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Return on Investment (ROI) Basics - Patricia Pulliam Phillips 2006-01-05

ROI Basics aims to provide this baseline understanding to both novice and experienced learning and performance practitioners. The book carefully walks the reader through the ROI process from the planning stage, to the selection of appropriate programs, to the collection of data, and finally to the mathematical calculations that determine ROI. In addition, the book includes two important chapters often overlooked in the ROI process-communicating results and integrating ROI into an organization's workplace learning and performance processes. Like all the books in ASTD's Training Basics series, ROI Basics provides dozens of interactive tips, tools, and exercises along the way to encourage immediate application and promote understanding of the material presented.

Return on Learning - Donald Vanthournout 2008-12

Now in paperback the inside story on how global business leader Accenture's investments in learning and knowledge management could be planned and managed to deliver measurable business advantage."

From the Happy Sheet to the Bottom Line - Patrick Taggart 2010

This book is designed to share the knowledge and expertise we have developed over the last ten years in helping our cutomers to solve the challenge of evaluating the return on investment from organisational development activities. It includes details of our approach, using our unique Performance Improvement Cycle(c), a number of case studies in leadership and coaching showing how it is possible to increase impact and measure return on investment from soft skills interventions, and a simple step by

step guide to adopting the process. Our methodology, The Performance Improvement Cycle(c) has recently been developed into a software solution, making the process even more efficient and this is described in the final chapter. Our process and system offer all stakeholders a range of benefits including: Executives will see how investment in development is improving the performance of the Organisation. Managers see how results improve through having a more skilled and effective workforce. Employees can demonstrate their own effectiveness through a consistent application of new skills and learning. Learning and Development Professionals will see their function viewed as a profit centre rather than a cost centre. "Your book is concise and is presented in the format readers need. The approach summarised in your performance-improvement cycle is an excellent way to structure the process in easy-to-understand steps. " Jack Phillips ROI Institute "The book sets out a crystal clear case for straightforward ROI and two things in particular stand out; how vital it is to set objectives upfront before any training interventions are designed and the vital supportive role of senior/line managers. Peter Honey Publicat

Performance Consulting - Dana Gaines Robinson 1995

The traditional training process confuses training activity with performance improvement by focusing on employees' learning needs, rather than on their performance needs. Traditional programs focus on developing excellent learning experiences, while failing to ensure that the newly acquired skills are transferred to the job. Thus, to be effective, training professionals must become "performance consultants," shifting their focus from training delivery to the performance of the company and its individual contributors. Dana & Jim Robinson describe an approach suitable for use in any organizational setting or industry and with any content area. Dozens of useful tools, illustrative exercises, and a case study that threads through the book show how the techniques described are applied in an organizational setting.

The ROI Fieldbook - Patricia Phillips 2017-09-11
 Since the publication of 'Return on Investment in Training and Performance Improvement

Programs,' many individuals have attempted to implement the ROI methodology in their organizations. Having a credible process does not guarantee that an organization will implement the process effectively throughout the various functions and divisions. 'The ROI Fieldbook' will help organizations implement ROI successfully, by providing concrete techniques, tools, strategies, and reproducible items. Jack Phillips and Patti Phillips and their associates have helped hundreds of organizations and individuals with their ROI workshops. 'The ROI Fieldbook' provides many different strategies for tackling the critical issues of implementation. The authors examine every key barrier to implementation and suggest strategies for overcoming, minimizing, or removing the barriers. The accompanying CD contains dozens of tools, instruments, and templates aimed at providing helpful resources for the individual or the team responsible for implementing ROI. Case studies from a variety of organizations illustrate the broad range of application and implementation. The CD also includes interactive material such as "Are You Ready for ROI" a self-assessment test. Other material includes templates for data collection, ROI analysis plan, action plan, and a cost summary sheet.

