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Earlier this month, we launched the 'Future of Management Consultancy' report, our latest research output discussing the current trends and potential developments that might impact different types of management consulting firm and their business models. Jim Foster, CMCE Director and one of the report authors, shares a few of the key findings and conclusions emerging from the report. You can also access the CMCE 'Future Of Management Consultancy: Potential Developments And Impacts' report here.

We are planning for our next event on the future of management consultancy to focus on online marketplaces, so we would like to encourage you to share any comments, thoughts or opinions that you might have about their use by emailing us at info@cmce.org.uk.

We are also delighted to feature 'Judgement at Work: what does it really mean?', a piece by Mike Buhagiar, a consultant specialising in business evolution and transformation. In this piece, Mike provides an excellent summary of the key takeaways from last month's lecture organised by CMCE and led by Sir Andrew Likierman, former Dean of London Business School where he currently is Professor of Management Practice and author of <u>Judgement at Work: Making Better Choices</u>, a book that outlines a six-part framework for developing and boosting sound judgement.

This month's <u>In-Brief section</u> includes a series of articles and podcasts focusing on a range of current topics such as AI 'McKinsey in a box', technology trends outlook and corporate-startup collaboration.

Finally, we continue to revisit some of the content 'From our archive' by sharing 'How soft skills can help future-proof your career' by Valentina Lorenzon, a member of the CMCE Leadership Team and editor of this Newsletter. This is the first in a series of articles aimed at discussing different soft skills and competences - such as self-leadership, communication, creativity, adaptability and resilience - that can improve our performance as consultants.

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