# help.quickbase.com redesign

How the Content & Visual Design (CVD) team is improving the guidance experience

## **Project overview**

#### **OBJECTIVE**

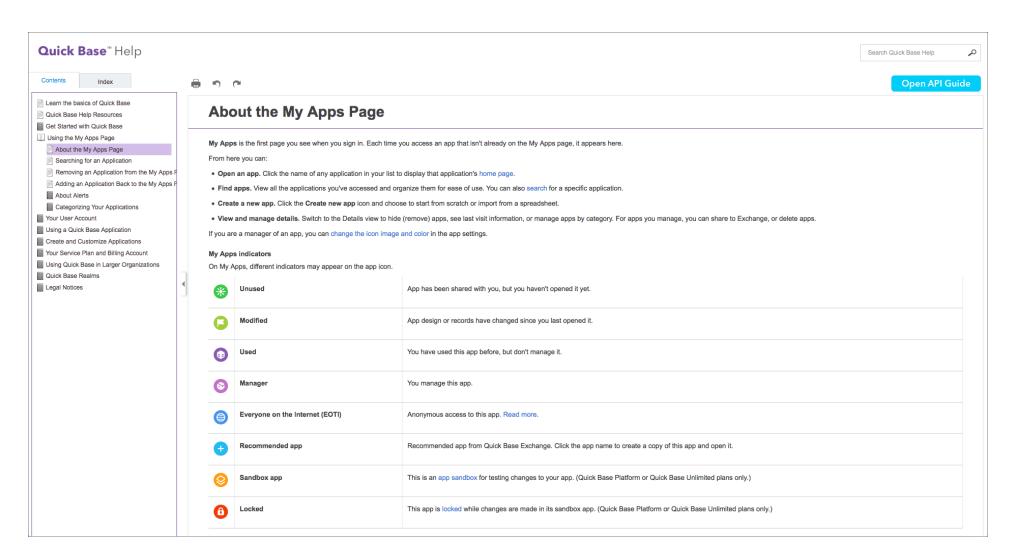
Dramatically improve the user experience for builders, admins, and end users through harmonious, internally-consistent design

#### **KEY RESULTS**

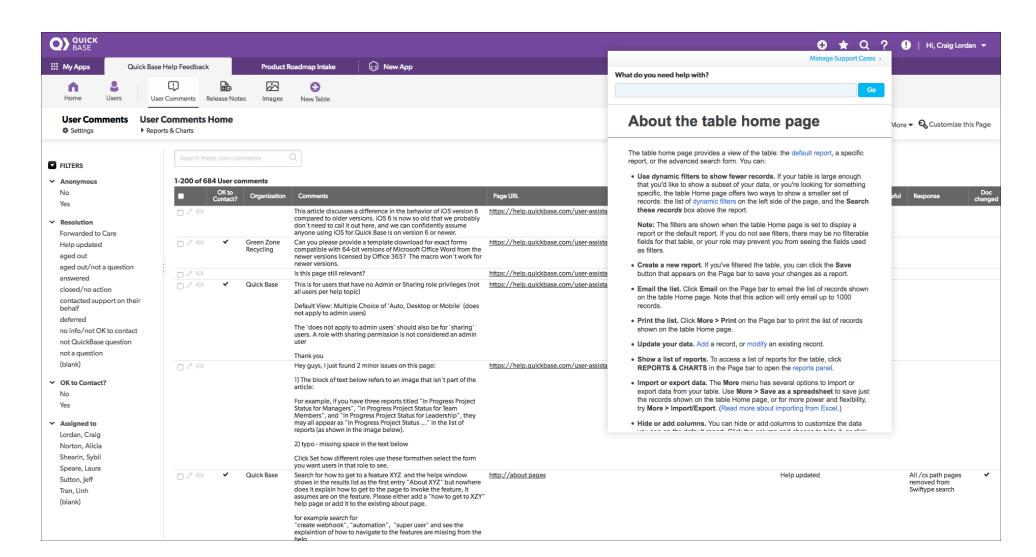
- Redesign Quick Base Help and Quick Base API Guide
- New home for monthly release notes at help.quickbase.com/release-notes
- New responsive experience for all help
- Add portal/persona home pages to create single site for external help content

