

# SIMPLESIM APP DOCUMENTATION

BOOST YOUR TRAINING SALES WITH EXAM PREP SIMULATIONS



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## What is SimpleSim?

If you are a training provider who imparts training to students and prepares them to ultimately sit for certification exams or any other exams for that matter, SimpleSim is for you!

SimpleSim can help you boost your training sales by having exam prep simulations which will enable your students to get a feel of the real exam and evaluate their exam readiness.

Set up exam prep simulations for your students in just less than 5 minutes, right out of your Thinkific platform and increase your product value manifold with SimpleSim!

SimpleSim closely resembles the PSI Online Assessment system which hosts 1000s of talent assessments and certification exams on behalf of certification bodies and provides the right simulation environment for your students to practice and prepare themselves for the D-day.

## How does SimpleSim Work?

SimpleSim can help your course instructors or course creator to create full length exam simulations right out of Thinkific by means of a seamless integration.

The course creator can add any number of simulations for a particular course in Thinkific based on the plan that the training organization has subscribed to.

Course creators can import questions via excel import, provide explanation for correct answers, attach images to questions, update simulation etc.

Once the simulations are set up for a particular course, students can attempt the simulations in SimpleSim from their Thinkific account by means of a seamless integration with SimpleSim.

Students can attempt the time-based simulation, skip questions, directly jump to the question they would like to attempt, submit the simulation and see the results, reattempt it based on the limit set by the training provider, review the answers that they provide vs. the correct answer, get performance reports and more.

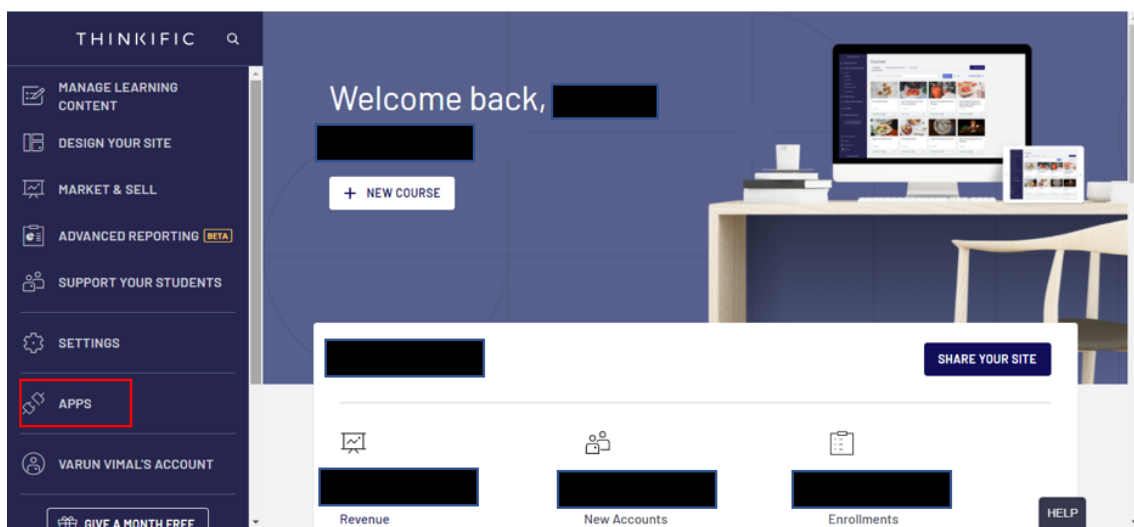
## How will SimpleSim Affect my Thinkific Site?

Certain information such as Institute name (Training Provider), courses listed under them, student email ID will have to be passed on to SimpleSim.

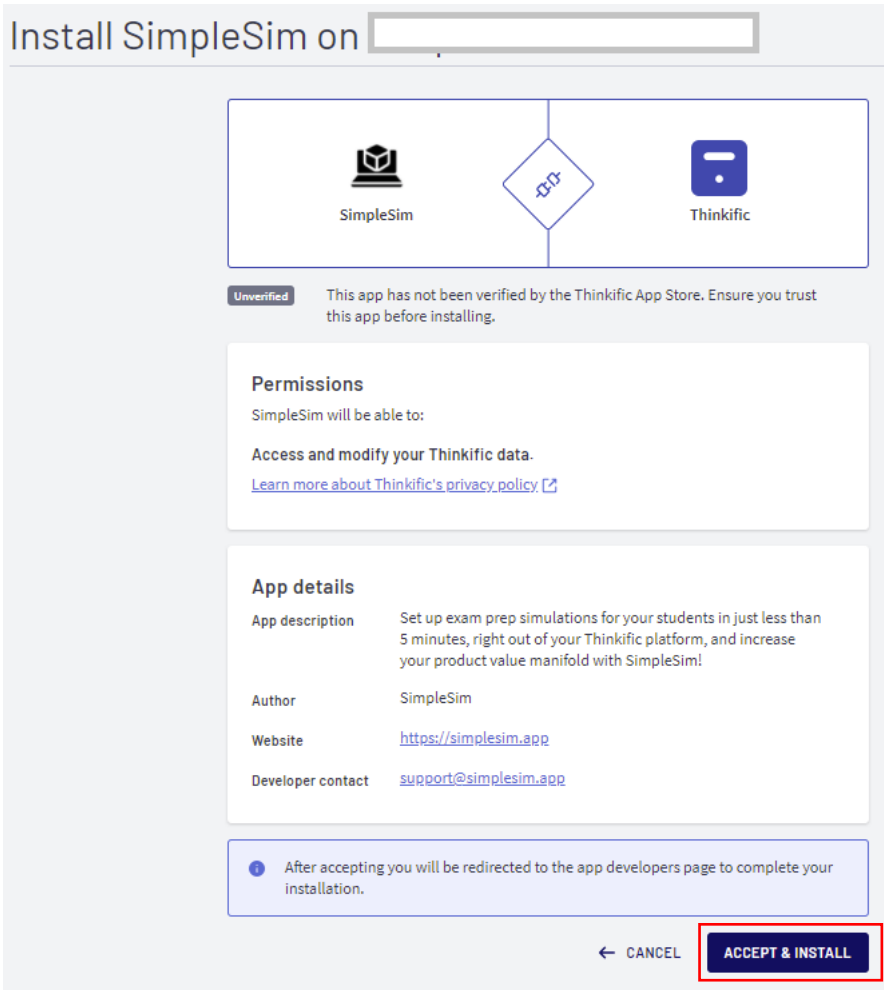
As of now, there is no information passed on from SimpleSim to Thinkific, therefore the Thinkific site will not be affected in any other way.

## How to Install SimpleSim

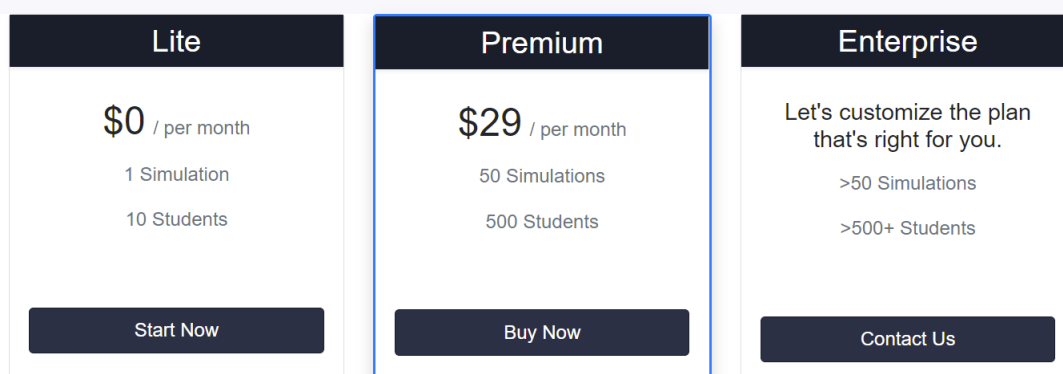
Visit the Thinkific App store and search for the SimpleSim App.



Select SimpleSim App and proceed with installation by clicking on the Install button. Click on the Accept and Install button and proceed with the installation.



After the installation, the following plans page will appear

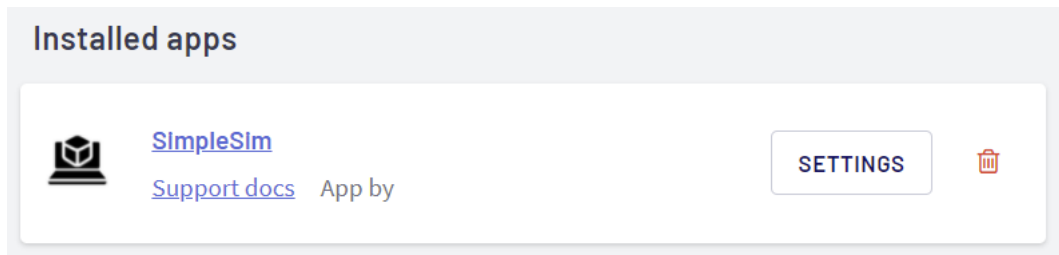


Choose the suitable plan and proceed accordingly.

The number of simulations one can create in the SimpleSim account will be as per the plan.

The course creator will now see all the courses that are present in the Thinkific portal and can proceed with simulation creation.

The SimpleSim App will appear as follows in the Thinkific Apps Section upon installation

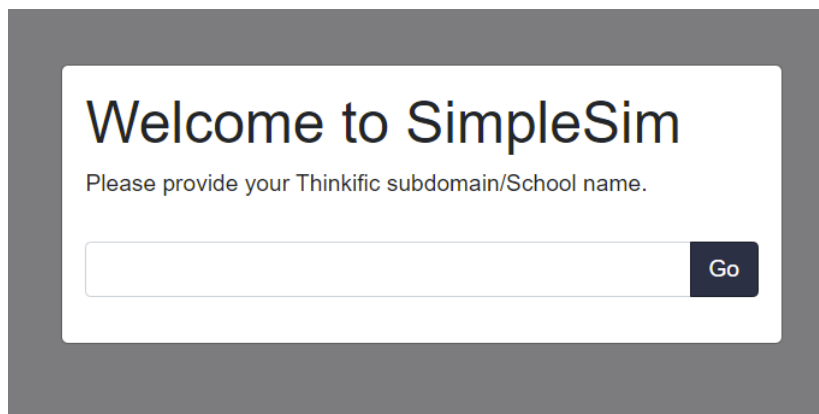


## How to Use SimpleSim

### How to use the App from a course creator point of view:

Upon successful installation, the course creator will be automatically taken to SimpleSim account.

However, if the course creator wishes to log into SimpleSim at a later point, (s)he can do so by going to [SimpleSim](#) and providing the Thinkific subdomain/School name and clicking "Go".

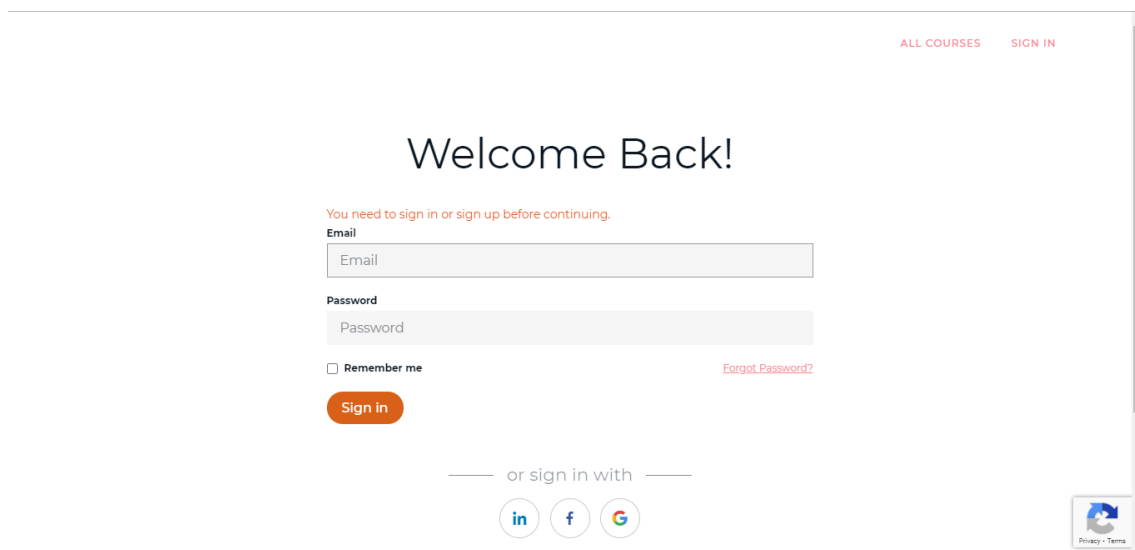


Welcome to SimpleSim

Please provide your Thinkific subdomain/School name.

