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Coaching and Mentoring for Academic Development - Kay Guccione
2021-03-30

Learning through dialogue brings a powerful opportunity to navigate professional demands and meet the challenges of a turbulent world. Written for all who mentor or coach in universities, this book addresses a critical question: how can mentoring and coaching be an effective and accessible way to support researcher and academic development?

Narrative Coaching - David B. Drake 2017-12-05

REAL CHANGE IN REAL TIME--THE ULTIMATE GUIDE TO WORKING WITH PEOPLE'S STORIES IN COACHING This is a rare book; it is grounded in both a deep academic rigor and a deep personal understanding of how people change. It is a treasure chest of information and insights based in over twenty years of experience. It will enable you to get to the crux of people's issues in less time and help them make significant shifts in the moment. This book is an indispensable resource for anyone who works with people's stories and wants to develop themselves so they have more impact. The tools and models are presented in simple and clear language. However, there is a depth here

that offers a limitless guide for your learning. Narrative Coaching is timely because it works at the level of identities, addresses the collective narratives that shape our stories, and expands the roles and modalities we can use to bring about transformational change with individuals and teams. What is new in this edition: It goes deeper into attachment theory and applied mindfulness It offers design thinking as a framework for adult development It shows how change is a naturally human and integrative process It offers more examples and cases, e.g., how to coach without goals This book will both challenge you and inspire you to think in new ways about what is possible in your life and in your practice.

[Business Coaching & Mentoring For Dummies](#) - Marie Taylor 2017-07-17

Shape the leadership of tomorrow Business Coaching & Mentoring For Dummies provides business owners and managers with the insight they need to successfully develop the next generation of leaders. Packed with business-led strategies, key concepts, and effective techniques, this book equips you with the skills to transform both yourself and your team.

Whether you're coaching colleagues, employees, or offering your skills as a service, these techniques will help you build a productive relationship

that leads to business success. The companion website also features eight bonus videos that will further your mastery by showing you what great coaching looks like in action. Navigate tricky situations and emotional minefields with ease; develop vision, values, and a mission; create a long-term plan—everything you need is here, with expert guidance every step of the way. Understand how mentoring benefits both sides of the relationship Learn key coaching techniques that develop leadership potential Adopt new tools that facilitate coaching and mentoring interactions The modern workplace is a mix of generations, personalities, strengths, weaknesses, and quirks; great leadership can pull it all together toward a common goal, but who leads the leaders? Mentors and coaches fill this essential role, and this book shows you how to be one of the best.

Becoming an Effective Leader, Coach and Mentor EBOOK BUNDLE - Brian Tracy 2013-09-20

3 E-Books in One 12 Disciplines of Leadership Excellence Master the 12 disciplines of powerful leadership and lead your organization to greatness Leadership experts Brian Tracy and Dr. Peter Chee assert that great leaders are made, not born. Everyone has the ability to shape himself or herself into the kind of person who enables and uplifts others to reach their highest potential--and in 12 Disciplines of Leadership Excellence, they reveal exactly how to achieve it. It all starts with discipline. In this groundbreaking book, the authors break down great leadership into 12 disciplines, including: Clarity . . . about who you are, where you are going, and how to get there Control . . . build and bolster your sense of personal responsibility and self-mastery Character . . . dedicate yourself to passionately build trust with honesty and integrity Competence . . . commit to constant never-ending improvement and learning Caring . . . because when you care, your people care in building great working relationships Courage . . . moving out of your comfort zone to embrace change and make tough decisions Coaching for Breakthrough Success A powerful new coaching method from Chicken Soup for the Soul co-creator Jack Canfield! Combining time-tested principles of exemplary coaches with the latest disruptive techniques used by the

world's top performing leaders, Coaching for Breakthrough Success is a playbook that shows you how to nurture—in yourself and others—the three essential requirements of coaching excellence: 1. HEART: The Coaching Principles (TCP) unveils the secret to life impacting values, beliefs, and philosophies that permeate all aspects of great coaching. 2. MIND: The Situational Coaching Model (SCM) unleashes the genius of a coach to apply the right combination of crucial paradigms in any given coaching challenge. 3. ENERGY: The Achievers Coaching Techniques (ACT) equips you with proven methods that enable you to deliver breakthrough results in coaching. Coaching for Breakthrough Success is packed with stirring personal stories, life changing case studies, crucial coaching conversations, exemplary coaching questions, and ready-to use tools that equip you to achieve professional mastery in coaching. Becoming an Effective Mentoring Leader Turn mentoring into PROFITS Becoming an Effective Mentoring Leader breaks down the essentials of mentoring, and shows you how to take advantage of this valuable new workplace dynamic. You'll learn: The smartest way to incorporate mentoring into your day-to-day leadership role The fastest way to equip, inspire, and motivate your staff The differences between mentoring, coaching, and teaching How you as a leader can rate the mentors in your office - and assess the progress of mentees Using case studies, tools, and impactful learning concepts, the authors show you how to use mentoring's "core skills" to create a winning approach tailored to your own style, be it the "reflective mentor," the "storytelling mentor," or "the example-based mentor."