## Current help

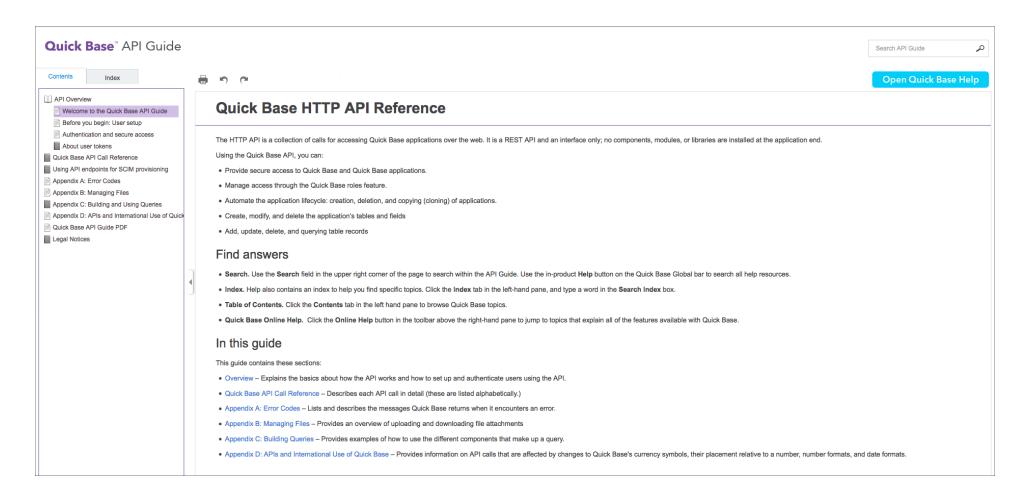
#### USER GUIDE at help.quickbase.com/user-assistance



