

Own It!

5 Tips For Managing Your Career And Performance

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My Beliefs

- » Great conversations start with a question
- » Honest conversations: Foundation of great relationships
- » In great organizations, everyone leads
- » Motivation: Fear vs Love
- » Talent + Work
- » Individuals own development / organizations support
- » TRUST is a gift
- » All organizations have A, B, C players



Conversation #1: Tell me about yourself? (1 minute / person)



"Tell me about yourself?"

What 1 word stood out for you in their answer?

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Tip #1: Own It



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It is time, in our society, when we thought it worthwhile to try a noble experiment: to stop giving the job-hunter a fish, half a fish, or no fish at all; and instead, teach him/her how to fish.

Year? 1978

Richard Nelson Bolles What Color Is Your Parachute?



Tip #1: Own It

No fish for you. Learn to fish #career #ownit #buildyourparachute #hopeitopens

@ParachuteBolles



Tip #2: Cultivate Self-Awareness



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- » People cannot be 'fixed'
- » Change is a choice



IQ vs EQ (Emotional Quotient)

- » Self-Awareness
- » Self-Management
- » Social Awareness
- » Relationship Management



Jim's Talent?





Talent

- » Gallup's Definition: Thought, feeling or behavior that can be productively applied
- »Talents: 24 x 7
- »Strength = Talent + Skill + Knowledge
- » Development is NOT about fixing weaknesses



Tip #3: Create a Target



"What do you want to be doing in 2-5 years?"

How do you REALLY want to answer that question?

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Target: Key Benefits

- Easier for others to help
- Basis for intermediate goals
- Changes can be managed





Short Term: Next 12-18 months

What challenges are you looking for?
What do you want to do more of? Less of?
Problems you see that you want to solve?

Long Term:

What do you want to be doing in 2-5 years?



Tip #4: Commit to Mastery



Mastery

Artist!

EGO

Mentor

Productive





Tip #5: Find Partners



What is covered? What is needs work?

- Comforter/Encourager
- Challenger
- Expert/Mentor
- Connector

- Accountability Partner
- ☐ Coach / Questioner
- ☐ Listener



Tip #5.5: Hone the Habits



Tip #5.5: The Habits

- 1x/year This past year? Learnings?
- 1x/year This next year? Learnings?
- 2x/year How am I doing vs my goals?
- Monthly networking
- All the time Learn about others



Final Steps - Stay Connected

- 1. C - S - T on business card. I will draw 1 winner to receive a packet of resources for developing yourself and your people and 1 hour of free coaching. I have a NO SPAM promise.
- 2. Links to all the resources I have talked about are at: thetrugroup.com/training-and-keynote-speaking/ownit



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