The Mentor's Way - Rik Nemanick 2016-12-08

Drawing on the author's extensive experience training mentors, The Mentor's Way outlines eight rules for engaging in a mentoring relationship. Nemanick examines the ways in which mentoring differs from managing or leading, and details the various roles of the mentor as a role model, motivator, confidant, coach, and more. Readers will learn how to develop successfully in each of these roles while helping a protégé to develop his or her own skills. Clear and elegant chapters, each prefaced with a real-world example, emphasize to readers that their

role as a mentor lies in listening and responding to a protégé's individual strengths and needs. Special attention is paid to creating a safe space, displaying empathy, and fielding a protégé's questions while knowing what to ask as a mentor. The author takes the anxiety out of the mentorship journey, accompanying practical insight with chapter exercises that are designed to help readers use their own experiences to identify best practice. Suggested topics for difficult mentor/protégé conversations allow readers to facilitate a stronger, more open relationship with their protégé. This practical guide will provide mentors with the toolkit they need to get the most out of a relationship with their protégés.

Coaching the Team at Work 2 - David Clutterbuck 2020-04-21

'This book is a must for anyone involved in organizational coaching' Adrian Moorhouse, Managing Director, Lane4 & Olympic Gold Medallist Coaching the Team at Work, 4e is the result of research over 20 years with practising team coaches and with major corporations around the world. It recognises that in a complex and constantly evolving business and social environment, teams can only keep up if they adapt frequently. But to adapt, they must have clarity about their internal and external systems and how these contribute to or undermine performance. There are multiple aspects of team function that underpins performance - and each influences and is influenced by the others. This revised edition explores the six most significant aspects: * Purpose and motivation * Systems and processes relating to external stakeholders * Relationships, especially within the team * Systems and processes relating to internal functions (such as quality and decision-making) * Learning (how the team adapts to keep up with the pace of change) * Leadership (how the functions of leadership are exercised within the team) When these aspects are aligned, a team can perform at its best; but when any one or more of the aspects is malfunctioning, the result is underperformance. This book helps team coaches develop their skills to support teams in understanding these complex dynamics and, as a result, in developing more effective ways of working together.

The Manager's Path - Camille Fournier 2017-03-13

Managing people is difficult wherever you work. But in the tech industry, where management is also a technical discipline, the learning curve can be brutal—especially when there are few tools, texts, and frameworks to help you. In this practical guide, author Camille Fournier (tech lead turned CTO) takes you through each stage in the journey from engineer to technical manager. From mentoring interns to working with senior staff, you'll get actionable advice for approaching various obstacles in your path. This book is ideal whether you're a new manager, a mentor, or a more experienced leader looking for fresh advice. Pick up this book and learn how to become a better manager and leader in your organization. Begin by exploring what you expect from a manager Understand what it takes to be a good mentor, and a good tech lead Learn how to manage individual members while remaining focused on the entire team Understand how to manage yourself and avoid common pitfalls that challenge many leaders Manage multiple teams and learn how to manage managers Learn how to build and bootstrap a unifying culture in teams

Building A Coaching Culture : How Managers As Coaches Can Include And Develop New Employees Successfully - Andreas von der Heydt 2021-12-01

The speed and complexity of change in business practice has never been greater than today. Navigating this “new and lasting norm” requires for any organization, besides other factors, two principal elements: Managers and leaders who are capable of coaching their team members as well as a new type of workforce that can quickly adapt to changing environments, can acquire new skills necessary to be successful in the future, and is willing and capable of stepping up to take over responsibility. The book argues that internal coaching is an excellent tool to onboard, integrate, and develop (new) employees. Successful coaching will result in higher job satisfaction (for both coach and coachee), better work and business results, and superior retention levels: A long-term win for both the organization, its employees, and customers. Based on extensive interviews with both tenured leaders and new employees, focus groups with learning & development experts, and a comprehensive

literature research as well as the author's own in-depth coaching knowledge and expertise, this book proposes an academically researched, developed, and validated model of eight dimensions of successful coaching as well as a five-step implementation plan which can be used as an impactful framework to embed coaching skills in organizational settings to create a sustainable and growth-generating coaching culture.

Life Coaching Activities and Powerful Questions - Phyllis Reardon 2010

This book is designed for life coaches, career coaches, counselors, parents, teachers, managers, human resource personnel ... all who work to build the potential of others--from the publisher.

