employee level.
Bill Gates on Cora SeQuence	Bill Gates of Microsoft speaks about the Cora SeQuence workflow platform, at the Microsoft Office Developers Conference, in February, 2008.