Evaluating Corporate Training: Models and Issues - Stephen M. Brown 2012-12-06

We are glad to have the opportunity to work together again in the planning and preparation of this edited volume on the evaluation of corporate training. Our respective professional careers have provided us with experience in this area, both as practitioners and as academicians. It is from both of these perspectives that we approached the preparation of this volume. Our purpose is to provide training professionals in business and industry, and students of human resources development with an overview of current models and issues in educational evaluation. The book is organized around three themes: context, models, and issues. The chapters in the context section are intended to provide the reader with an understanding of the social, organizational, and interpersonal factors that provide background and give meaning to evaluation practice. The models section brings together contributions from some of the most

influential thinkers and practitioners in the field. The chapters in this section provide perspective on the dominant themes and emergent trends from individuals who have been, and continue to be, the drivers of those trends. Contributions to the issues section highlight some pervasive themes as well as illuminate new areas of concern and interest that will affect how we assess learning interventions in the organizations of today and tomorrow.

Handbook of Training Evaluation and Measurement Methods - Jack J. Phillips
2012-08-21

This new, third edition of Jack Phillips's classic *Handbook of Training Evaluation and Measurement Methods* shows the reader not only how to design, implement, and assess the effectiveness of HRD programs, but how to ultimately measure their return on investment (ROI). Each chapter has been revised and updated to include additional research, expanded coverage, and new examples of Dr. Phillips's case studies. Seven entirely new chapters have also been added, focusing largely on ROI.

Informal Learning - Jay Cross 2011-01-25

Most learning on the job is informal. This book offers advice on how to support, nurture, and leverage informal learning and helps trainers to go beyond their typical classes and programs in order to widen and deepen their reach. The author reminds us that we live in a new, radically different, constantly changing, and often distracting workplace. He guides us through the plethora of digital learning tools that workers are now accessing through their computers, PDAs, and cell phones.

Evaluating Training Programs - Donald L. Kirkpatrick 2009-04

Leaders want to see changes in behavior as a result of what people have learned and may expect these new behaviors to deliver results for the business. With the third edition of this book, readers have an opportunity to update their understanding of this classic evaluation framework and to learn from the case studies about how to effectively apply the framework to a variety of learning programs. Readers are presented with the tools and the know-how to tell their own story of value creation.---Foreword by Merrill C. Anderson, Ph.D, Chief Executive

Officer, MetrixGlobal, LLC

Building a Successful Consulting Practice - Patricia Pulliam Phillips 2002

This book will be helpful to anyone starting down the exciting and challenging road of consulting. Learn from best practices in the 12 case studies that analyze the success of consulting organizations.

The Trainer's Balanced Scorecard - Ajay Pangarkar 2012-06-29

The balanced scorecard (BSC) is increasingly the strategic business tool of choice for many organizations. One of the four components of the BSC, "learning and growth," is largely misunderstood, underutilized, and ineffectively applied. The BSC framework provides an opportunity for management and workplace learning and performance professionals to communicate through a common language, establish realistic and measurable targets, and align and support the rest of the organization in a strategic way. This book provides proven guidance and customizable tools to measure the role of learning and performance, link it to organizational objectives, and communicate to management results in a common language.

Managing Training and Development Finance - Fiona Green 2004-01-16

Effective Training & Development is essential if you are to continuously get the best from your people and extend the knowledge shelf-life of your company. This module explores the vast array of options available to the HR function including on-the-job learning, formal management education, coaching and mentoring. Cost-effectiveness and measurable payback are also dealt with as cornerstones of any training and development activity.

Return on Investment in Meetings and Events - Jack J. Phillips 2008

The Phillips ROI Methodology utilizes five levels of evaluation, which are essential in determining the return on investment. All levels of evaluation must be conducted in order to determine the ROI of a meeting or event.

Work in the 21st Century - Frank J. Landy 2010

The workplace in the 21st-century is technological and multi-cultural. Work is often accomplished in teams. This work provides students with an up-to-date knowledge based

that will enable them to apply the principles of I-O psychology to themselves, supervisors, subordinates and fellow workers.

Kirkpatrick's Four Levels of Training Evaluation - James D. Kirkpatrick 2016-10-01

Confirmative Evaluation - Joan C. Dessinger 2003-12-22

This much-needed book offers trainers, consultants, evaluation professionals, and human resource executives and practitioners a hands-on resource for understanding and applying the proven principles of confirmative evaluation. Confirmative evaluation is a marriage of evaluation and continuous improvement. Unlike other types of evaluation—which are used during the design of a learning program or applied immediately after conducting a program—confirmative evaluation follows several months after the program is implemented. It tests the endurance of outcomes, the return on investment, and establishes the effectiveness, efficiency, impact, and value of the training over time.