Life Coaching Questions - Phyllis Reardon 2012-03-01

Life Coaching Questions, a coaching tool. This book provides the Life Coach with the following: An understanding of the Parts of Life for each and every individual client; Information on the Success Skills needed by the client to be successful in Life and Work; Powerful Life Coaching Questions to assist in the awareness and development of these Success Skills. This book shows you the Where and When to ask these powerful life coaching questions. In my life coaching practice I focus on 10 Life/Work Success Skills. In this book I describe each of these skills. The 10 Life Skills needed for success in Life/Work are each described separately and then I offer you 25 powerful life coaching questions to assist in the development and/or enhancement of these 10 essential skills. This gives you, the life coach, a total of 250 powerful life coaching questions to use in your practice. As some of these questions may be interchangeable there is potential for hundreds of more questions. This is a lot of powerful asking!! This book shows you the Where and When to ask these powerful questions.

Instructional Coaching - Jim Knight 2007-05-01

An innovative professional development strategy that facilitates change, improves instruction, and transforms school culture! Instructional coaching is a research-based, job-embedded approach to instructional intervention that provides the assistance and encouragement necessary to implement school improvement programs. Experienced trainer and

researcher Jim Knight describes the "nuts and bolts" of instructional coaching and explains the essential skills that instructional coaches need, including getting teachers on board, providing model lessons, and engaging in reflective conversations. Each user-friendly chapter includes: First-person stories from successful coaches Sidebars highlighting important information A "Going Deeper" section of suggested resources Ready-to-use forms, worksheets, checklists, logs, and reports

RESULTS Coaching - Kathryn Kee 2010-08-09

Discover how RESULTS coaching can foster continuous growth and improvement in your entire staff! RESULTS coaching is a leadership model based on coaching relationships with staff members to help them grow as professionals. Built upon the International Coach Federation standards and coaching competencies, this resource for "coach-leaders" offers: A navigation system for creative thinking and solution finding Effective communication methods, such as committed listening, powerful paraphrasing, and reflective feedback Testimonials of coach-leaders describing the impact of results coaching Strategies, tools, and questions for conducting open and reflective conversations

Playing Big - Tara Mohr 2014

A Huffington Post columnist and women's leadership expert outlines practical skills that women can use to implement positive change, covering such topics as self-esteem and how to overcome sabotaging gender rules of conduct. 50,000 first printing.

Coaching Supervision - David Clutterbuck 2016-03-31

Just like the coaching relationship, supervision is most successful when it is a collaborative endeavour, with both parties clear on their roles and the process. Coaching Supervision is an intensely practical book providing guidance on when, why and how to seek supervision, and on how coaches can make the most of the supervision they receive. Written by experienced supervisors who have a deep understanding of the field, and drawing on research into good practice internationally, this book: Explains what supervision is and how it differs from other 'helping conversations' Provides a step by step approach to choosing a supervisor

Advises on how to structure the coach/mentor development journey
Explores a breadth of activities that enhance reflective practice Shows
how supervision is an integral element of professional coaching and
mentoring This practical guide will be vital reading for all established
and trainee coaches and mentors participating in the supervision
process, either as supervisors or supervisees.

The Science of Effective Mentorship in STEMM - National
Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine 2020-01-24
Mentorship is a catalyst capable of unleashing one's potential for
discovery, curiosity, and participation in STEMM and subsequently
improving the training environment in which that STEMM potential is
fostered. Mentoring relationships provide developmental spaces in which
students' STEMM skills are honed and pathways into STEMM fields can
be discovered. Because mentorship can be so influential in shaping the
future STEMM workforce, its occurrence should not be left to chance or
idiosyncratic implementation. There is a gap between what we know
about effective mentoring and how it is practiced in higher education.
The Science of Effective Mentorship in STEMM studies mentoring
programs and practices at the undergraduate and graduate levels. It
explores the importance of mentorship, the science of mentoring
relationships, mentorship of underrepresented students in STEMM,
mentorship structures and behaviors, and institutional cultures that
support mentorship. This report and its complementary interactive guide
present insights on effective programs and practices that can be adopted
and adapted by institutions, departments, and individual faculty
members.

Coaching Questions - Randy Wayne 2016-08-08

Discover How to Take Full Advantage of Your Coaching Sessions by
Asking the Right Questions: For many of us, the concept of coaching and
life coaching might be something we are not used to. All too often, there
are times when we as people assume that we understand how something
works when in truth it is not always that way. However, the element of
coaching can help you understand what you need to know about this, and
over time, you will be able to really get what you need with this, and

sometimes, it makes a coaching session that much better. With this book,
Coaching Questions, you will be able to take whatever issues you have at
hand and work on them. This book will guide you in the right direction,
and by the end of this, you will know exactly how to be the best coach
you can be, and the best client to a coach as well. These main areas will
be mentioned within the book, Coaching Questions: Importance and
Various Types Coaching out There Questions for a Coach to Ask the
Client Questions for a Coach to Ask Himself Questions for a Client to Ask
the Coach Questions for a Client to Ask Himself Take action right away
to start taking full advantage of your coaching sessions by asking the
right questions. Just download this book, "Coaching Questions".. For a
limited amount of time, the price will be at \$2.99, so get your book now!
Download Today!