This will take the course creator to the Thinkific login Page.

Login to Thinkific Admin Account.



ALL COURSES SIGN IN

## Welcome Back!

You need to sign in or sign up before continuing.

Email

Password

Remember me [Forgot Password?](#)

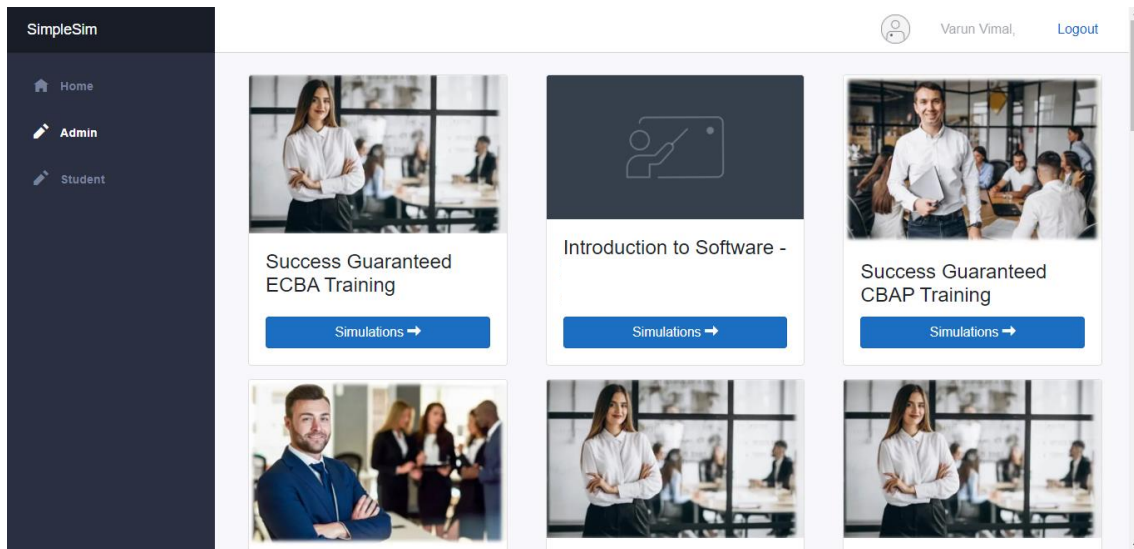
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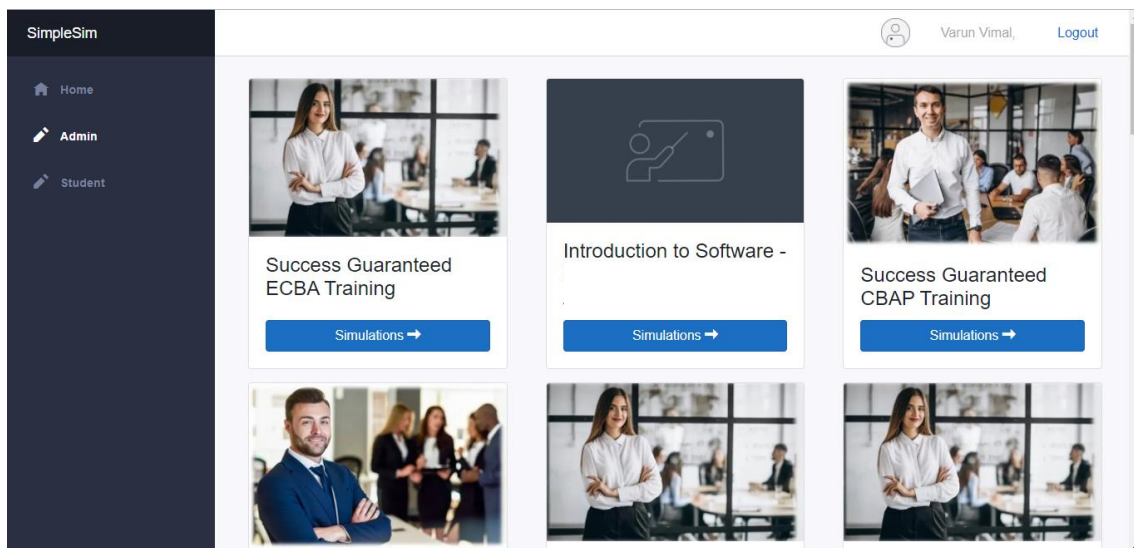
Upon providing the Thinkific login credentials, the course creator will be taken to SimpleSim App.

### What does the Course creator landing page in SimpleSim look like?



### How to create a simulation for a particular course?

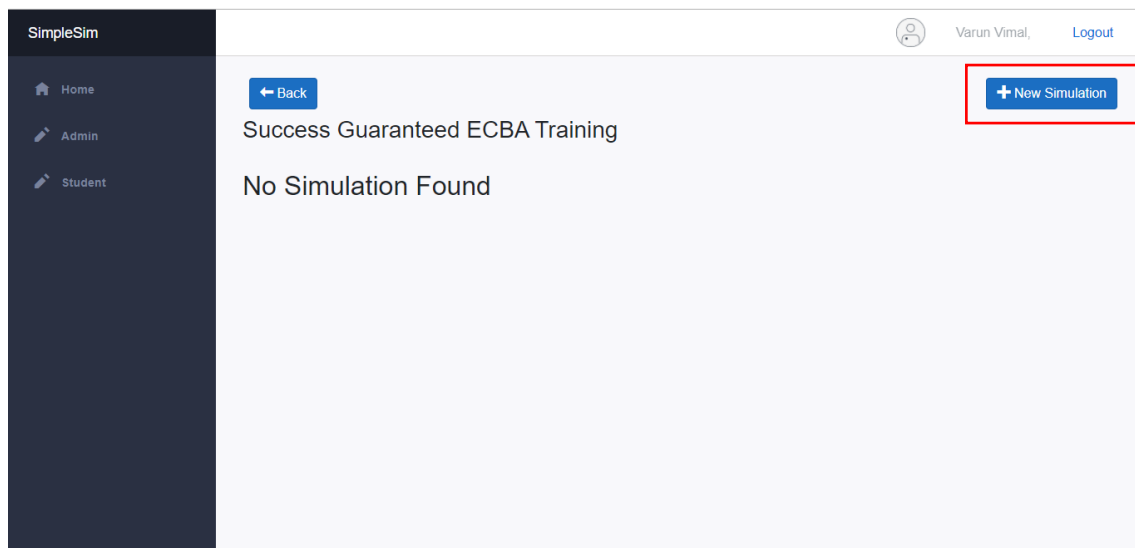
All the courses listed in Thinkific will appear in the Course creator's (Admin) profile. Select the course for which the simulations need to be added.



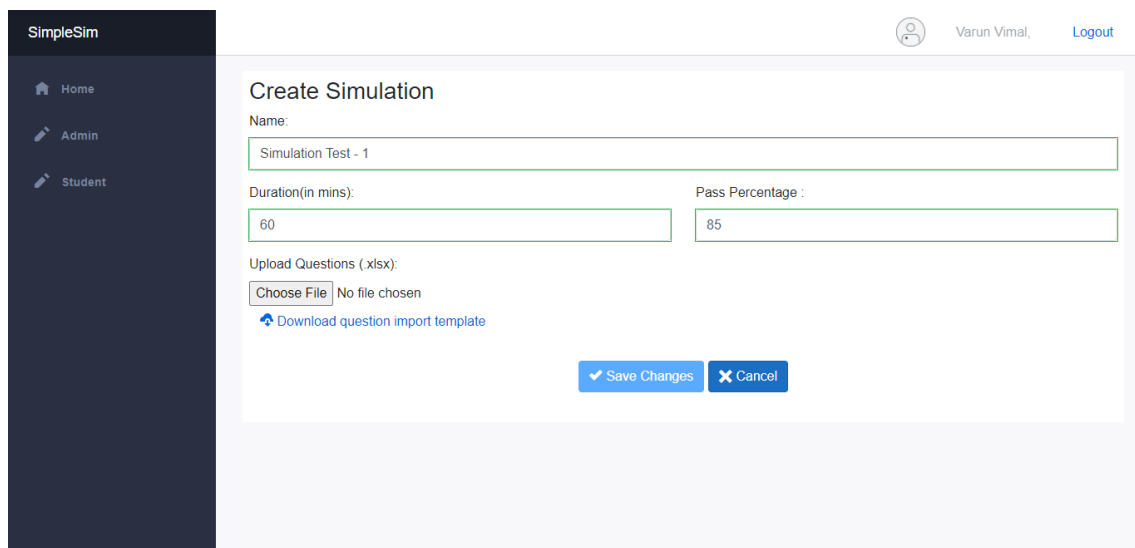
Select a course – Success Guaranteed ECBA Training Course here – and click on Simulations



## Click on New Simulation

**Provide the following details:**

- Name - Name of the simulation
- Duration – Duration of the simulation in minutes
- Pass Percentage – The percentage required to pass the exam
- Instructions – If there are any specific instructions the students should follow before starting the simulation

**Download the question import template.**

Follow the instructions on the first sheet of the question import template and fill the second sheet accordingly.

Import questions ONLY in .XLSX format.

This is how the Question Import Template will look like:

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	A	B	C
1			
2		<b>Field</b>	<b>Description</b>
3		Question Number*	Provide the question number from 1...n (n=no. of questions in the simulator) Eg: For the first question, give the question number as 1. This is a mandatory field.
4		Question Description*	Provide the question description. This is a mandatory field.
5		Option 1	Provide description for Option number 1. This is a mandatory field.
6		Option 2	Provide description for Option number 2. This is a mandatory field.
7		Option 3	Provide description for Option number 3
8		Option 4	Provide description for Option number 4
9		Correct Option*	Provide the correct option number. Only numerical values between 1 to 4 are accepted. This is a mandatory field. Eg: If the correct option is 1 mention 1 in this cell

Follow the instructions in the INSTRUCTIONS Sheet.

Click on the QUESTIONS sheet and fill it according to the instructions. The star marked columns can't be empty.

	A	B	C	D
1	Question Number*	Question Description*	Option 1	Option 2
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				
9				
10				
11				
12				
13				
14				

**After adding questions and options, save the file and click on choose file to import questions.**

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**Create Simulation**

Name:

Duration(in mins):  Pass Percentage :

Upload Questions (.xlsx):

Choose File No file chosen

[Download question import template](#)

**After importing the file, Click on Save Changes.**

Any errors in the import will be shown and the admin needs to rectify the errors, if any and reimport the questions excel sheet once again after rectification.

If there are no errors, the Save Changes button will be enabled for Saving. Else, the button will not be enabled unless the errors are rectified.

