

# Preface

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This user guide describes how to use the Cisco Unified Communications Manager Assistant (Manager Assistant). It is written for the managers and assistants who are using it.

The guide is organized into these topics:

- “[Introduction](#)”—Manager Assistant description, the shared-line and proxy-line modes, and how to identify which mode you are using.
- “[Getting Started with Assistant Console](#)”—Overview of the Assistant Console.
- “[Using the Assistant Console to Handle Calls](#)”—Using the Assistant Console to handle and monitor calls and features for one to five managers.
- “[For Assistants—Using the Manager Assistant on Your Phone](#)”—Using Manager Assistant on the assistant’s Cisco Unified IP Phone.
- “[For Managers—Using Your Phone with the Manager Assistant](#)”—Using Manager Assistant on the manager’s Cisco Unified IP Phone.
- “[Configuring Manager Features](#)”—How assistants and managers can customize manager features in the Manager Configuration window.

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## Using Online Help

The Manager Assistant interface provides task-oriented and context-sensitive help from most windows within the Manager Assistant user interface. To access help, click the ? button or click **Help** in the menu bar, which is located along the top of the console.

After you open the help window, you can click **Search** to search the entire guide by keyword. (The Search feature may not function in some versions of online help.)

Click **View PDF** for a PDF of the entire guide.

## Related Documentation

For more information, see the Cisco Unified IP Phone documentation at this URL:

[http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/hw/phones/ps379/tsd\\_products\\_support\\_series\\_home.html](http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/hw/phones/ps379/tsd_products_support_series_home.html)

## Obtaining Documentation and Submitting a Service Request

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