Everyone Needs a Mentor - David Clutterbuck 2001

Today, even more British and European companies believe in mentoring,
and their experiences clearly reveal its potential as a rapid and cost-
effective method of management development. David Clutterbuck
examines the benefits of mentoring for both individuals and the
company, and shows how it can play a crucial role in fostering talent at
work.

The Coaches' Handbook - Jonathan Passmore 2020-10-16

This comprehensive practitioner guide provides an accessible evidenced
based approach aimed at those new to coaching and who may be
undertaking coach training for a certificate in coaching or professional
credentials or accreditation with the AC, ICF, EMCC, CMI or ILM. The
book will also be useful for those who want to enhance their coaching
skills. The Coaches Handbook is edited by Jonathan Passmore, an
internationally respected expert and executive coach, with chapters from
leading coaching practitioners from across the world. The book is divided
into seven sections. Section one examines the nature of coaching, its
boundaries, the business case for coaching and how organisations can
build a coaching culture. Section two focuses on deepening our self-
understanding and understanding our clients, the non-violent
communications mindset and the coaching relationship. Section three

focuses on the key skills needed for coaching including goal setting, powerful questions, active listening, using direct communications and the role of silence, emotions and challenge in coaching. Section four offers a range of coaching approaches including behavioural, person-centred, solution-focused, psychodynamic, neuroscience, narrative, positive psychology, out-door eco-coaching, team coaching, careers coaching and integrated coaching. Section five focuses on fundamental issues in coaching such as ethics and contracting and evaluation. Section six explores continuous professional development, reflection and the role of supervision, as well as how to establish your coaching business. The final section contains a host of coaching tools which practitioners can use to broaden their practice. Unique in its scope, this key text will be essential reading for coaches, academics and students of coaching. It is an important text for anyone seeking to understand the best practice approaches that can be applied to their coaching practice, including human resources, learning and development and management professionals, and executives in a coaching role.

Failing Up - Leslie Odom, Jr. 2018-03-27

Leslie Odom Jr., burst on the scene in 2015, originating the role of Aaron Burr in the Broadway musical phenomenon Hamilton. Since then, he has performed for sold-out audiences, sung for the Obamas at the White House, and won a Tony Award for Best Leading Actor in a Musical. But before he landed the role of a lifetime in one of the biggest musicals of all time, Odom put in years of hard work as a singer and an actor. With personal stories from his life, Odom asks the questions that will help you unlock your true potential and achieve your goals even when they seem impossible. What work did you put in today that will help you improve tomorrow? How do you surround yourself with people who will care about your dreams as much as you do? How do you know when to play it safe and when to risk it all for something bigger and better? These stories will inspire you, motivate you, and empower you for the greatness that lies ahead, whether you're graduating from college, starting a new job, or just looking to live each day to the fullest.

The Mentor Leader - Tony Dungy 2010

Draws on biblical principles to offer insights into the key concepts of mentor leadership, focusing on the importance of building meaningful relationships with others to significantly impact team performance.

Ask Powerful Questions - Will Wise 2017-04-22

What is revealed when you authentically connect with the people around you? In *Ask Powerful Questions*, Will Wise explains how the questions we traditionally ask are virtually meaningless when it comes to establishing connection. Introducing a set of practical tools for accessing and understanding others by changing the way we ask questions, Will shows how to transform "How are you?-I'm fine, thanks" into a conversation that changes not only how you lead, but who you are as a person. It took years of research, university teaching, and hundreds of client projects for Will to formulate his concept behind the art of asking powerful questions. In his book, Will breaks it down into six simple steps for all of us to be able to understand. The Asking Powerful Questions Pyramid(TM) shows you how to build: Intention Rapport Openness Listening Empathy Business professionals, personal coaches, teachers and anyone in a position of leadership will relate to the personal successes and failures Will shares as he unpacks the art of asking questions that elicit unconventional answers. Powerful questions can be used everywhere: from the board room to the city park, the dinner table to the grocery store. If you want to connect with employees at a team building retreat, hone your leadership skills as a new boss, improve the company culture where you work...this book is for you. If you want to navigate difficult conversations with your spouse or a friend, or practice presence-based listening with your kids...this book is for you. If you want to become a better educator and facilitate an ice breaker conversation with colleagues...this book is for you. *Ask Powerful Questions* invites the reader on a journey that explores: the clarity of intent, connecting through rapport, creating openness, reflective listening, and empathy. How can we explore the space between ourselves and others, and exchange meaningful perspectives? Just ask-powerfully.

Coaching Questions - Tony Stoltzfus 2008

The single most important skill in coaching is asking powerful questions.