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**Create Simulation**

Name:

Duration(in mins):  Pass Percentage :

Upload Questions (.xlsx):

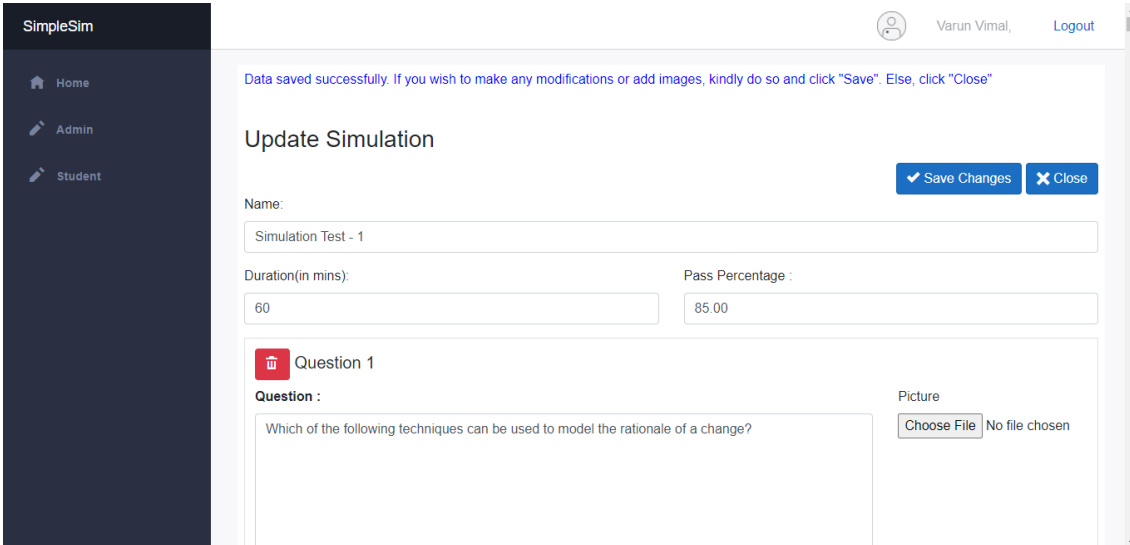
Choose File ECBA Samp...mulation.xlsx

[Download question import template](#)

✓ Save Changes

Question Number	Question Description	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4	Correct Option	Answer Explanation
1	Which of the following techniques can be used to model the	Roles and Permissions Matrix	Organizational modelling	Business capability analysis	Decision modelling	4	BABoK V3.0 - Section 7.1.4.1 - Model

Upon successful import of questions, the page looks like this. A message will be displayed on top that the data was saved successfully.



The screenshot shows the 'Update Simulation' page in the SimpleSim application. At the top, a success message reads: "Data saved successfully. If you wish to make any modifications or add images, kindly do so and click 'Save'. Else, click 'Close'". Below this, the page title is "Update Simulation". There are two buttons: "Save Changes" (with a checkmark icon) and "Close" (with an 'X' icon). The form includes a "Name:" field with the value "Simulation Test - 1". Below that are two input fields: "Duration(in mins)" with the value "60" and "Pass Percentage :" with the value "85.00". A section titled "Question 1" contains a "Question :" field with the text "Which of the following techniques can be used to model the rationale of a change?". To the right of the question field is a "Picture" upload area with a "Choose File" button and the text "No file chosen". A dark sidebar on the left contains the SimpleSim logo and navigation links for Home, Admin, and Student. The top right corner shows a user profile icon for "Varun Vimal" and a "Logout" link.

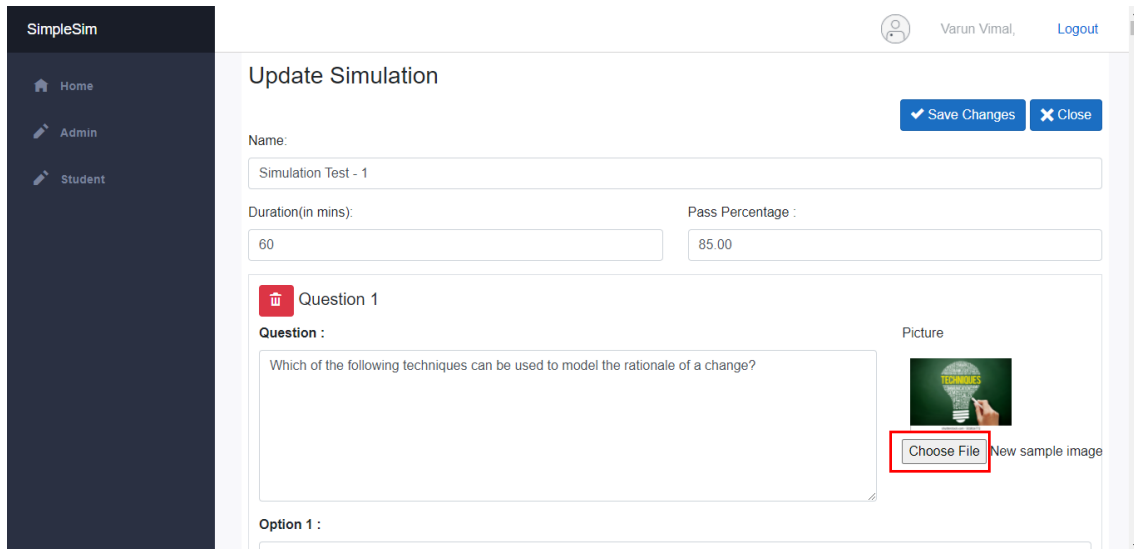
**We can also add images to questions here, modify questions and options, and add/delete questions in this page.**

If there are no modifications, click on the Close button.

If there are any modifications and/or additions, do the necessary changes and click on Save Changes.

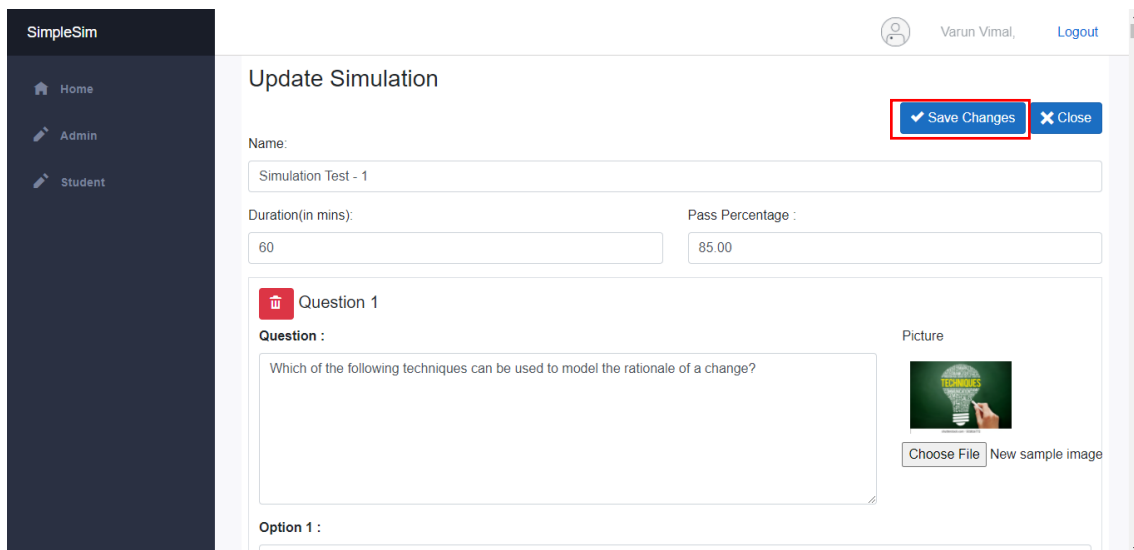
A sample image has been added to the first question for demonstration purpose by going to the question to which image needs to be added.

Click on Choose File. Browse and select the image to be uploaded.



The screenshot shows the 'Update Simulation' interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with 'SimpleSim' at the top and navigation links for 'Home', 'Admin', and 'Student'. The main content area has a header 'Update Simulation' with 'Save Changes' and 'Close' buttons. Below are input fields for 'Name' (Simulation Test - 1), 'Duration(in mins)' (60), and 'Pass Percentage' (85.00). The 'Question 1' section includes a text area with the question 'Which of the following techniques can be used to model the rationale of a change?'. To the right is a 'Picture' field with a sample image of a hand holding a glowing lightbulb with the word 'TECHNIQUES' above it. A 'Choose File' button is highlighted with a red box, with the text 'New sample image' next to it.

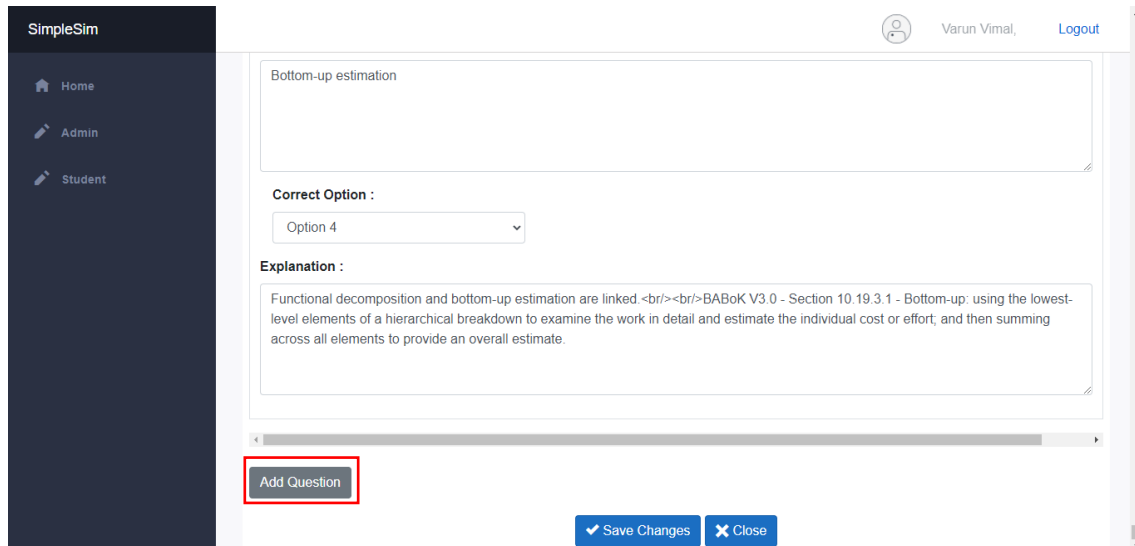
Click on Save Changes



This screenshot is identical to the previous one, but the 'Save Changes' button in the top right corner of the main content area is highlighted with a red box.

