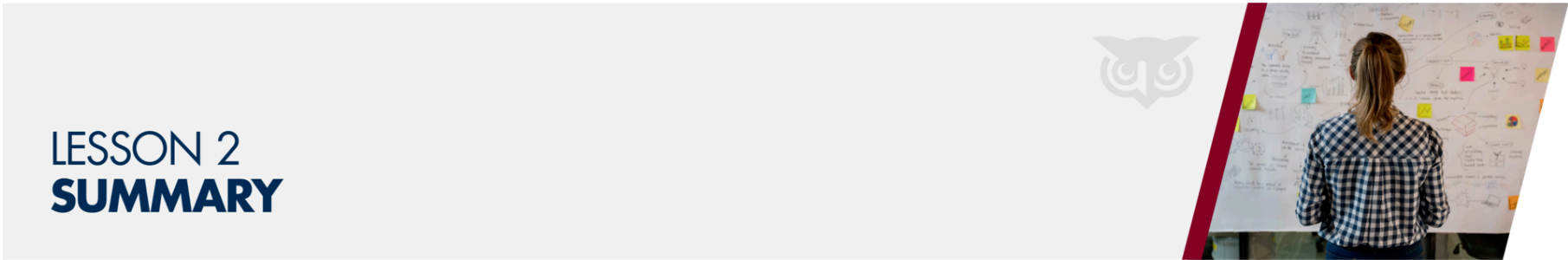


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Take a moment to think about what you learned in this lesson. When considering systems archetypes:

- Use them as one of several available tools to help analyze systems.
- Consider each archetype's causal loops and corresponding BOT graphs. Remember, however, that these are only generic examples.
- Consider the description of each archetype.
- Try on different archetypes to find the one that best fits a given situation.

When using the archetypes to solve real problems:

- Read each one's guidelines.
- Map out the proposed intervention.
- Identify key variables and expected behavior over time.
- Conduct controlled experiments.
- Involve all the stakeholders.
- Make a long-term commitment to a selected change.

## Next Step

Now move on to the lesson quiz.

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