In this volume, master coach trainer Tony Stoltzfus joins with 12 other professional coaches to present dozens of valuable asking tools, models and exercises, then illustrates these coaching strategies with over 1,000 examples of penetrating questions. Covering the gamut from basic techniques like options and actions to advanced concepts such as challenge and reframing, *Coaching Questions* is a book that will find a home on any coach's short list of handy references. *Coaching Questions: A Coach's Guide to Powerful Asking Skills* includes:

1. Dozens of asking tools, models, and strategies.
2. The top ten asking mistakes coaches make, and how to correct each one.
3. Nearly 1200 examples of powerful questions from real coaching situations.
4. Destiny discovery tools organized in a four-part life-purpose model.
5. Overviews of 15 popular coaching niches, with a tool and examples for each.
6. A schedule of training exercises to help you become a "Master of Asking".

The Final 8th - Bridgit Dengel Gaspard, LCSW 2020-09-15

Blocked? A Revolutionary Guide to Getting Unstuck Author Bridgit Dengel Gaspard coined the term "the final eighth" to describe a phenomenon she experienced herself and observed in others: talented, energetic, motivated people accomplish many steps toward a goal (seven-eighths of it) but then are mysteriously stalled. Practical tips and pep talks don't work because the problem — and the solution — lies deeper. While the conscious, everyday self says, "I want this," other inner selves worry that success will put them in some kind of danger. The powerful secret? Not every part of you wants what you think you want! The innovative technique of voice dialogue will help you communicate with your alter egos, whatever your goal is. In the process, you'll discover and liberate inner "wise counselors, canny advisers, and magical sages," transforming them into valuable allies who'll help you finally achieve your goals.

Life Coach Notebook - Planengine Designs 2020-01-11

Life coaching session note-taking notebook with a template to organize the client's session. Each two facing pages of this handy notebook have plenty of space to write Date, Time, Duration, Setting, Session number Client name and contacts What has happened since the last session? And

what is the client's feedback on his/her progress? Today's session goals and agreements Problems, limiting beliefs and Client's thoughts about the issue. Techniques used to coach the client on this issue Client's reactions, feeling about the session and key points of the session e.g. resistance, denying or new learning, awareness, acceptance, paradigm shift moments Future pacing, action points to be taken and timeline Accountability and Follow up plan Next session goals Next session date, time, setting Specifications Size: 6x9 inches, medium size that is easy to store and keep but yet has enough space to write. Pages count: 110 pages (55 sheets). Each two facing pages are designed to document one session. This notebook is enough to log about 50 coaching sessions. Cover and Binding: Printed soft glossy cover. Paperback binding so that it is easily stored and will not tangle with anything. Keep organized and document your life coaching sessions. Scroll up and buy your copy.

Coaching Skills for Leaders in the Workplace - Jackie Arnold 2013-10-10

This book provides instruction on the requirements for the Institute of Leadership and Management coaching & mentoring qualifications levels 5-7. As a leader, senior manager or executive, you are often required to act as a coach or mentor for your staff. This book will enable you to set up coaching programmes that can make a significant difference to staff retention and motivation. It will give you the knowledge and skills you need to encourage your staff to grow so that you can get on with your own essential leadership role. In this book you'll discover how to: - become an effective leader and coach *distinguish between coaching and mentoring - establish the right coaching climate *develop effective communication skills - set up the first coaching session *present a business case for coaching ...and much more. You'll also find out the various coaching models available and equip yourself with useful tools and exercises that you can employ in your coaching sessions. Contents: List of figures and tables; Acknowledgements; Introduction; 1. What is Coaching?; 2. Become an effective leader and coach; 3. Internal and external coaching; 4. The differences between coaching and mentoring; 5. Establishing the right climate; 6. Coaching Models; 7. Coaching tools and exercises; 8. Effective communication skills; 9. Analysing

communications to identify meaning; 10. Respecting others' worldviews and motivating your coachees; 11. Overcoming barriers to coaching and mentoring; 12. Understanding the role of power and authority; 13. Setting up the first session; 14. Presenting a business case for coaching; 15. Coaching supervision and super-vision; 16. Co-Coaching and team coaching; 17. Organisational approaches to coaching; Appendix 1: Sample forms and competences; Appendix 2: Controlling costs; Appendix 3: Case studies and evidence to support the value of coaching; Useful resources; Index

Delivering High Performance - Douglas G. Long 2016-05-13

Douglas Long is the author of *Third Generation Leadership* and the *Locus of Control* which focused on the new understanding of what influences individuals' values, world views and the behaviours needed to facilitate leadership fit for the future. Here, in *Delivering High Performance*, he concentrates on individual, unit and organisational performance when an organisation is using a Third Generation Leadership approach. Leaders constantly seek high performance and high levels of staff engagement; but achieving either depends on the competence and commitment of individuals or groups. The relationships between these factors are complex. Many people are competent to do things - they have the ability - but are not prepared to do them. They lack the willingness, confidence or motivation and the readiness to perform. You can even have the most committed and capable people in the world, yet still miss performance targets if there are issues with other factors impacting on performance. This book is a response to enquiries from those excited by the prospect of a Third Generation Leadership approach but who still have to grapple with performance issues - people who want to obtain and maintain high performing organisations. In that sense it builds on the new knowledge imparted in *Third Generation Leadership* and the *Locus of Control*. It is a 'How to ...' book that gives the reader practical tools that can be immediately applied and activities that can be undertaken in order to develop and maintain the required or even the desired level of performance.