#### **CONTEXT-SENSITIVE HELP inside Quick Base**



#### API GUIDE at help.quickbase.com/api-guide



#### **RECENT IMPROVEMENTS**

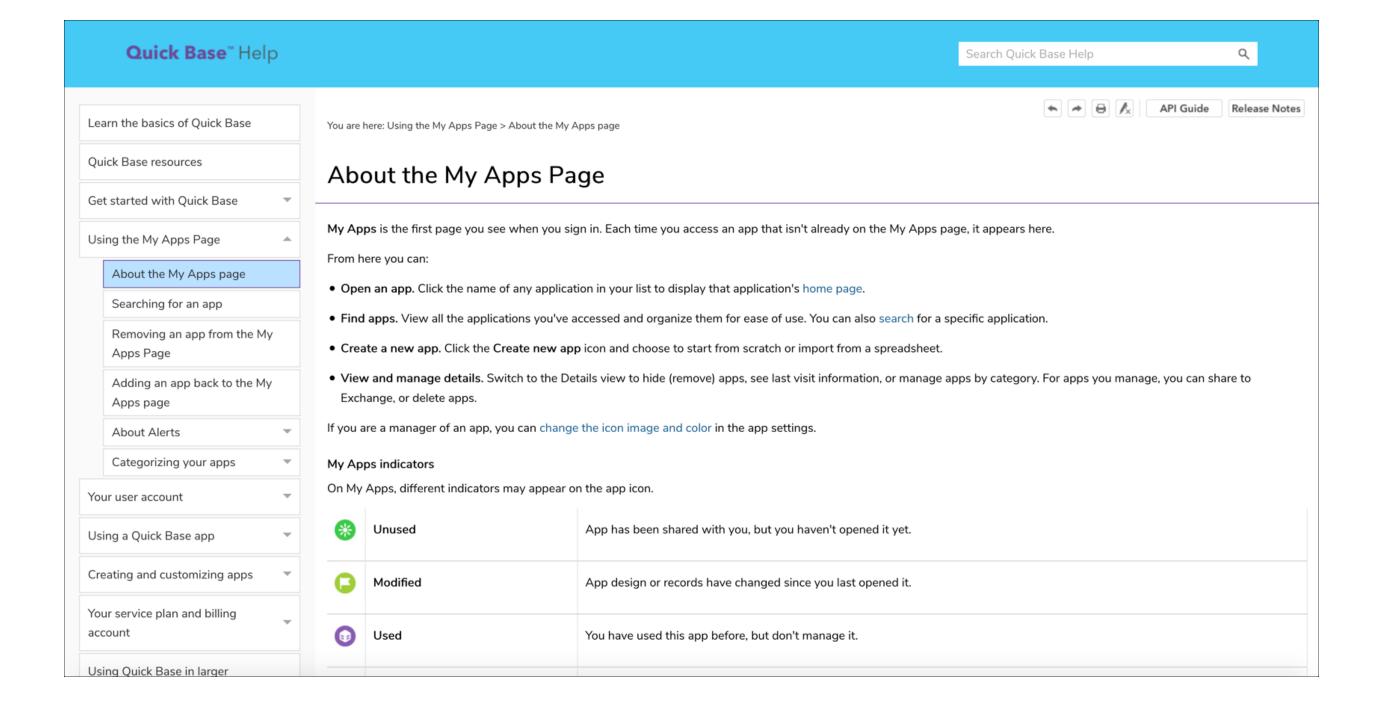
- **GitHub repo:** All content now managed in QuickBase/QuickBaseHelp repository
- On-demand publishing: help.quickbase.com moved to AWS S3 instance (Publishing previously tied to monthly product releases)
- **Help menu:** Clicking the ? help icon now includes context-sensitive topics

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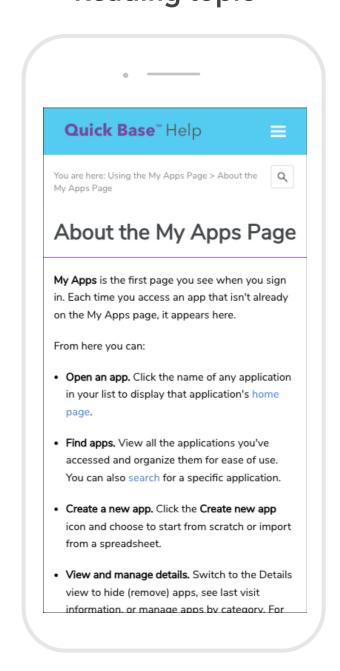
## Visual upgrade • new release notes • Dec 2018

# NEW VISUALS Font, layout, branding



#### **RESPONSIVE**

#### Reading topic Navigating



# Learn the basics of Quick Base Quick Base Help Resources Quick Base Help Resources Get Started with Quick Base Using the My Apps Page About the My Apps Page Searching for an Application Removing an Application

