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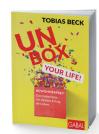
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415 **Personal Development**

Patricia Küll has worked as an editor and TV presenter since 1996. Over her more than 25-year presenting career, she has met and interviewed thousands of people, often with very revealing results. As a consequence, Patricia Küll has acquired a vast wealth of human knowledge. In addition to her presenting work, she has been putting this knowledge into practice since 2012 as a certified systemic coach and trainer for stress management. Patricia Küll teaches seminars and lectures on the topics of happiness, self-management and stress management. She is a member of the German Speaker Association (GSA) and has a lecturing post in the Department of Social Sciences at the University of Koblenz, where she has also been responsible for initiating research on topic of satisfaction. The results are incorporated into her work.

A professor of general management at Ludwigshafen University, Jörg B. Kühnapfel has written on business management, happiness management and day-to-day forecasting in numerous books and scientific articles. He is a firm advocate of the "economic imperialism" school of thought, which is predicated on the fact that everything has measurable costs and benefits.

Listen to Your Head or Follow **Your Heart?**

How to make better decisions, with examples from ten key decision-making crossroads

Patricia Küll, Jörg B. Kühnapfel

17 rules for happiness that will make you sing

Actually, things are going very well – at work, with the family, with friends. Actually, we have no reason to whine. That's the truth. But viewed in quiet moments, a grey fog often seems to suffocate our lives. Nothing truly gives us joy any more.

How can we regain happiness and a sense of levity in our everyday lives? How can we manage to see the blue of the sky in moments of profound despair? What can we learn from times of crisis?

Patricia Küll shows what is important: to recognise who you are and what you expect from life and to work on yourself with discipline.

For happiness does not fall from heaven - we ourselves can actively shape it.



From Today, I Sing in the Shower What You Can Do to Be Happy in Your Life 192 pages, paperback 978-3-86936-802-3

- 17 rules for happiness that anyone can apply to their own everyday life professionally and in private
- Stories to show how even in spite of the worst strokes of fate you can enjoy your everyday life
- Each chapter ends with an exercise
- Informal, engaging style of language
- Numerous concrete tips for everyday life

Practical tips and tools for making important decisions wisely

We make thousands of decisions every day, the majority without thinking about them. Instead, we decide in the usual fashion: with our gut feeling or sense of reason, without any conscious decision-making thought.

Yet other, more important decisions preoccupy us endlessly. We ponder for days and nights on end, with no satisfactory solution in sight. Often, our head is saving one thing and our heart another. Which of the two gives better advice, and in which situations do we prefer one over the respective other?

Wouldn't it be great if there were a "recipe book for decisions" - one which, rather than offering the best solution for conceivable problem, describes an easily understandable approach for finding it? Now, there is!



216 pages, paperback 978-3-86936-971-6

In this book, Patricia Küll and Jörg Kühnapfel use ten key decision-making scenarios to illustrate tried-and-tested tools for devising personalised solutions. It's for everyone: those who listen to their heads, those who follow their hearts and those who deploy both on a case-by-case basis. Whether cost-benefit calculations, ikigai, time travel or utility analysis: the authors present an array of proven decision-making methods, illustrating each theory with head and heart-based perspectives on ten key questions of life. As the reader, you are equipped to make healthy, self-determined decisions that will empower you to live a happy life.



617 **Personal Development**

Dr Sylvia Loehken is a highly in-demand coach and speaker who specialises in how introverts and extroverts can work together. She has a PhD in linguistics and communication, and is a qualified coach. She works with many of Europe's leading companies and institutions such as Berlin Regional Bank, Vienna University of Economics and Business, and University of Hamburg.

Bold Encounters. The Art of Genuine Conversation

How to create relationships with words

Sylvia Löhken, Tom Peters

As director of the HRperformance Institut and an expert in personality, generational diversity. potential exploitation and young professionals. Nele Krevßig advises medium-sized and large enterprises on making best use of their available resources and potential. She has worked as an independent consultant and business trainer since 2014. In addition to a degree in business administration, Nele Kreyßig holds numerous additional qualifications as a business trainer, management coach, expert and trainer for stress management.

Wish you Could Change People? Here's Why You Shouldn't

Nele Kreyßig

Achieving genuine human interaction

We communicate now more than ever before – and our access. to communication has never been easier. Within what seems like the blink of an eye, smartphones have completely revolutionised the way we keep in touch. We exchange information on a seemingly constant basis. Yet talking alone does not constitute genuine interaction.

What differentiates a genuine interaction from small talk, WhatsApp messages, tweets and social media posts? How can we engage in genuine dialogue - the kind that facilitates deep, meaningful human interaction?