[I'm Glad You Asked](#) - Bret Ehlers 2016-04-08

As a real estate investor you have lots of questions. This is all part of the process of learning real estate investing. The problem is most people don't have anyone to ask. Or even worse - ask someone that doesn't know how to make deals happen. With Bret's easy to understand question and answer format you will be guided down the right path. Bret's style will put you at ease as you see that each question is answered in a practical, informative, and powerful manner. These are real questions from real students who are just starting in real estate - all of them have something in common with you. In fact you will learn to overcome obstacles that all real estate investors face on a daily basis. With so many questions answered you will see that you are now ready to move forward in confidence as a real estate investor. Don't let unanswered questions and fears hold you back!

Making Coaching Work - David Clutterbuck 2005

Coaching can work brilliantly. It can help you improve your employee retention levels, succession planning, and organisational creativity. In a supportive culture, managers, coaches and coachees all trust each other and work together. Sadly, even the best-managed coaching programme, with the best coaches, will fail in the real world where the coaching takes place doesn't match the fine words from HR. Spending money on coaching without first ensuring that the groundwork has been done is a fast track to failure. Make sure your training and development budget delivers what you need by first creating a culture that supports coaching.

Do More Great Work - Michael Bungay Stanier 2010-02-22

You work hard. You put in the hours. Yet you feel like you are constantly treading water with "Good Work" that keeps you going but never quite moves you ahead. Or worse, you are mired in "Bad Work"—endless meetings and energy-draining bureaucratic traps. *Do More Great Work* gets to the heart of the problem: Even the best performers are spending less than a fraction of their time doing "Great Work"—the kind of innovative work that pushes us forward, stretches our creativity, and truly satisfies us. Michael Bungay Stanier, Canadian Coach of the Year in 2006, is a business consultant who's found a way to move us away from bad work (and even good work), and toward more time spent doing great

work. When you're up to your eyeballs answering e-mail, returning phone calls, attending meetings and scrambling to get that project done, you can turn to this inspirational, motivating, and at times playful book for invaluable guidance. In fifteen exercises, *Do More Great Work* shows how you can finally do more of the work that engages and challenges you, that has a real impact, that plays to your strengths—and that matters. The exercises are "maps"—brilliantly simple visual tools that help you find, start and sustain Great Work, revealing how to: Find clues to your own Great Work—they're all around you Locate the sweet spot between what you want to do and what your organization wants you to do Generate new ideas and possibilities quickly Best manage your overwhelming workload Double the likelihood that you'll do what you want to do All it takes is ten minutes a day, a pencil and a willingness to change. *Do More Great Work* will not only help you identify what the Great Work of your life is, it will tell you how to do it.

Coaching Understood - Elaine Cox 2012-11-12

'This book is a milestone in the coaching literature. Elaine Cox provides an excellent text that is scholarly, practical and accessible. She offers clear insights into how coaching works so that coaching is truly understood!' - Bob Garvey, Professor of Business Education, York St John Business School 'The development of the coaching literature has often been protracted and modest. In recent years, few coaching texts provided a significant leap forward in our understanding of psychological dynamics of coaching. For this reason, Cox's *Coaching Understood* is a game changer. More thoroughly and systematically than ever before, this work gets under the bonnet of the coaching engine and explores the mechanics of the coaching process. For anyone wondering why coaching works, this book is your answer.' - Yossi Ives, Tag International Development, UK (International Journal of Evidence Based Coaching Mentoring) *Coaching Understood* takes a fresh approach to coaching skills and techniques by examining each element of the coaching process in detail in order to verify and justify its effectiveness. By exposing the mystery underlying coaching's success as a personal and professional development intervention, Elaine Cox undertakes to generate a better

understanding of coaching, improve coaching practice, and breed a new generation of more informed coachees and buyers of coaching. *Coaching Understood* is essential reading for students and practitioners alike.

