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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