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Applications

Your User Account

Using a Quick Base

Create and Customize

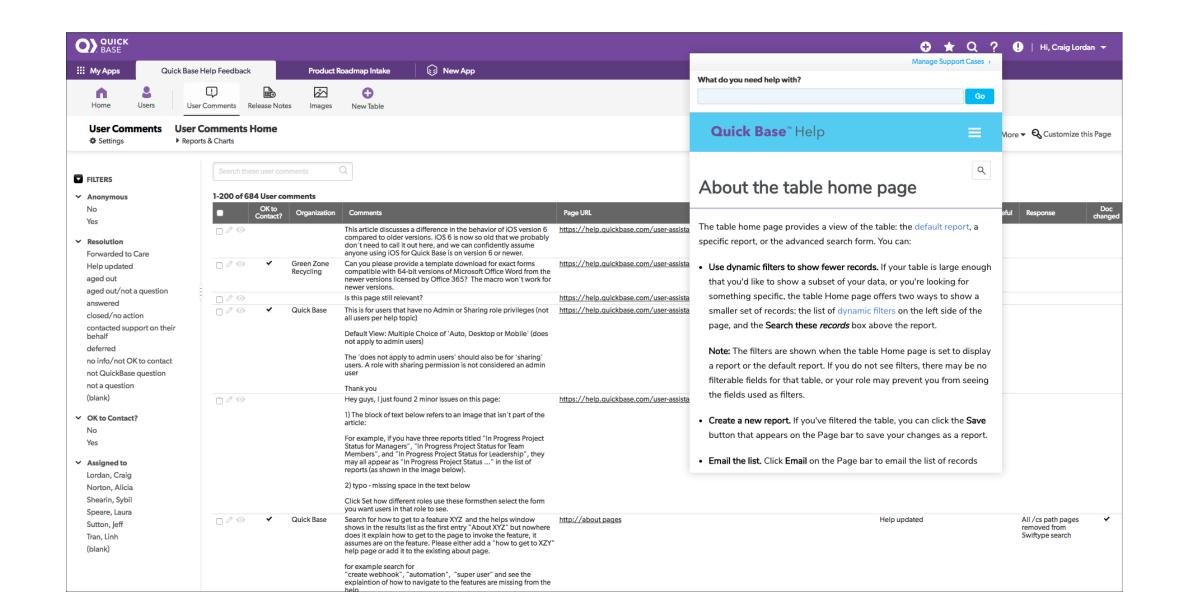
Application

Categorizing Your

Adding an Application Back

#### CONTEXT-SENSITIVE HELP

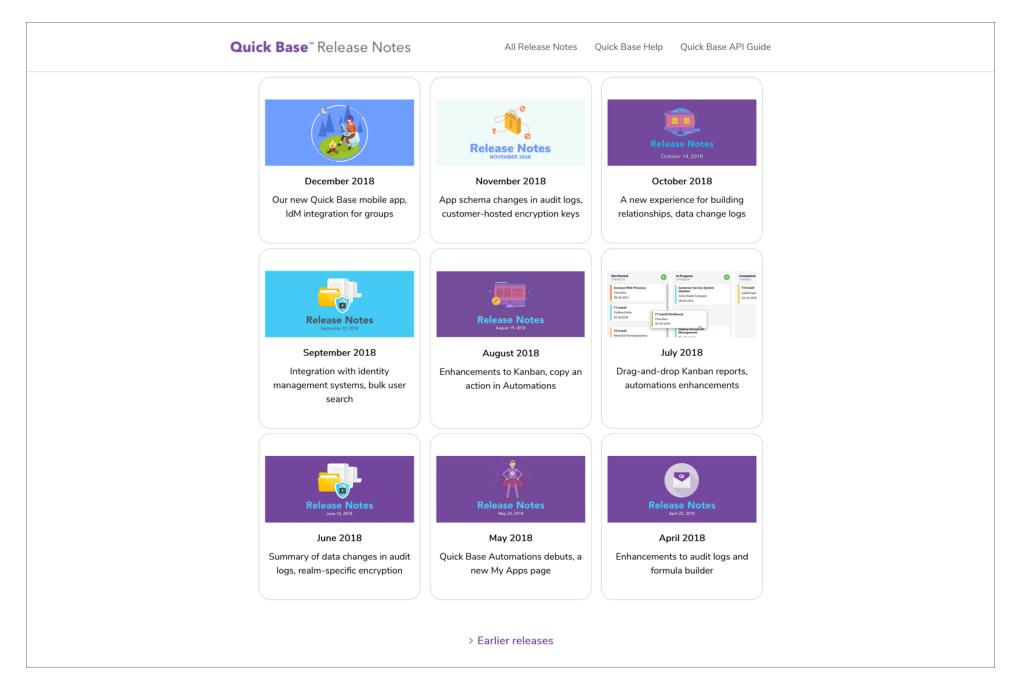
From Quick Base help menu



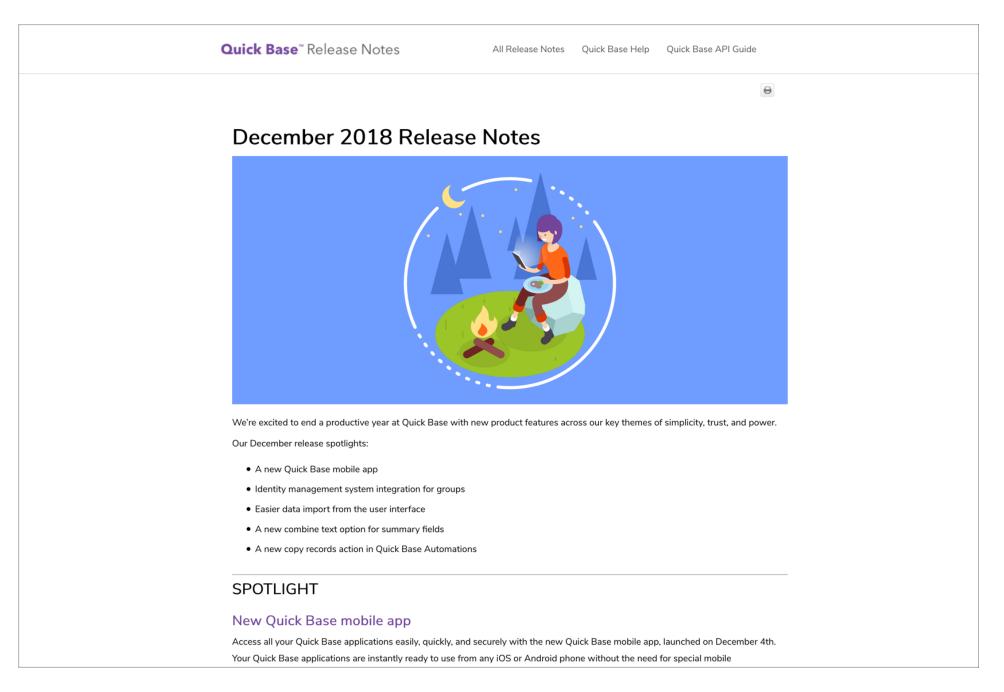
#### HIGHLIGHTS

- New home for release notes
- Upgrade visuals for user guide and API Guide