Electronic Inspection Copy available for instructors here

Techniques for Coaching and Mentoring - Natalie Lancer 2016-07-15

This is a fully revised and updated second edition of the successful *Techniques for Coaching and Mentoring*, also incorporating the best bits of its sister text *Further Techniques for Coaching and Mentoring*. The book presents a comprehensive and critical overview of the wide range of tools and techniques available to coaches and mentors. With a strong academic underpinning, it explores a wide range of approaches, and provides techniques both for use with clients and to support professional development of the coach or mentor. Key features include: Easy-to-use resources and techniques for one-to-one coaching; Case studies throughout the text, helping to put theory into practice; An overview of different theoretical approaches; A dedicated section on 'themes for the coach' discussing coaching across cultures, evaluating your coaching and looking after yourself as a coach; and Downloadable worksheets for each technique. *Techniques for Coaching and Mentoring 2nd Edition* is an invaluable resource for professional coaches and mentors looking to enhance their practice, and for students of coaching and mentoring. *Coaching Questions for Every Situation* - Jeremy Kourdi 2021-12-07 Powerful coaching questions to get the best out of any situation. In coaching, questions are the route to progress. Questions enable the people being coached to arrive at their own solutions and, crucially, to 'own' them as well. The effectiveness of this tool applies to anyone in a coaching role, whether as a leader, a professional coach, or a people management executive. A good question, asked at the right moment, can be transformative. Great questions allow coaches to influence, develop and shape someone's thinking far beyond that of their own knowledge or area of expertise, propelling the learner to new levels of insight, awareness, action and effectiveness. *Coaching Questions for Every Situation* delivers bags of context-specific questions to leaders and coaches right when they need them most, equipping them with the

essential tools to deal with a difficult situation, raise performance or offer a moment of motivation. It includes sections on both virtual coaching and coaching across cultures. The book explains the guiding principles behind great questions as well as the pitfalls to avoid, serving as a practical guide to becoming a highly effective questioner.

The Art of Listening in Coaching and Mentoring - Stephen Burt
2019-06-11

This book answers a number of fundamental questions about listening in coaching and mentoring. What difference does being heard make to the speaker? How does it have that effect? What are the necessary components of good listening? How do you evaluate your practice as a listener and how do you improve? The process of writing this book led the author to look closely at his own practice, test, experiment, and push his listening to a higher level. He invites the reader to do the same. This book identifies what it takes to listen well – the skills, mind-set, presence, self-awareness and self-management – and why it can be hard. It demonstrates how four modes of listening – attention, inquiry, observation and use of self – all contribute to the listener’s understanding and to the speaker’s awareness. It argues that we all have a ‘learning edge’ as listeners and provides a framework that helps each of us find it. The book is intended as a companion for anyone who commits to becoming a good listener. It shows how to develop expertise in the four modes of listening. It offers examples and principles to guide practice, questions for reflection, and a series of ‘workouts’ to help the listener develop their ability to listen. It encourages by showing how good listening is simple – you turn up, pay attention, and listen with all you have, and it challenges by identifying the work it takes to do that.

The HeART of Laser-Focused Coaching: A Revolutionary Approach to Masterful Coaching - Marion Franklin 2019-09-25

What would it mean for your coaching if you got right to the heart of the matter - every time? You can. Learn rarely taught tips and concepts that will immediately elevate your coaching while avoiding the common pitfalls. New and experienced coaches alike will benefit greatly from the detailed strategies and wisdom shared from Marion's years of

experience. -Cheryl Richardson, NYTimes Bestselling author of Take Time for Your Life Marion Franklin, the Coach's Coach, has been training and mentoring coaches for more than 20 years. Every student she has mentored or taught who sought ACC, PCC, or MCC has gotten their credential using the material in this book designed for all levels of coaches. No matter where you are in your coaching journey, this book has something for you. This book is different because it: Includes brilliant tools for beginner-to-seasoned coaches Offers advanced techniques for developing powerful questions without any lists Provides principles of human behavior that help you quickly identify what's really going on Contains the 25 Themes that underlie every coaching situation and make coaching and questioning much simpler Shares a step-by-step, easy to follow, way to create a shift in perspective Presents 17 strategies that clients unknowingly use that actually work against, not for them Begin using even one or two of the concepts and principles in this book and notice your coaching immediately elevate to a new level. Your clients will notice the difference You will experience this innovative approach to masterful coaching with two full laser-coaching sessions with commentary - much like eavesdropping in on the mind of a master coach. Marion shares unprecedented concepts that will help new coaches and even the most experienced coaches gain new insights and ideas, including a deeper understanding of what they already know. Automatically improve your coaching by applying one rarely known principle. Never feel stuck around what question to ask. Feel more confident by quickly identifying what's really going on. Know exactly what to listen for in every conversation. Discover a simple "2 inquiry" approach that instantly enables you to deepen your curiosity. This book will not only boost your confidence and mastery as a coach, it will enable you to produce sustained results for your clients. I designed this book to not only show you what laser-focused coaching looks, sounds, and feels like, but to show you HOW TO coach for permanent, life-altering change. When using the Laser-Focused approach, you'll be able to: avoid getting seduced by the story ask questions that get right to the heart of the matter have the client do all of the summary know how to create the shift

and what to do afterwards recognize the client's underlying pattern and know how to address it and so much more The HeART of Laser-Focused Coaching -- A revolutionary, unprecedented approach makes coaching easier while also enhancing your ability to help clients create deep and profound change. Transform your coaching into something so powerful and life-changing that your coaching consistently flows and becomes effortless.