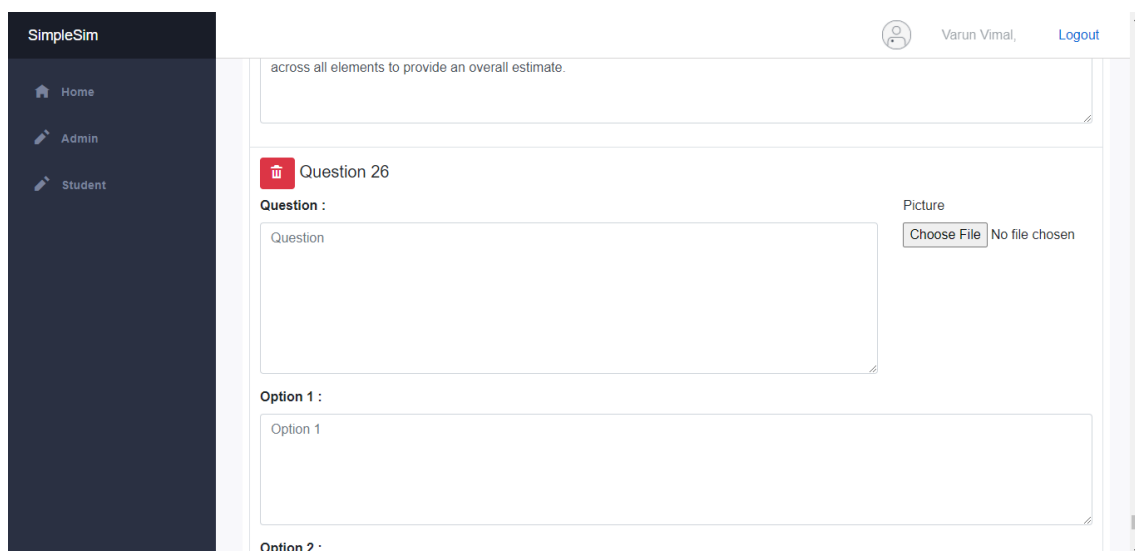
## How to add questions manually

Scroll down to the bottom of the "Update Simulation" page (shown in the previous image) and click on Add Question



The screenshot shows the SimpleSim app interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with 'SimpleSim' at the top and navigation links for 'Home', 'Admin', and 'Student'. The main content area is titled 'Bottom-up estimation'. It contains a text input field with the text 'Bottom-up estimation'. Below this is a 'Correct Option :' section with a dropdown menu showing 'Option 4'. Underneath is an 'Explanation :' section with a text area containing the text: 'Functional decomposition and bottom-up estimation are linked. <br/><br/>BABoK V3.0 - Section 10.19.3.1 - Bottom-up: using the lowest-level elements of a hierarchical breakdown to examine the work in detail and estimate the individual cost or effort; and then summing across all elements to provide an overall estimate.' At the bottom of the form, there is a red-bordered button labeled 'Add Question', and two blue buttons labeled 'Save Changes' and 'Close'.

A Blank question with options will be created. Provide the question, options, append image if any etc.

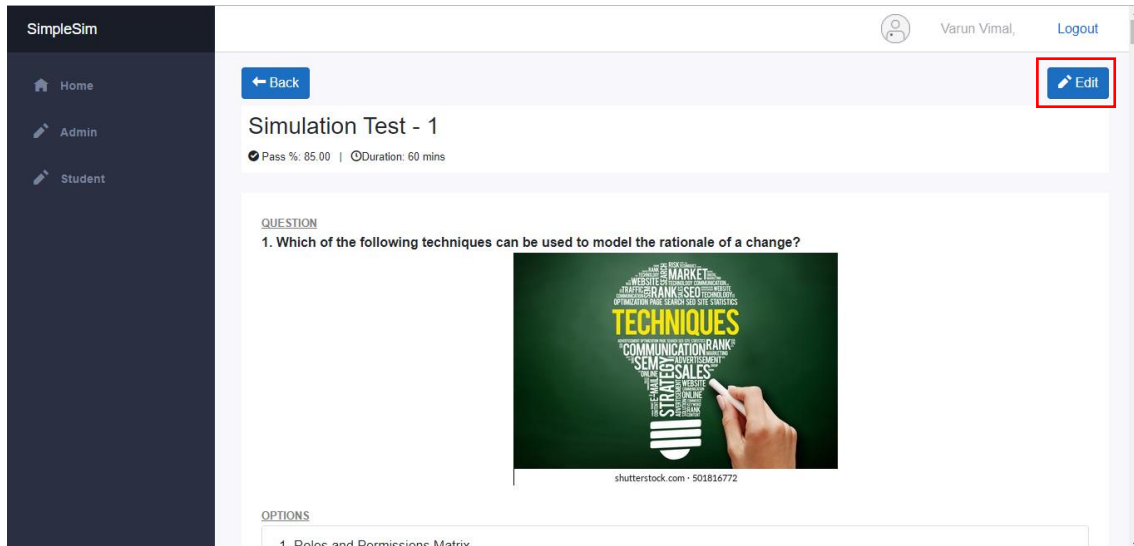


The screenshot shows the SimpleSim app interface with a newly created question form. The sidebar is the same as in the previous image. The main content area shows a text input field with the text 'across all elements to provide an overall estimate.' Below this is a red-bordered box labeled 'Question 26' with a trash icon. Inside this box, there is a 'Question :' section with a text input field containing 'Question'. To the right of this field is a 'Picture' section with a 'Choose File' button and the text 'No file chosen'. Below the question field is an 'Option 1 :' section with a text input field containing 'Option 1'. At the bottom, there is an 'Option 2 :' section with an empty text input field.

Click on Save Changes.

The page shown below will appear.

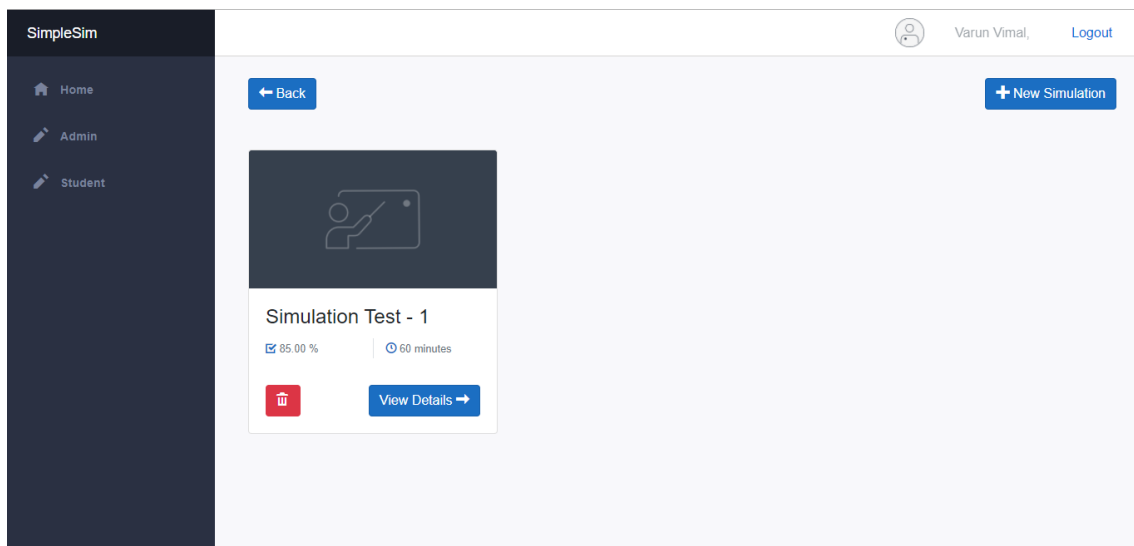
Here, we can review each question and if anything is incorrect, we can edit it by clicking on Edit button else Click the Back button to land in your simulations page.



The screenshot shows the SimpleSim app interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with 'SimpleSim' at the top and navigation options: Home, Admin, and Student. The main content area has a top bar with a 'Back' button on the left and an 'Edit' button on the right, which is highlighted with a red box. Below the top bar, the title 'Simulation Test - 1' is displayed, followed by 'Pass %: 85.00 | Duration: 60 mins'. A 'QUESTION' section contains the text: '1. Which of the following techniques can be used to model the rationale of a change?'. Below the question is an image of a hand writing 'TECHNIQUES' on a chalkboard, surrounded by various business-related terms like 'MARKET', 'COMMUNICATION', 'RANK', 'SALES', and 'STRATEGIES'. Underneath the image, the text 'shutterstock.com · 501816772' is visible. At the bottom, an 'OPTIONS' section shows '1. Roles and Permissions Matrix'.

**With this, the simulation set up is complete.**

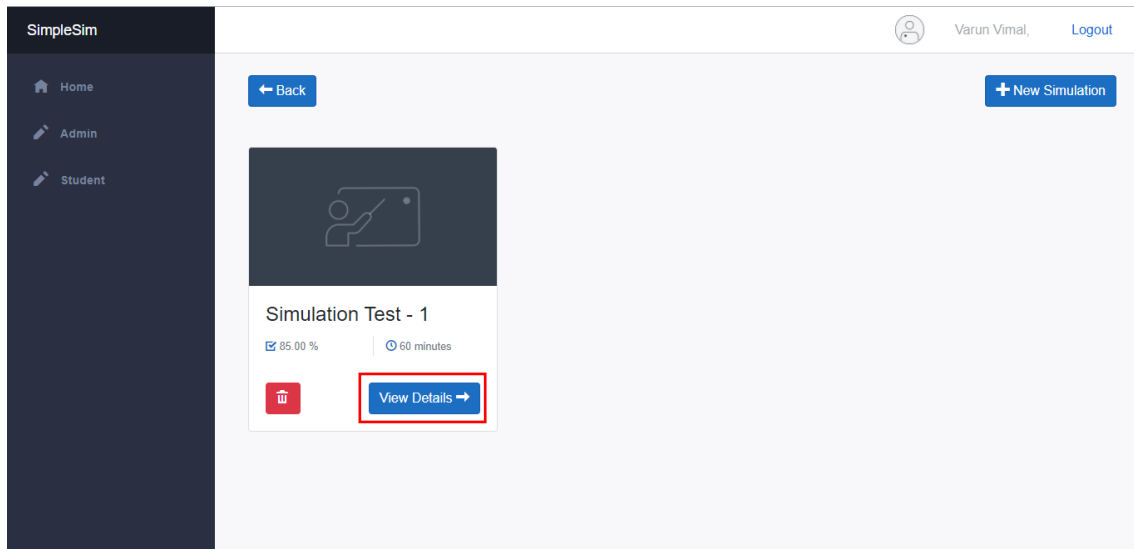
We can find the simulation – Simulation Test – 1, in the course - Success Guaranteed ECBA Training.



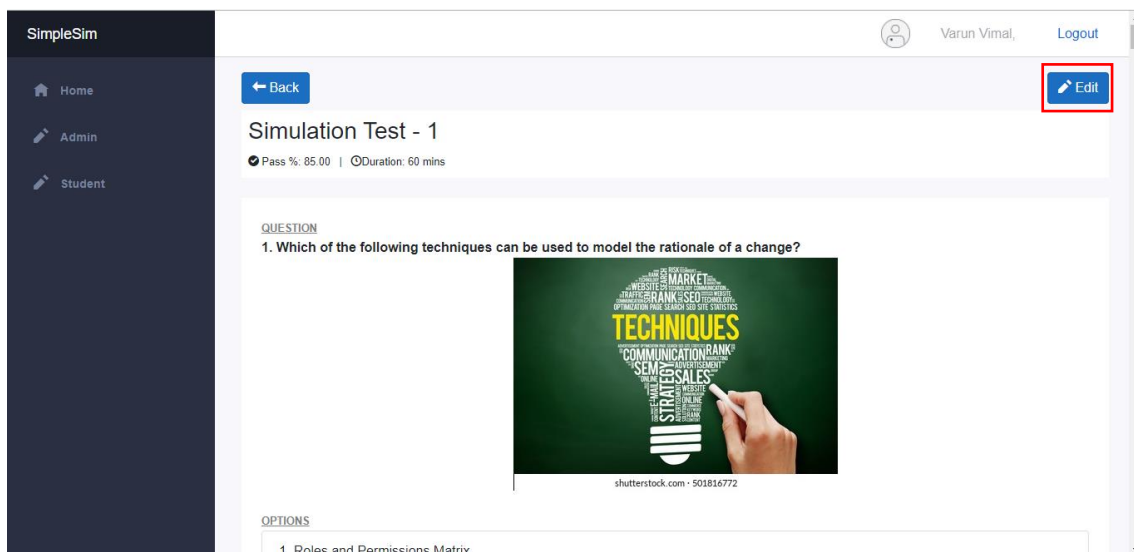
The screenshot shows the SimpleSim app interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with 'SimpleSim' at the top and navigation options: Home, Admin, and Student. The main content area has a top bar with a 'Back' button on the left and a '+ New Simulation' button on the right. Below the top bar, there is a card for 'Simulation Test - 1'. The card features a dark square icon with a white outline of a person and a document. Below the icon, the title 'Simulation Test - 1' is displayed, followed by '85.00 %' and '60 minutes'. At the bottom of the card, there is a red trash icon and a blue 'View Details' button with a right-pointing arrow.