- Change font to match Quick Base product
- Add responsiveness for use on phones and tablets
- Use contemporary HTML5 page layout for navigation and topics

#### NEW RELEASE NOTES HOME



#### NEW RELEASE NOTES DECEMBER 2018



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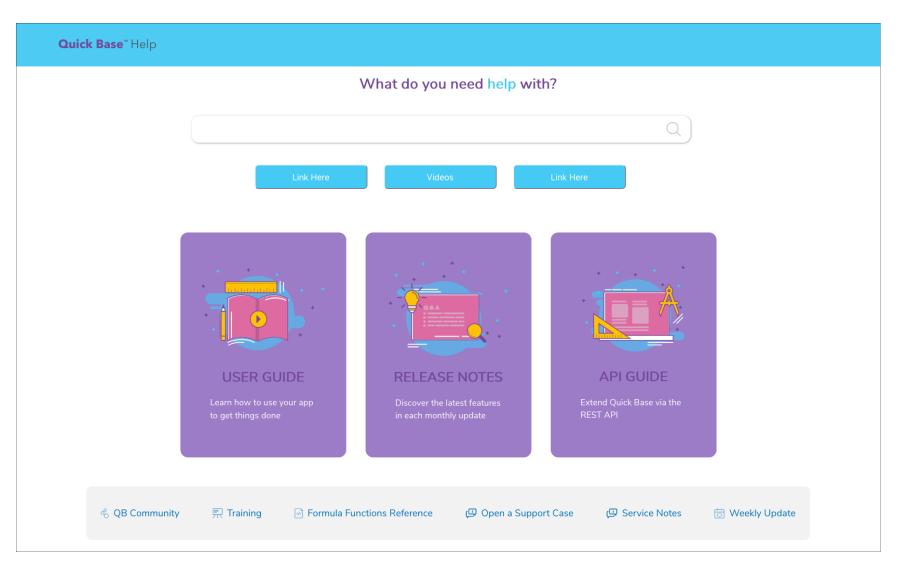
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## Redesign phase 2 • portal page • Q1 2019