Measuring ROI in the Public Sector - Patricia Pulliam Phillips 2002

Measuring ROI in the Public Sector shows how all types of public sector organizations are using ROI evaluation as a way to meet these challenges. The settings for ROI applications range from small local governments to state governments, to major cities, and to national and federal programs. This book should interest anyone seeking to build accountability into various specific programs, including training, education, human resources, and community development initiatives.

How to Calculate Diversity Return on Investment - Edward E. Hubbard 1999-01-01

Investment Performance Measurement - Philip Lawton, CIPM 2009-04-28

Investment Performance Measurement Over the past two decades, the importance of measuring, presenting, and evaluating investment performance results has dramatically increased. With the growth of capital market data services, the development of quantitative analytical techniques, and the widespread acceptance of Global Investment Performance Standards (GIPS®), this discipline has emerged as a

central component of effective asset management and, thanks in part to the Certificate in Investment Performance Measurement (CIPM) program, has become a recognized area of specialization for investment professionals. That's why Investment Performance Measurement: Evaluating and Presenting Results—the second essential title in the CFA Institute Investment Perspectives series—has been created. CFA Institute has a long tradition of publishing content from industry thought leaders, and now this new collection offers unparalleled guidance to those working in the rapidly evolving field of investment management. Drawing from the Research Foundation of CFA Institute, the Financial Analysts Journal, CFA Institute Conference Proceedings Quarterly, CFA Magazine, and the CIPM curriculum, this reliable resource taps into the vast store of knowledge of some of today's most prominent thought leaders—from industry professionals to respected academics—who have focused on investment performance evaluation for a majority of their careers. Divided into five comprehensive parts, this timely volume opens with an extensive overview of performance measurement, attribution, and appraisal. Here, you'll become familiar with everything from the algebra of time-weighted and money-weighted rates of return to the objectives and techniques of performance appraisal. After this informative introduction, Investment Performance Measurement moves on to: Provide a solid understanding of the theoretical grounds for benchmarking and the trade-offs encountered during practice in Part II: Performance Measurement Describe the different aspects of attribution analysis as well as the determinants of portfolio performance in Part III: Performance Attribution Address everything from hedge fund risks and returns to fund management changes and equity style shifts in Part IV: Performance Appraisal Recount the history and explain the provisions of the GIPS standards—with attention paid to the many practical issues that arise in the course of its implementation—in Part V: Global Investment Performance Standards Filled with invaluable insights from more than fifty experienced contributors, this practical guide will enhance your understanding of investment

performance measurement and put you in a better position to present and evaluate results in the most effective way possible.

Front-End Analysis and Return on Investment Toolkit - Harold D. Stolovitch
2004-04-01

Front-End Analysis and Return on Investment Toolkit is a comprehensive collection of guidelines, job aids, rich examples and tips that give you the information needed to create performance interventions that will deliver the desired results. By using this vital resource you will be able to analyze training requests on the front end, measure worth and ROI in learning, and performance on the back end, and Identify the business need underlying the request. Clarify the desired performance outcomes. Systematically investigate and describe the current performance state. Characterize the gap between current and desired performance in terms of magnitude, value, and urgency. Identify the array of factors affecting the gap. Select appropriate, economical, feasible, and acceptable performance interventions that deliver desired results.

How to Measure Training Results - Jack J. Phillips 2002-02-22

How to Measure Training Results presents practical tools for collecting and measuring six types of data critical to an overall evaluation of training. This timely resource: Includes dozens of reproducible tools and processes for training evaluation Shows how to measure both financial and intangible/non-financial results