## How to edit questions in a particular simulation at a later point in time:

Select the simulation which needs to be edited for a particular course. Click on View Details.



Click on the Edit button.





Now we can edit the questions here – add images, modify option text etc.

Do the necessary changes and click on Save Changes.

## How to modify a couple of questions/append questions for a particular simulation via excel import

Click on New Simulation.

Provide the **same name for the simulation** for you which you wish to modify a couple of questions/append questions.

For instance, to modify a couple of questions via excel import for Simulation Test – 1, click on New Simulation, provide the same name for the simulation “Simulation Test – 1” and import excel with the modified questions/new questions.

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Home Admin Student

## Create Simulation

Name:

Duration(in mins):  Pass Percentage :

Upload Questions (.xlsx):  
 ECBA Samp...mulation.xlsx  
[Download question import template](#)

Question Number	Question Description	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4	Correct Option	Answer Explanation
1	Which of the following techniques can be used to model the rationale of a change?	Roles and Permissions Matrix	Organizational modelling	Business capability analysis	Decision modelling	4	BABoK V3.0 - Section 7.1.4.1 - Model

After importing questions via the import template, you can close or make any further modifications and click on Save Changes.

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Home Admin Student

## Simulation Test - 1

Pass %: 85.00 | Duration: 60 mins

**QUESTION**

1. Which of the following techniques can be used to model the rationale of a change?



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**OPTIONS**

1. Roles and Permissions Matrix

The top right corner inside the course will show the number of simulations one can create as per the plan.

Total Simulation 1 of 1

To allow students to use SimpleSim right out of their Thinkific Platform, Add a chapter inside the course for which simulations are required. Add a text lesson and provide the link to SimpleSim - [https://simplesim.app/?subdomain= <schoolname>](https://simplesim.app/?subdomain=<schoolname>).

## How to use the SimpleSim App from a student point of view:

Sign in to your Thinkific account. Enter details and click Sign in

ALL COURSES SIGN IN

# Welcome Back!

You need to sign in or sign up before continuing.

**Email**  
Email

**Password**  
Password

Remember me [Forgot Password?](#)

Sign in

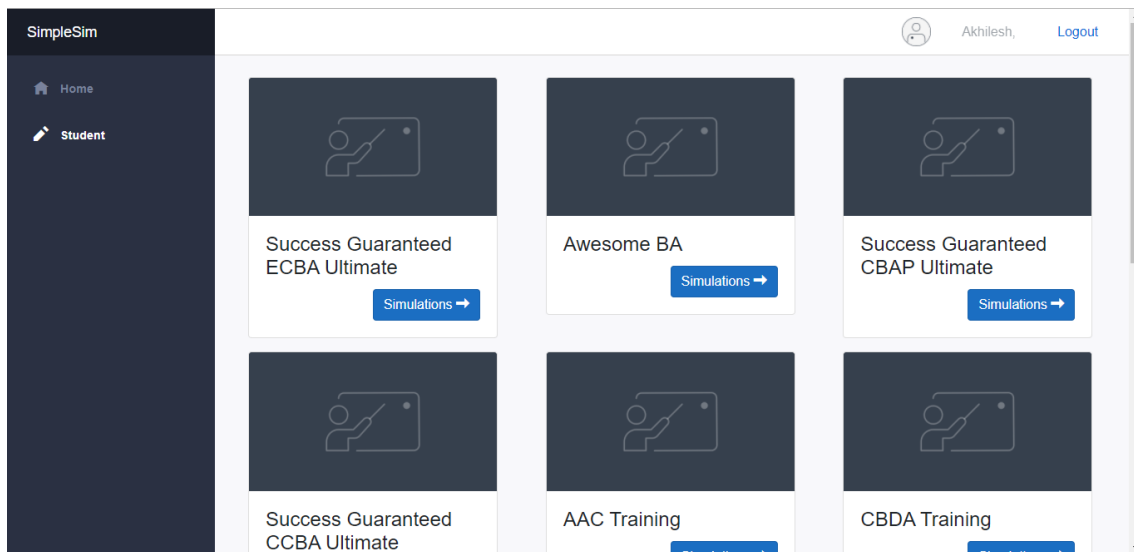
or sign in with

[in](#) [f](#) [G](#)

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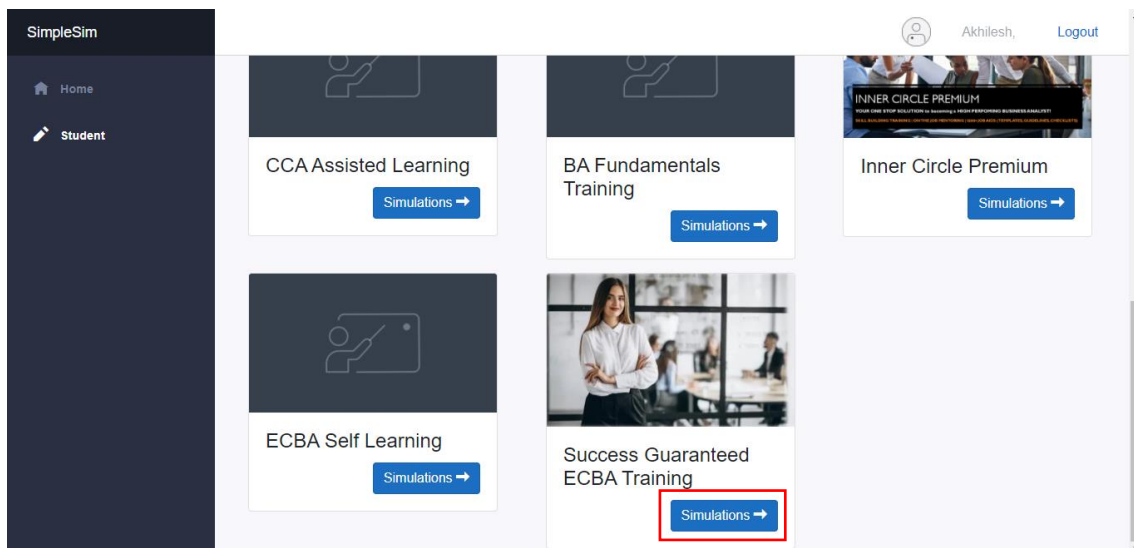
The simulations section in your course will take you to [https://singlesim.app/?subdomain= <schoolname>](https://singlesim.app/?subdomain=<schoolname>).

This is the SimpleSim student landing page



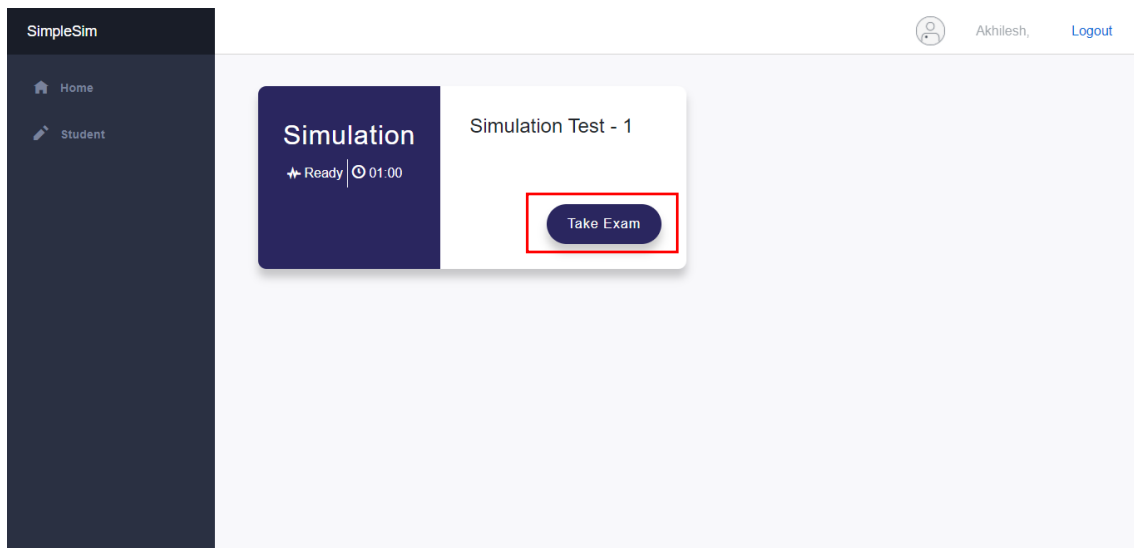
From the student landing page, select the course for which you wish to attempt the simulation.

Here, we select Success Guaranteed ECBA Training and click on Simulations.

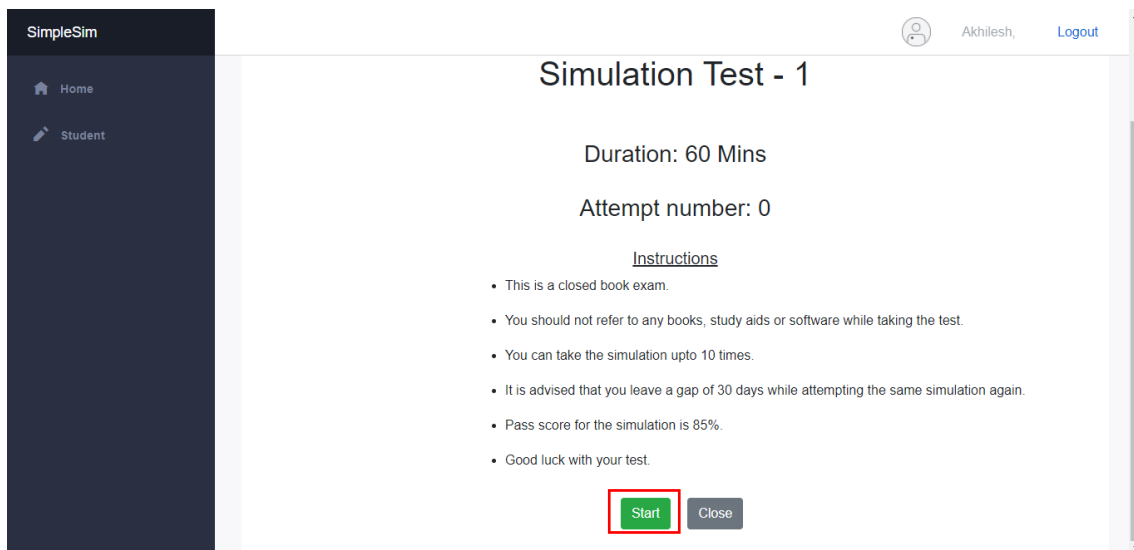


Then, click on Take Exam for the required simulation.

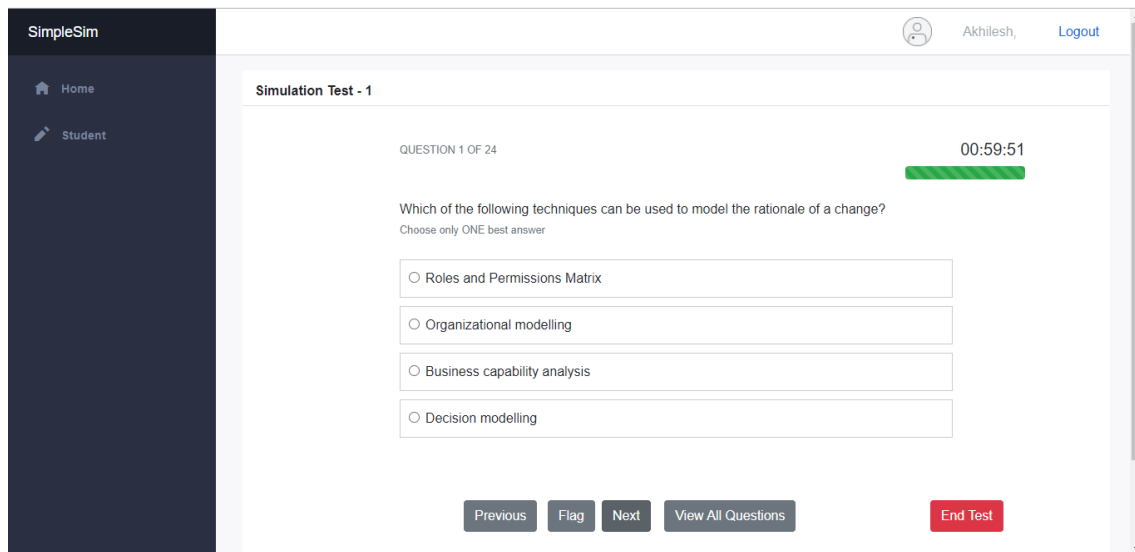
Here, we click on Simulation Test – 1.



