Global launch of CGMA report:

"Addressing the employability crisis; Reconnecting education, skills and jobs"

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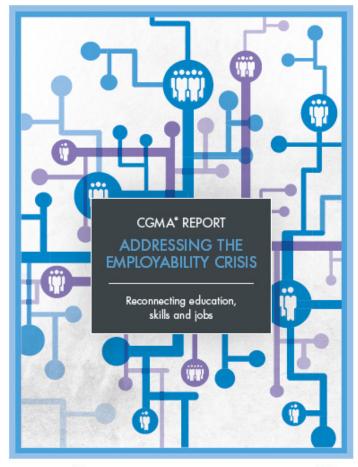


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Youth unemployment: long-term trends









Mismatches: supply and demand

FIGURE 3: Significant talent gaps expected by 2020 and beyond

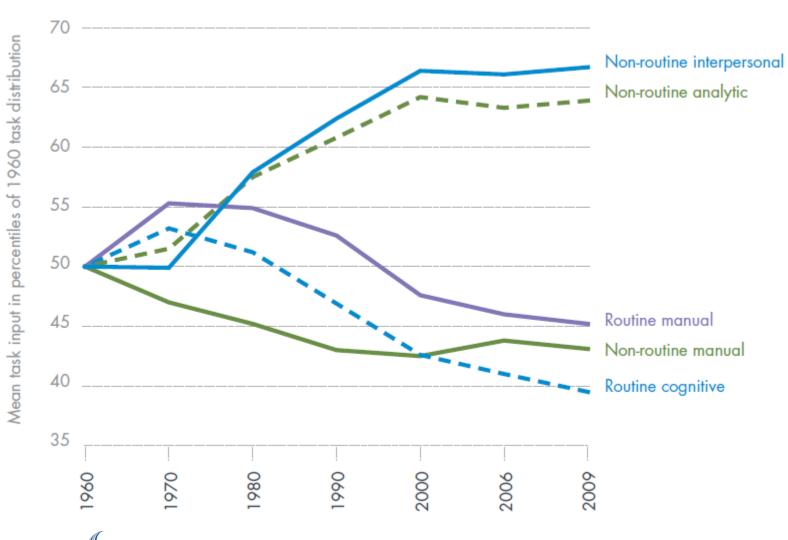








The nature of work is changing:

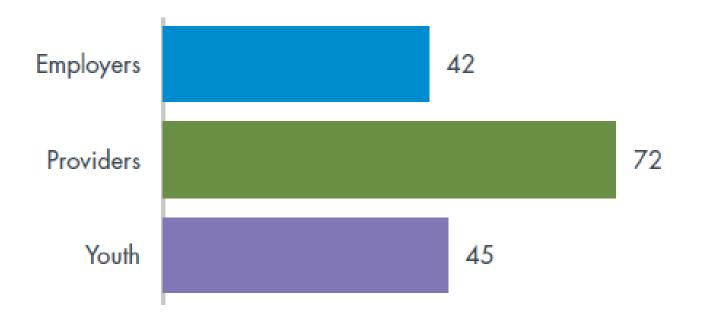








Disconnects: education, skills, employment



Source: McKinsey & Company, 2013³⁸







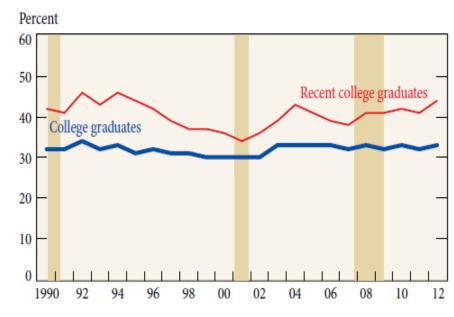
Jobs for graduates?

Unemployment Rates for Recent College Graduates and Other Groups

Percent 16 14 All workers Recent college graduates 10 8 6 4 2 1990 92 94 96 98 00 02 04 06 08 10 12

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau and U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey.

Underemployment Rates for College Graduates



Sources: U.S. Census Bureau and U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey, March Supplement; U.S. Department of Labor, O*NET.

Source: FRB of NY, Are recent college grads finding good jobs?, №1 2014



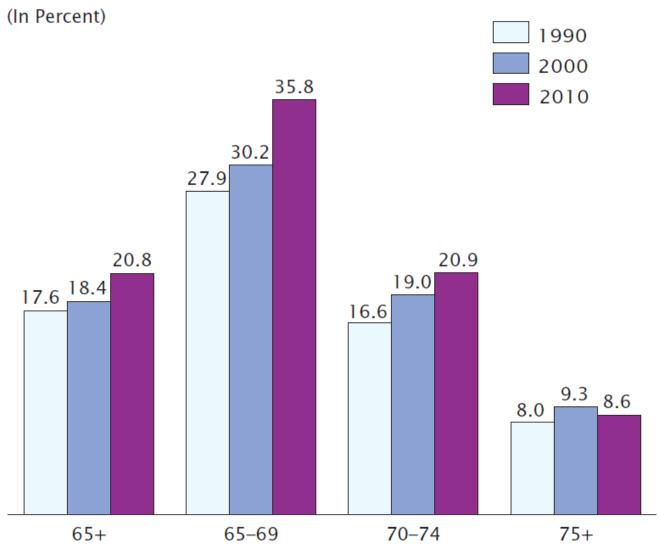




Implications for stakeholders:

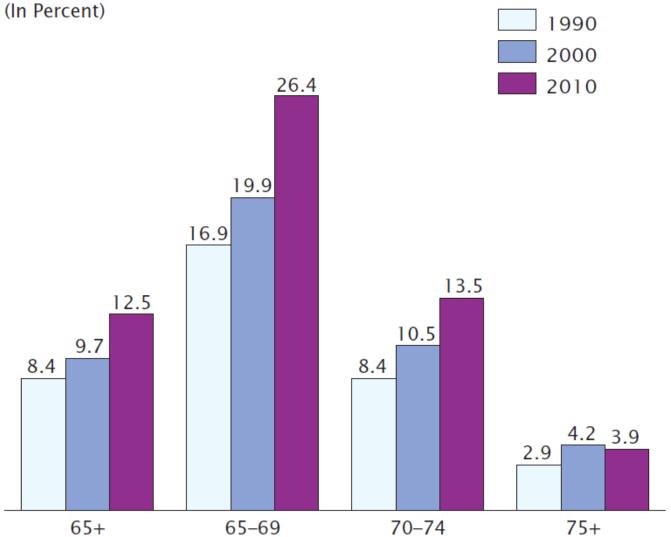
	Impact	Responsibilities	
Young adults	Many cannot find work Many have settled for jobs with poor prospects Could impact their careers for years to come	Make informed choices about further education, based on realities of the labour market Aim to obtain the education, skills and experience employers expect	
Current workforce	Skills may become redundant	Undertake continuing professional development to maintain or advance career	
Employers	Skills gap makes it difficult to recruit Must compete to attract the most talented individuals with leadership potential	Attract, 'on-board', develop and retain talent for all job roles, not just future leadership	
Educators	Will lose relevance if they do not equip young people with the skills they need	Integrate employability skills into courses Work more closely with employers to complement academic learning with hands-on learning Support students in the transition to world of work	
Society and policy makers	Increasing welfare costs Prospects for recovery weakened for many years	Ensure they have the right data to make decisions Stimulate economy and foster job creation Ensure young people have the skills employers expect by linking education to business Ensure there is a demand for current and future skills base in the economy	

Labor Force Participation Rate for Men 65 Years and Older



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 and 2000 Decennial Census; 2010 American Community Survey.

Labor Force Participation Rate for Women 65 Years and Older



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 and 2000 Decennial Census; 2010 American Community Survey.

The CIMA case study

A complex, unstructured, global problem.

- Mismatches between supply and demand
 - Technology
 - Demographics
- Disconnects
 - Education Skills Jobs
- Diverse stakeholders
 - Collaborative solutions are needed but scale is huge

A simple, structured solution for our domain.

- Jobs (employers' needs) are our starting point
- Syllabus sets out competencies as learning outcomes
- New assessment process to ensure competencies are learned







CIMA's mission:









The Future of Finance









CIMA competency framework

Use core skills

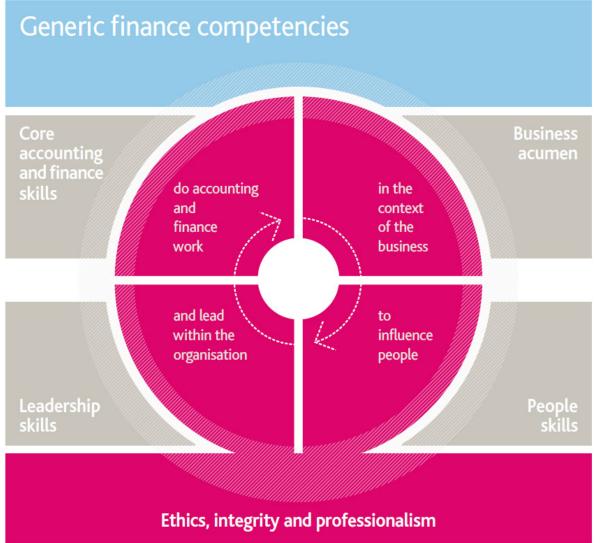
In business context to bring insight

To influence people

And lead the organisation

Core accounting and finance skills	Business acumen	People skills	Leadership skills
Financial accounting and reporting, Cost accounting and management, Planning and control, Management reporting and analysis, Corporate finance, Treasury management, Risk management and internal control, Taxation, Accounting information systems.	Strategy, Market environment, Process management, Business relations, Project management, Regulatory environment, Macro-economic analysis.	Influence, Negotiation, Decision making, Communication, Collaboration and partnering.	Team building, Coaching and mentoring, Driving performance, Motivating and inspiring, Change management.

All skills are 'core'; they are required in the round

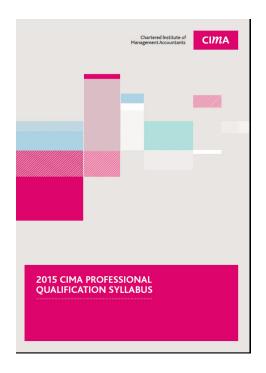








The CGMA Solution



CIMA Syllabus CGMA Designation

Supply



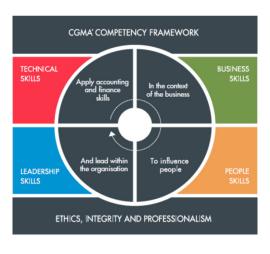






Global Management Accounting Principles

Demand



CGMA Competency framework CPD Programme

Longevity

Solving the employability crisis

- CGMA solution addresses supply, demand and longevity for domain of management accounting
- Some learning from our approach may have wider application, for example;
 - Competencies as the starting point
 - Collaboration with employers and educators
 - Use of technology to assess knowledge and ability to apply
 - Addressing demand as well as supply
 - Future-proofing competencies with life-long learning
- AICPA and CIMA are keen to work in the public interest with other stakeholders represented here







Thank you