Proving the Value of Soft Skills - Jack Phillips
2020-08-04

A Step-by-Step Guide to Showing the Value of Soft Skill Programs As organizations rise to meet the challenges of technological innovation, globalization, changing customer needs and perspectives, demographic shifts, and new work arrangements, their mastery of soft skills will likely be the defining difference between thriving and merely surviving. Yet few executives champion the expenditure of resources to develop these critical skills. Why is that and what can be done to change this thinking? For years, managers convinced executives that soft skills could not be measured and that the value of these programs should be taken on faith. Executives no longer buy that

argument but demand the same financial impact and accountability from these functions as they do from all other areas of the organization. In *Proving the Value of Soft Skills*, measurement and evaluation experts Patti Phillips, Jack Phillips, and Rebecca Ray contend that efforts can and should be made to demonstrate the effect of soft skills. They also claim that a proven methodology exists to help practitioners articulate those effects so that stakeholders' hearts and minds are shifted toward securing support for future efforts. This book reveals how to use the ROI Methodology to clearly show the impact and ROI of soft skills programs. The authors guide readers through an easy-to-apply process that includes: • business alignment • design evaluation • data collection • isolation of the program effects • cost capture • ROI calculations • results communication. Use this book to align your programs with organizational strategy, justify or enhance budgets, and build productive business partnerships. Included are job aids, sample plans, and detailed case studies.

ROI for Technology Projects - D. Brian Roulstone 2008

With increased scrutiny of technology spending by the most complex organizations in the world, technology leaders need a 'tool kit' to help them prepare for hard-hitting discussions with their organization's CFO, president, CEO, or chairman about the return they should expect from critical technology projects. Rather than focusing top managers' attention on cutting, challenging, and controlling expenditures (as many C-level accountants prefer to do), this approach guides technology managers in providing executives with more comprehensive, balanced information that helps all involved make better business decisions. Along the way, it helps technology managers communicate more effectively with the financial decision makers in their organizations.-

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(ROI). Each chapter has been revised and updated to include additional research, expanded coverage, and new examples of Dr. Phillips's case studies. Seven entirely new chapters have also been added, focusing largely on ROI.

Commerce and Management - A Modern Perspective - Dr. Sangeetha Natarajan, Dr. M. Ganesh Babu, Dr. B. Nagarjuna, R. Rajkumar

The Success Case Method - Robert O. Brinkerhoff 2010-06

Each year, organizations spend millions of dollars trying out new innovations and improvements—and millions will be wasted if they can't quickly find out what's working and what is not. The Success Case Method offers a breakthrough evaluation technique that is easier, faster, and cheaper than competing approaches, and produces compelling evidence decision-makers can actually use. Because it seeks out the best stories of how real individuals have actually used innovations, The Success Case Method can ferret out success no matter how small or infrequent. It can salvage the few "gems" of success from a larger initiative that is not doing well or find out how to make a partially successful effort even more successful. The practical methods and tools in this book can help those who initiate and foster change, including leaders, executives, managers, consultants, training directors, and anyone else who is trying to make things work better in organizations get the greatest returns for their investments.

ROI in Marketing: The Design Thinking Approach to Measure, Prove, and Improve the Value of Marketing - Jack Phillips 2020-10-27

Publisher's Note: Products purchased from Third Party sellers are not guaranteed by the publisher for quality, authenticity, or access to any online entitlements included with the product. Discover a unique, proven methodology to measure, improve and demonstrate the value of your marketing campaigns and initiatives. Understanding and serving your customers' needs is what marketing is all about, but how do you know your events, campaigns and communication initiatives are working at top efficiency and effectiveness? To ensure projects

are aligned to business objectives, marketing professionals need a credible, proven evaluation process to measure impact and calculate your return on investment. In ROI in Marketing, the team at ROI Institute reveals their proven, unique ROI Methodology to do just that. Using their data-driven three-part process, you'll learn how to understand the customer better, so you can focus on the critical components of the customer decision-making process. Learn how to analyze and learn from any past failures, and how to adjust and improve the value—including the financial ROI—of current and future marketing campaigns and initiatives.

Measuring ROI in Learning and Development - Jack J. Phillips 2011-12-21

How do you accurately and effectively measure return on investment (ROI) in training and performance improvement?

Measuring ROI in Learning and Development, a new volume with a focus on the international arena and including a selection of case studies, provides detailed information on how to create, develop, and sustain a comprehensive ROI evaluation system. A focus on accountability in measuring ROI in learning and performance improvement programs has produced a book filled with functional, pragmatic suggestions and examples that can be implemented in the real world.

Return on Investment in Training and Performance Improvement Programs - Jack J. Phillips 2003

The second edition of this book guides you through a proven, results-based approach to calculating the Return on Investment in training and performance improvement programs. Phillips provides you with the tools to identify the key indicators for measurement and how to measure them effectively.