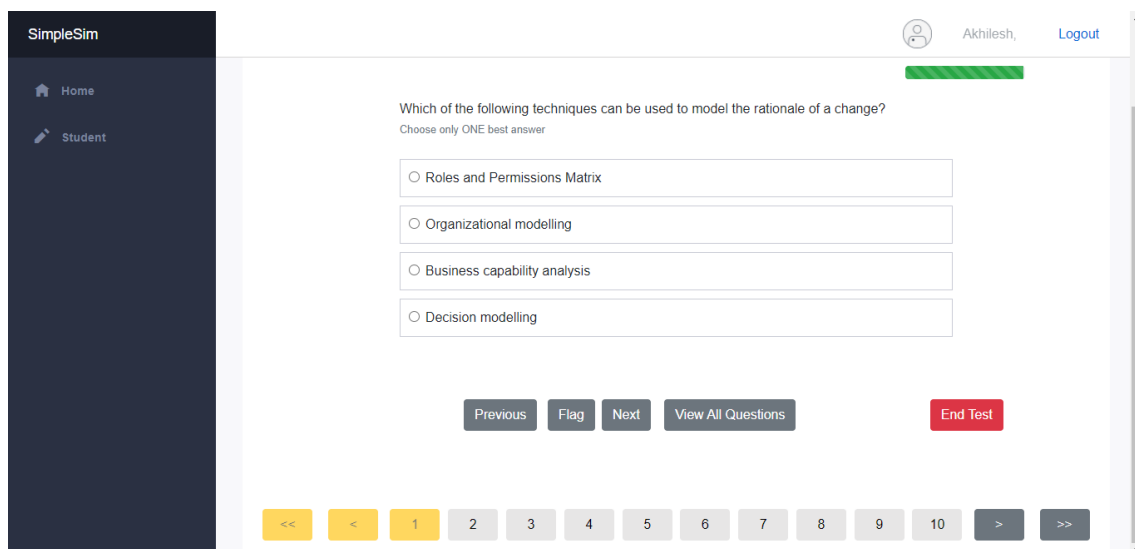
Read the instructions. Then click on Start.



The simulation has now begun.



**How to navigate from one question to another/jump to any specific question:**

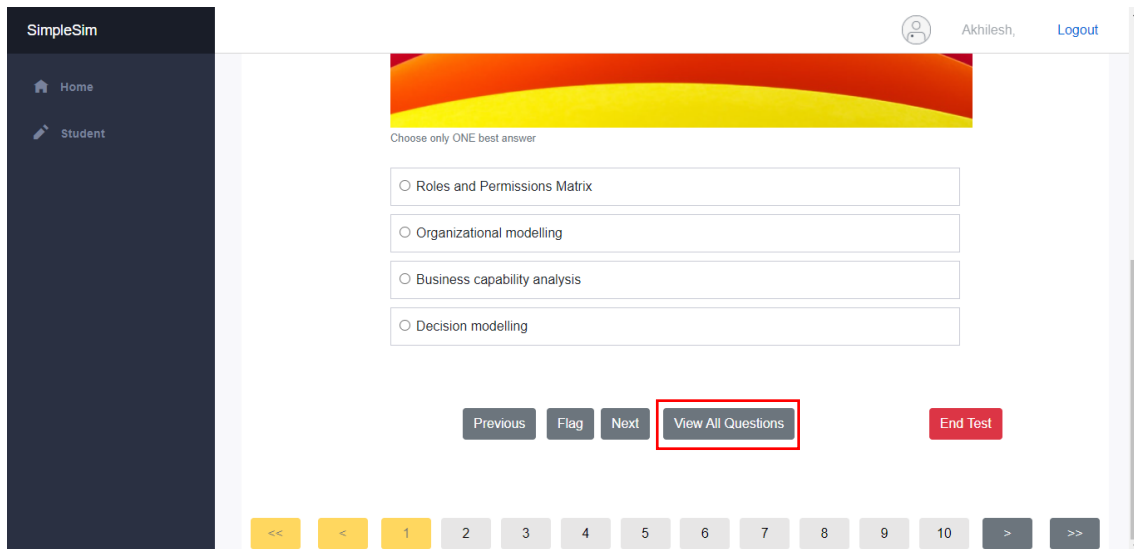


After attempting a question, we can click on Next button to go to the immediate next question. Alternatively, we can also click on ">" button.

In order to go to the immediate Previous question, we can click on Previous button. Alternatively, we can also click on "<" button.

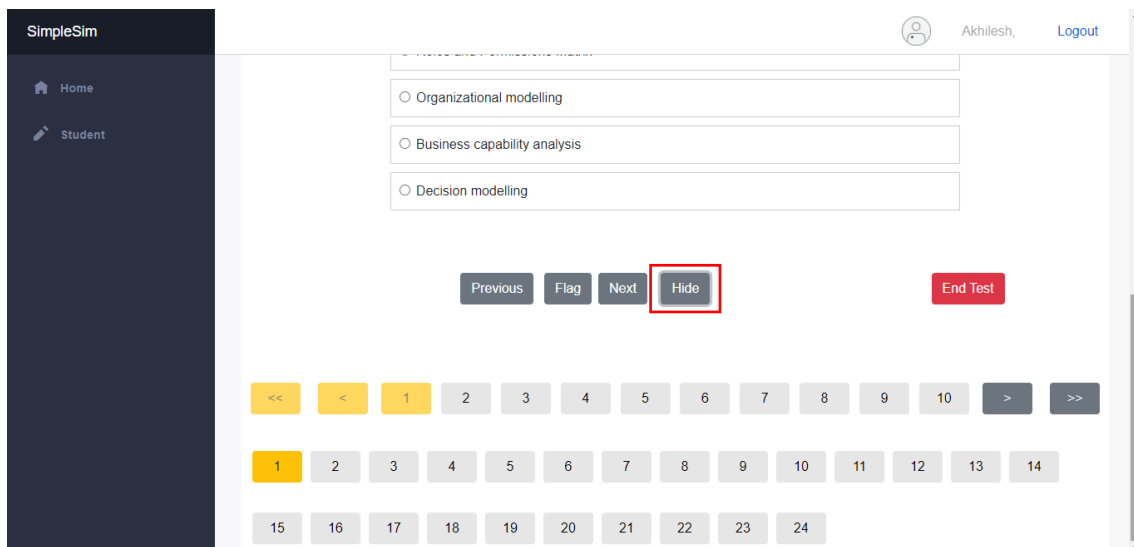
To see the next set of 10 questions, click on ">>" button.

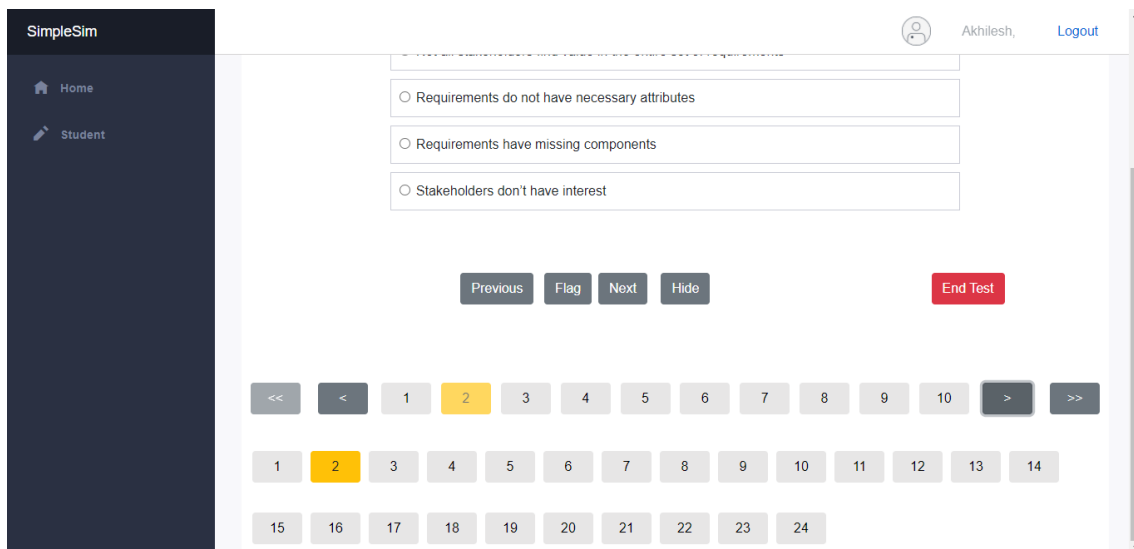
We can click on View All Questions to see all the questions in the simulation at once.



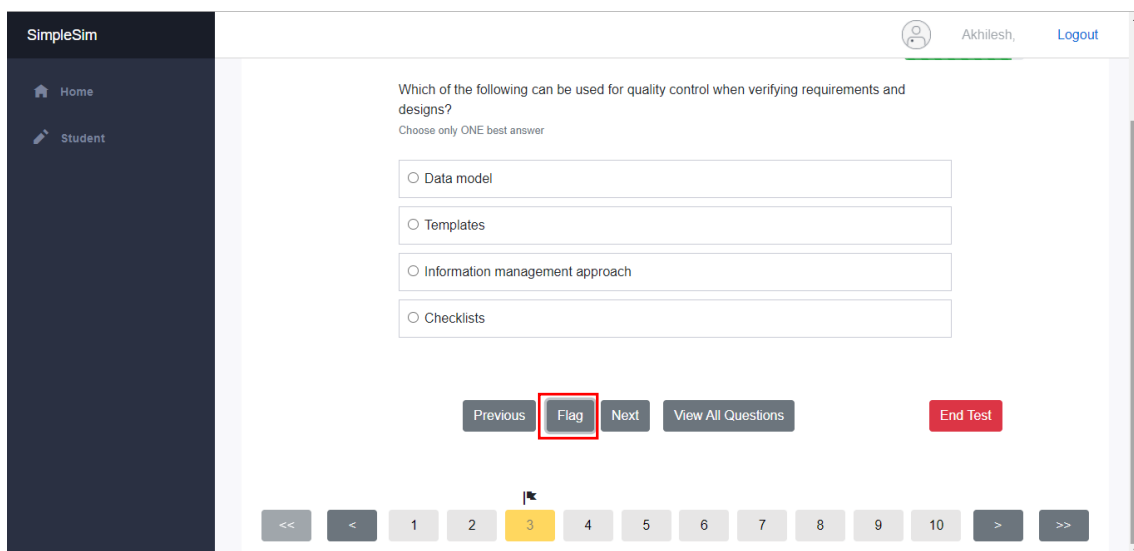
If you wish to jump to any particular question, you can do so.

Click on Hide to see only the first 10 questions.



