Access Denied Error When Using Course Availability Lock Tool

When an Instructor uses the Lock button in a Course to make it Available/Unavailable, an error is thrown.

**SAMPLE ERROR MESSAGE**

Access Denied
Either you are not logged in or you do not have the appropriate privileges to perform this action. You may have access to other parts of the course.
<timestamp>

If you make the course available using another method, however, the lock will continue to display as unavailable.

**Workaround:**

Option #1 - Set the course status from the Course list page. Choose Open when you're ready for students to participate.

Option #2 - Modify the course's properties to change the course availability.

- Related FAQ -> How do I make a course available or unavailable to students in Blackboard?

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