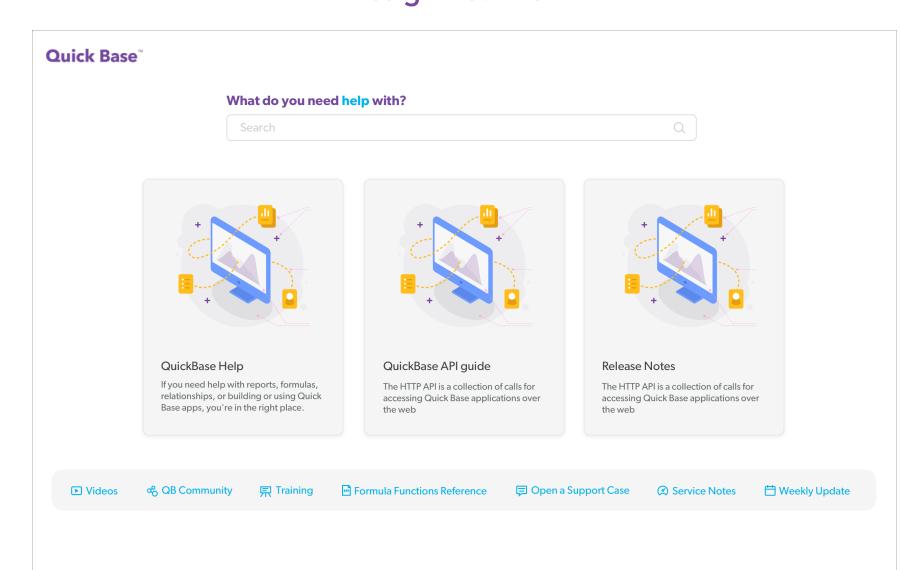
#### **HELP PORTAL**

Home page for help, release notes, and resources

#### **Design treatment #1**



#### Design treatment #2



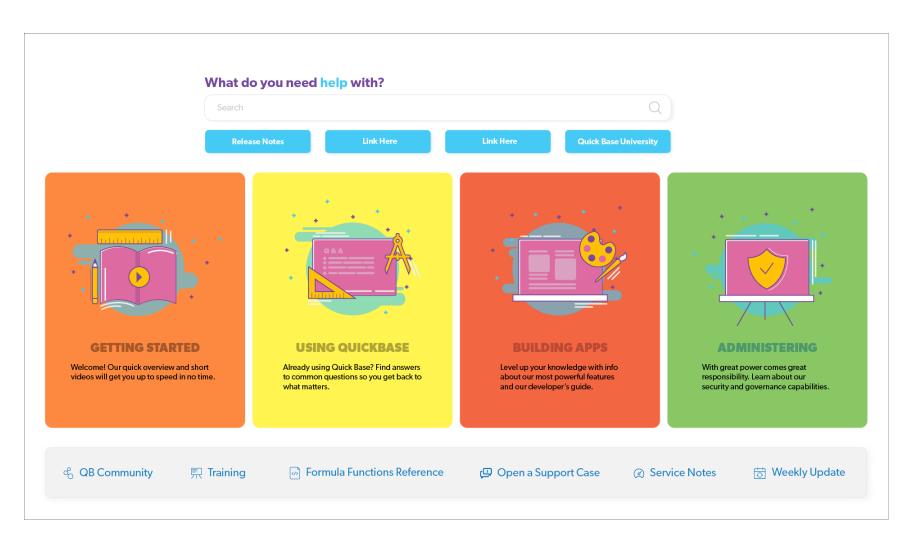
#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Conduct user testing of home page and help topics
- Launch new home page for help.quickbase.com
- Add new spot for monthly release notes
- Provide easy search for help topics
- Set stage for phase 3 (persona home page)