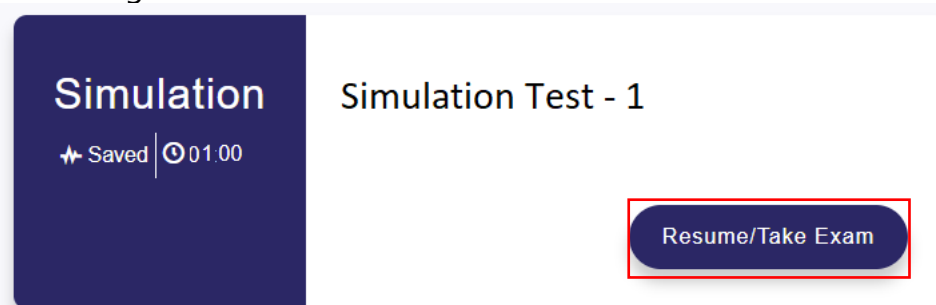


We can Flag a question for review by clicking the Flag button. On doing so, a flag like below appears on top of the question number below

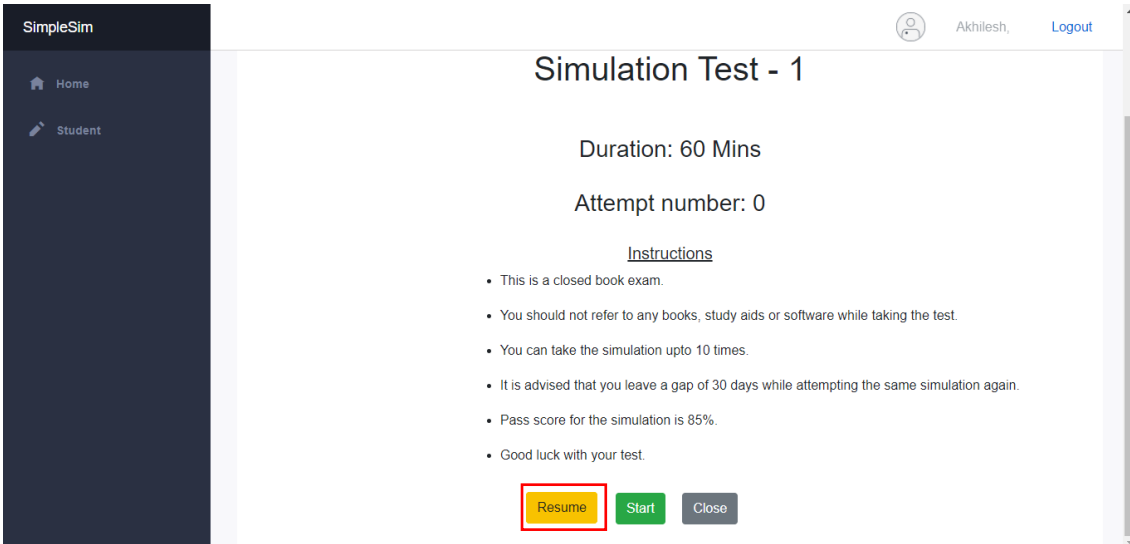


### What will happen if my internet gets disrupted or the system crashes?

After every 5 clicks, the progress gets saved automatically. In the event of any mishaps, you can click on the resume button and proceed from the point where the data got saved.







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Home

Student

Akhilesh, Logout

## Simulation Test - 1

Duration: 60 Mins

Attempt number: 0

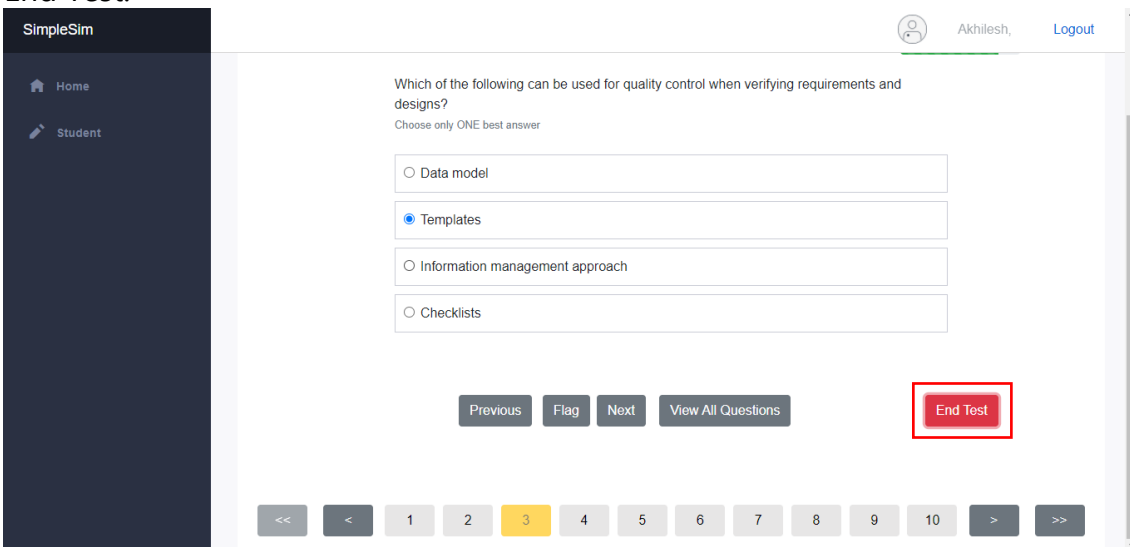
Instructions

- This is a closed book exam.
- You should not refer to any books, study aids or software while taking the test.
- You can take the simulation upto 10 times.
- It is advised that you leave a gap of 30 days while attempting the same simulation again.
- Pass score for the simulation is 85%.
- Good luck with your test.

Resume Start Close

## How to end the simulation and view the results

The simulation will automatically end when the time is up. However, if you wish to end the Simulation before the allotted time is up, you do so by clicking on End Test.



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Home

Student

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Which of the following can be used for quality control when verifying requirements and designs?  
Choose only ONE best answer

Data model

Templates

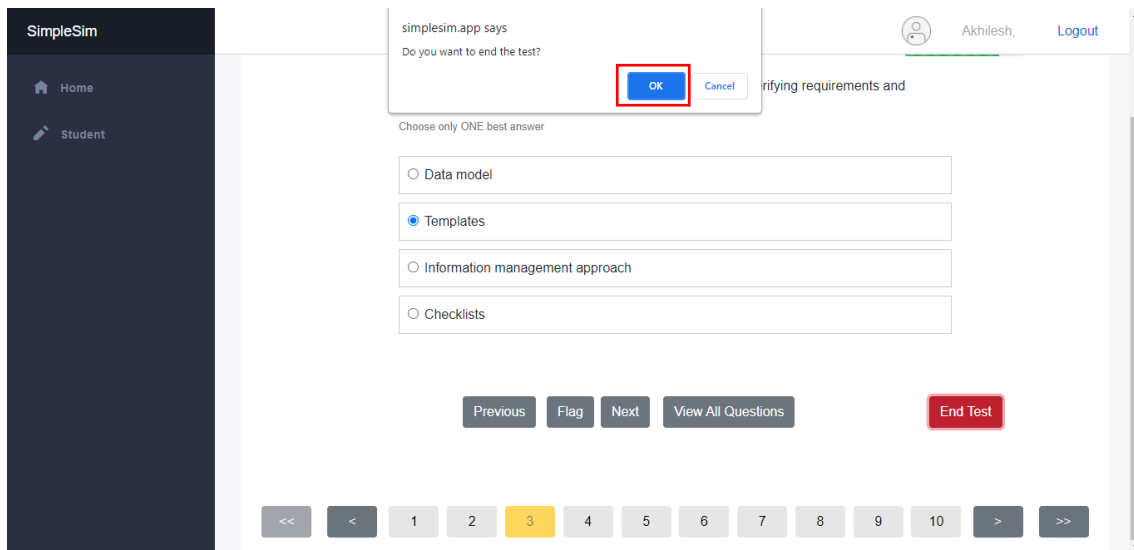
Information management approach

Checklists

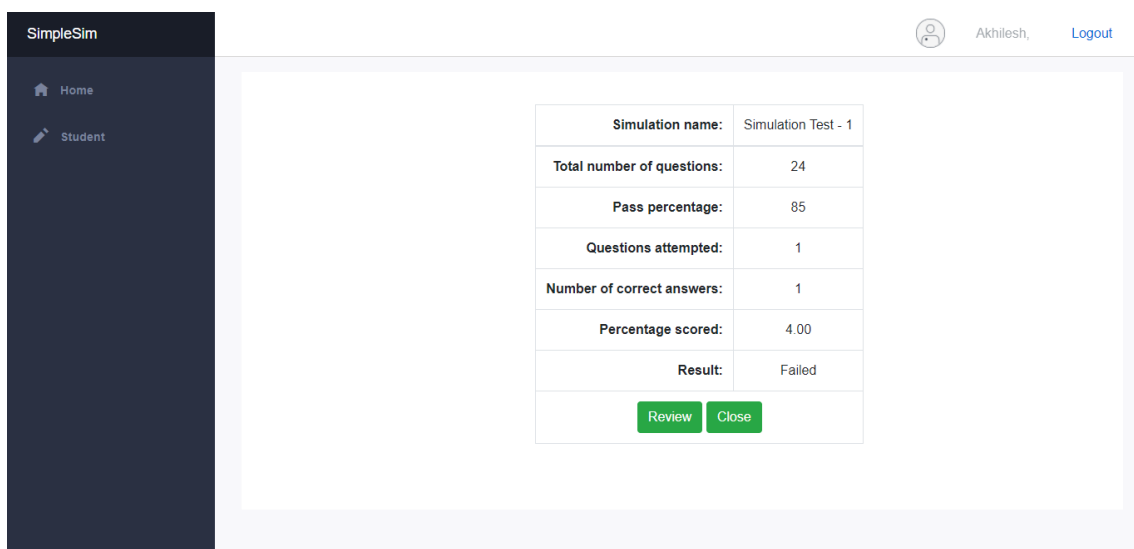
Previous Flag Next View All Questions End Test

<< < 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 > >>

A warning will appear that you are trying to end the test.



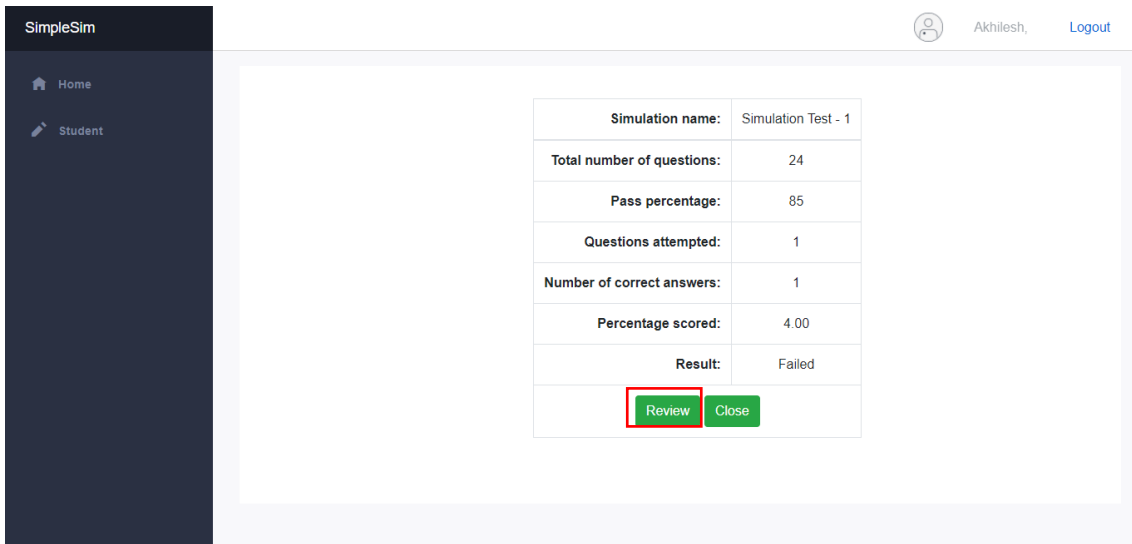
Click on OK in the dialog box to end the test.



Then the simulation ends and we can see the result.