Coaching for Health - Jenny Rogers 2016-02

This book has a radical new message for any clinician: through coaching you reduce your own stress and you get far better outcomes for patients. 'Coaching for health' means creating a different relationship in consultations, asking a different kind of question and giving information in a different way. It goes beyond what is usually meant by 'patient-centred practice'. It will work with virtually any patient. When you take a coaching approach the chances are that your patients gain confidence in managing their own health, reduce the number of appointments they request, are less likely to need emergency admissions and are more likely to take their medication. Coaching is not just a technique that you switch on and off, it is a wholly different mindset. Coaching for Health explains the rationale for a coaching approach and gives pragmatic step by step help on how to do it. The authors - one an executive coach, one a doctor - write from their extensive, collective experience. Having trained many hundreds of clinicians in coaching skills, Jenny Rogers and Arti Maini have seen firsthand how transforming it can be to use in practice. "In a clear and convincing manner, Jenny Rogers and Art Maini offer a range of practical methods for turning health care consultations into a genuinely patient-led form of dialogue." John Launer, Associate Dean for Faculty Development, Health Education England, UK "A gem of a book...The combination of Jenny's accessible style and wisdom with Arti's extensive experience of adopting a coaching approach with patients has produced a winner." Lis Paice OBE FRCP, author of New Coach: reflections from a learning journey, UK

Beyond Goals - Susan David 2016-04-15

What is there in developmental relationships beyond setting and striving

to achieve goals? The presence of goals in coaching and mentoring programs has gone largely unquestioned, yet evidence is growing that the standard prescription of SMART, challenging goals is not always appropriate - and even potentially dangerous - in the context of a complex and rapidly changing world. Beyond Goals advances standard goal-setting theory by bringing together cutting-edge perspectives from leaders in coaching and mentoring. From psychology to neuroscience, from chaos theory to social network theory, the contributors offer diverse and compelling insights into both the advantages and limitations of goal pursuit. The result is a more nuanced understanding of goals, with the possibility for practitioners to bring greater impact and sophistication to their client engagements. The implications of this reassessment are substantial for all those practicing as coaches and mentors, or managing coaching or mentoring initiatives in organizations.

Blended Coaching - Gary Bloom 2005-06-01

Support new and veteran principals through coaching-based professional development! How can a coach support a school leader in mastering the professional and emotional challenges of school leadership in a manner that has a positive impact on students? This book provides practical skills and strategies for leadership coaching explicitly tied to the needs of principals and other school leaders. An indispensable resource for improving principal retention, teacher satisfaction and student achievement, this ready reference contains: Real-life examples Reflective prompts Practical exercises Comprehensive resources, including worksheets, sample forms, and assessments

The Coach Model for Christian Leaders - Keith E. Webb 2019-07-02

A practical guide to the leadership skills you need to solve problems, reach goals, and develop others into leaders themselves. The COACH Model® is a radically different approach to leading people. Rather than provide answers, leaders ask questions to draw out what God has already put into others. ICF Professional Certified Coach and speaker Keith Webb teaches Christian leaders how to create powerful conversations to assist others to solve their own problems, reach goals, and develop their own leadership skills in the process. Whether leaders are working with

employees, teenagers, or a colleague living in another city, they'll find powerful tools and techniques to increase leadership effectiveness. Based on first-hand experience and taught around the world, The COACH Model for Christian Leaders is packed with stories and illustrations that bring the principles and practice to life and transform leaders' conversations into powerful results.

[A Critical Introduction to Coaching and Mentoring](#) - David E Gray
2016-03-17

This is the definitive introduction to coaching and mentoring, written by an experienced and multidisciplinary team. Taking you all the way through from the emerging theory to informed practice, the book covers:

- Skills, purposes and outcomes of coaching and mentoring processes
- The many settings in which they take place - public, private and voluntary
- Coaching and mentoring's evidence base and how it is assessed
- The professionalization of coaching and mentoring and a move towards integration.

Supported by a wide range of case studies, activities, further questions and topics for discussion, this book is a comprehensive but accessible introduction. The authors take a critical approach and go beyond the basics, to support your development as a critically reflective practitioner. It is essential reading for those studying

coaching and mentoring, and professionals looking to integrate coaching and mentoring into their organizations.

The Art of Coaching - Elena Aguilar 2013-02-22

Hands-on resources for new and seasoned school coaches This practical resource offers the foundational skills and tools needed by new coaching educators, as well as presenting an overview of the knowledge and theory base behind the practice. Established coaches will find numerous ways to deepen and refine their coaching practice. Principals and others who incorporate coaching strategies into their work will also find a wealth of resources. Aguilar offers a model for transformational coaching which could be implemented as professional development in schools or districts anywhere. Although she addresses the needs of adult learners, her model maintains a student-centered focus, with a specific lens on addressing equity issues in schools. Offers a practical resource for school coaches, principals, district leaders, and other administrators Presents a transformational coaching model which addresses systems change Pays explicit attention to surfacing and interrupting inequities in schools The Art of Coaching: Effective Strategies for School Transformation offers a compendium of school coaching ideas, the book's explicit, user-friendly structure enhances the ability to access the information.