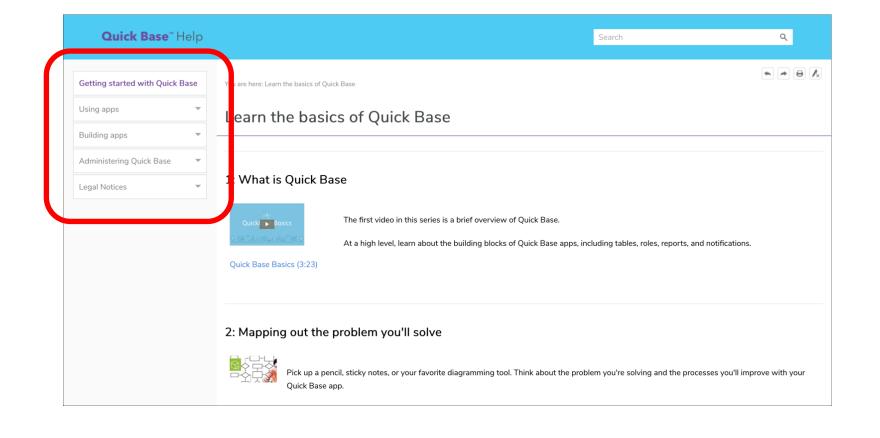
# Redesign phase 3 • persona page • Q2 2019

# PERSONA PORTAL Add user types to guidance

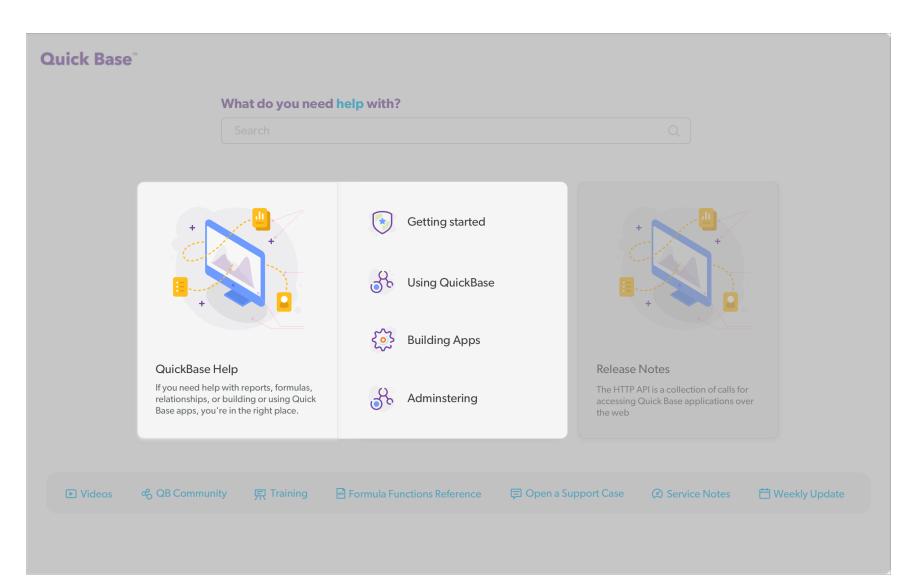
#### Design treatment #1



NEW INFORMATION ARCHITECTURE
Streamlined navigation



#### Design treatment #2



#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Conduct further user testing based on personas
- Introduce new persona-based paths for accessing help
- Improve information architecture and topic navigation
- Set stage for future phase focusing on topic templates