### How to review the simulation results?

You can either review the simulation or do so at a later point by clicking close.

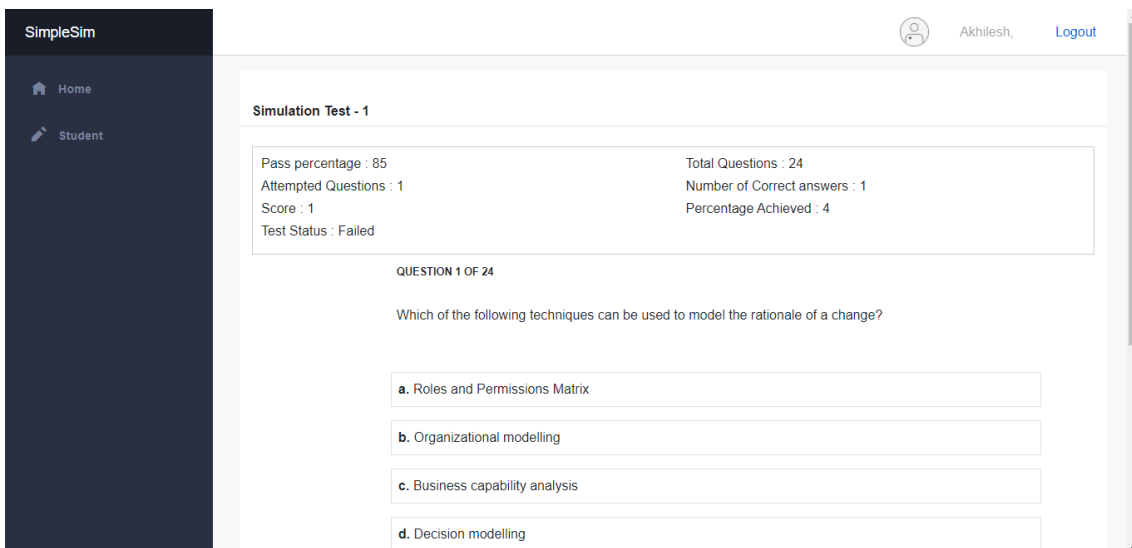


The screenshot shows the SimpleSim app interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with 'SimpleSim' at the top and navigation options 'Home' and 'Student'. The main content area displays a table with simulation statistics. At the top right, the user's name 'Akhilesh' and a 'Logout' link are visible. The table contains the following data:

Simulation name:	Simulation Test - 1
Total number of questions:	24
Pass percentage:	85
Questions attempted:	1
Number of correct answers:	1
Percentage scored:	4.00
Result:	Failed

Below the table are two buttons: 'Review' (highlighted with a red box) and 'Close'.

Click on the review button if you wish to review right away.



The screenshot shows the SimpleSim app interface with the 'Review' button clicked. The main content area displays the details for 'Simulation Test - 1'. At the top right, the user's name 'Akhilesh' and a 'Logout' link are visible. The simulation statistics are shown in a table:

Pass percentage : 85	Total Questions : 24
Attempted Questions : 1	Number of Correct answers : 1
Score : 1	Percentage Achieved : 4
Test Status : Failed	

Below the statistics, the question is displayed: 'QUESTION 1 OF 24' and 'Which of the following techniques can be used to model the rationale of a change?'. There are four radio button options:

- a. Roles and Permissions Matrix
- b. Organizational modelling
- c. Business capability analysis
- d. Decision modelling

You can see details of your performance, see which answers you got right, which went wrong and also view the correct answer explanation for each question.

The navigation is the same as that of taking the simulation.

The screenshot displays the SimpleSim application interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with 'SimpleSim' at the top and navigation options 'Home' and 'Student'. The main content area shows a quiz question with four options: 'a. Roles and Permissions Matrix', 'b. Organizational modelling', 'c. Business capability analysis', and 'd. Decision modelling'. Below the options, it indicates 'Your Answer : b' and 'Correct Answer : d'. An 'Explanation' box contains text from BABoK V3.0. At the bottom, there are navigation buttons: 'Previous', 'Next', 'View All Questions', and 'Close'. A progress bar at the very bottom shows 10 questions, with question 2 highlighted in red.

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a. Roles and Permissions Matrix

b. Organizational modelling

c. Business capability analysis

d. Decision modelling

Your Answer : b

Correct Answer : d

**Explanation :**  
BABoK V3.0 - Section 7.1.4.1 - Model Requirements - Paragraph 3 - Point #2 - Rationale: models represent the 'why' of a change. Techniques used to represent the rationale include Decision Modelling; Scope Modelling; Business Model Canvas; Root Cause Analysis; and Business Rules Analysis.

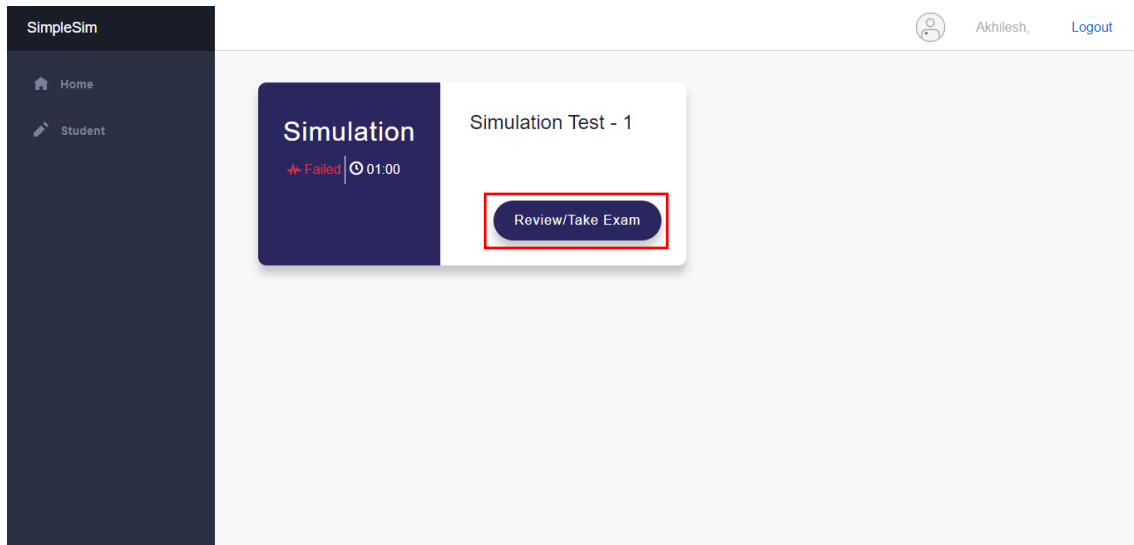
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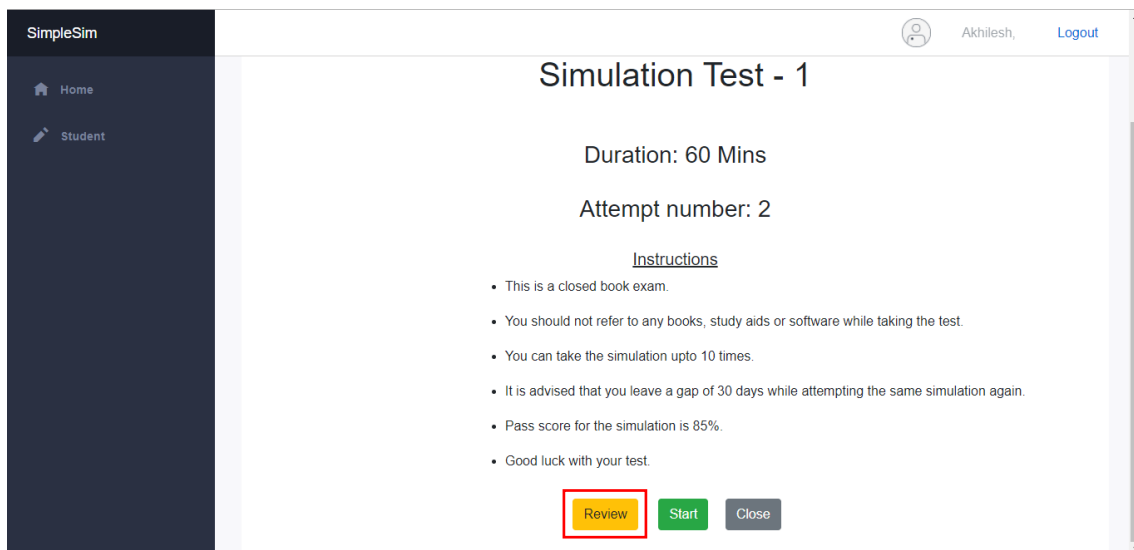
Once you are done reviewing, you can click on close and return to the simulations page.

If you wish to review the simulation at a later point in time, you can select the simulation which you wish to review.

Click on Review/Take Exam. Here we select Simulation Test – 1



Then click on Review



Now we can review the test.

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### ECBA Simulation Test - 1

Pass percentage : 85	Total Questions : 24
Attempted Questions : 2	Number of Correct answers : 0
Score : 0	Percentage Achieved : 0
Test Status : Failed	

QUESTION 1 OF 24

Which of the following techniques can be used to model the rationale of a change?

- a. Roles and Permissions Matrix
- b. Organizational modelling
- c. Business capability analysis
- d. Decision modelling

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- a. Roles and Permissions Matrix
- b. Organizational modelling
- c. Business capability analysis
- d. Decision modelling

Your Answer : **b**

Correct Answer : **d**

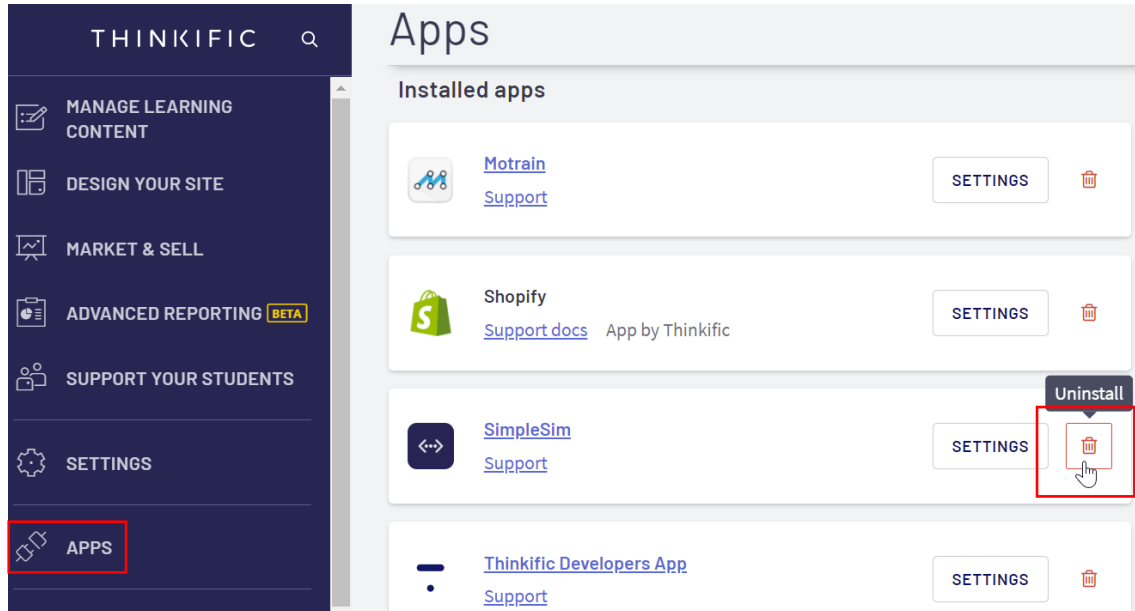
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## How to Uninstall SimpleSim

Course creator can delete the SimpleSim App by going to the Apps section in the Thinkific account and clicking on Uninstall.



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