Train the Trainer Vol. 4 - ASTD 2008-10-15
To be successful, you must be able to quantify the results of your outcomes. In volume 4, you'll learn how to accurately measure the success of your training programs. Detailed sections show you how to collect data, conduct focus groups, and calculate your return on investment—all the

steps you need to evaluate learning outcomes.

Link Training to Your Bottom Line - Dean Spitzer 2002

Is your training delivering the results you are looking for? This issue presents a model for linking training to the bottom-line business value of an organization. The model called Training Results Measurement aligns training with business results, and bridges the gap between the on-the-job applications and business results. *Performance Coaching* - Carol Wilson

2014-01-03

Performance Coaching offers a guide to the fundamentals of coaching with an overview of all the key principles, tools and case studies you need to develop more advanced knowledge. Whether you're thinking about becoming a coach, already running a professional coaching practice or thinking about how you can embed a coaching culture in your organization, Carol Wilson illustrates how to develop a best practice approach. Using practical tools throughout and with international case studies to illustrate the various cultural challenges coaches and managers can face, Performance Coaching is a complete resource for developing coaching in any organization. This new edition of Performance Coaching has been completely updated to offer a greater focus on building a coaching culture in organizations and the challenges that leaders face in understanding and developing a coaching approach.

The Four Levels of Evaluation - Donald L. Kirkpatrick 2007

While it may seem like the four-level evaluation model has been around forever, this now-standard method of evaluation wasn't introduced until 1959 in a series of four articles published in ASTD's Training and Development Journal. Despite the current popularity of this model, many new and seasoned practitioners still question how to use the four levels: What are the four levels? What resources are necessary, and do I have them available? Which programs should be evaluated, and at which level? This Infoline takes the classic Kirkpatrick model and synthesizes it for the busy trainer.

Transfer Of Training - Mary Broad 1992-01-20
Author is an alumna of Evanston Township High School, class of 1944.

The Human Resources Scorecard - Jack J.

Phillips 2007-11-30

Now in its second edition, the HR Scorecard provides a comprehensive step-by-step process to integrating a scorecard approach to the Human Resources function. The authors demonstrate how the HR function is helping to deliver its organizations strategic goals. Demonstrating value is key and the ROI process developed by co-author Jack Phillips, aids HR management in determining and improving the bottom-line impact that human resource programs have on an organization. Fully updated and revised, this new edition also has a companion book of cases available. The major features of this book include: A proven methodology to implement within your organization A practical approach with examples and illustrations Implementation strategies for building accountability into HR programs This book is an invaluable reference for professionals involved in performance management and those actively implementing the scorecard approach. It is also an important text for those HR managers continuing their professional development through certification programs. * A step by step guide for measuring the impact of human resource management within an organization * Incorporating new case studies for practical application in the workplace * Fully updated reflecting the current trends and issues in the field

Smart Training - Clay Carr 1992-01-01

Web-based Training - Badrul Huda Khan 2001
Discussing Web-based training from design, development, delivery, management, implementation, and evaluation perspectives, this book includes 63 chapters by experts from around the world. They offer instruction on the uses of the Web for corporate, government, and academic training purposes. Particular chapters address topics like the advantages and limitations of Web-based training, the technological resources available, the theory behind Web-based learning, the use of simulations, online testing, copyright, and cost. c. Book News Inc.

The ROI Fieldbook - Patricia Pulliam Phillips 2007

Accompanying CD-ROM contains ... "dozens of tools, instruments, and templates ... [and] a

thorough case study which is aligned with each fieldbook chapter to present how the ROI process and guiding principles are applied ... [and] interactive material such as "Are you ready for ROI?"--A self-assessment test. Other material includes templates for data collection, ROI analysis plan, action plan, and a cost summary sheet."--Page 4 of cover.

Measuring Intellectual Capital - Patricia Pulliam Phillips 2002

Not all approaches to measuring the value of intellectual capital are valid, but here a set of case studies that guides you in using the models and strategies that have proven successful across many organizations and companies.

Measuring Return on Investment - Jack J. Phillips 1994

This title presents numerous case studies on how to prove the dollar-for-dollar ROI and worth of training and development programs.