In this cleverly observed book, Sylvia Löhken and Tom Peters show how to manage the fears and inhibitions we often face when making ourselves open to genuine human connection. And this effort pays off: sharing interactions with others does us good as social beings, so long as we conduct them in ways that make sense to us.



200 pages, hardcover 978-3-86936-941-9

What's more, being interesting and approachable in conversation is an important factor for our careers. The more responsibility people have in their professional lives, the more their success depends on their communication – on the creation and nurturing of organic, vibrant relationships.

Löhken and Peters illustrate the opportunities that await when we permit ourselves to engage in meaningful encounters and are brave enough to open ourselves up by engaging in open dialogue with our contemporaries, we form trust-based relationships and get to know both ourselves and others. The authors show how to lay the foundations for genuine interaction and to conduct conversations such that they bring benefit to all parties involved.

So, what do you do when others get on your nerves? Change your perspective!

Let's be honest: our fellow human beings can be exhausting, trying creatures. How easy would it be if the world worked according to our rules; if our fellow humans would behave in reasonable, sensible ways (according to us)? If only we could find a way to get others to change!

Each of us views the world from our own unique perspective. In doing so, we frequently overlook the fact that we are shaped by our environment, our experiences and our individual dispositions.

"Wish You Could Change People? Here's Why You Shouldn't" makes a persuasive case for giving up trying to change others. Instead, it argues, we must be curious about others' perspectives on life and alert to their potential. We must pursue mutually enriching cooperation, satisfaction and - in a professional context - shared success. In the book, Nele humorously equips readers to appreciate their counterparts' worldviews, using personal stories to illustrate a more understanding, open and tolerant way of dealing with one another.

Nele was awarded the publishers' prize at the international speaker slam in Munich in February 2018 with an excerpt from the keynote "A different path to success: The generation mix is the kev!".



180 pages, flexcover 978-3-86936-970-9



New book by SPIEGEL Bestseller author Tobias Beck

Talk the Talk

How you can inspire people and build a thriving business as a trainer and speaker

Tobias Beck

Content

Seek your role models / Embrace your role

Meeting my mentors The audience is the star Celebrity twin: Learning from role models [...]

Stand for something: A life free from energy vampires

Structure

Structure vs. content No-one wants to feel like they're at school Appealing to the four personality types An open system vs. a closed one Code of honour Don't be fooled by things that seem easy

Everything is interconnected

Performance Creating an impact

how? The halo effect The "Command" method Avoiding negative colloquialisms The duck Dealing with hecklers Dealing with critics

Where should I stand - and

The Dalai Lama effect Appealing to people

Dealing with stage fright

The German approach As-is-ing The "Goose" method Friendly or formal The secret template Zoomina in Vulnerability

Techniques / Leaning techniques

Making it big and colourful The open circle Leaning types: Auditory, visual, kinaesthetic Super-learning Learning on different levels The flipchart vs. the projector Preparation (and what should you do with the crib sheet?) The debriefing

Fields of business & earning opportunities

Earning money by "speaking"

Marketing & springboards

Marketing for trainers and speakers The springboard Your target audience is like you Barter agreements

A step-by-step guide to the secrets of professional speaking

Welcome to an industry that generates billions in profit per year. Over the next few years, more than a million trainers, coaches and keynote speakers will be in high demand. As various facets of life are immersed ever deeper in online spheres, and the world becomes ever more digital, people crave events that allow them to feel human again.

If huge numbers of people are continually being forced to realign themselves due to perpetual societal change, it is only natural that they will ask "Why?" "What to do?" and "How to do it?". To answer this question, they need an external sounding board. At a societal level, people are seeking greater personal and professional success. Who will help them achieve it? Well. why not you!

This book is a practical handbook based on 15 years of public speaking experience - with more than 250,000 participants over 1,500 seminar days.

What you hold in your hands is a step-by-step guide; a toolkit filled with the same tools I use at my talks and seminars. Follow the instructions, take up the tools and apply them to your life on the stage. Everything else will happen of its own volition!



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Unbox your Relationship!

How to draw people to you and build relationships that last Tobias Beck

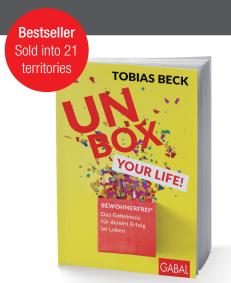
"Unbox Your Life will help you do just that--unbox your life and in the process discover your life's mission. Personal discovery and sense of self-worth is the foundation of any healthy relationship which is why the private victory must precede the public victory. This book is a must-read for anyone looking to build relationships that last."

Sean Covey, President, FranklinCovey Education and New York Times best-selling co-author of The 4 Disciplines of Execution

Successfully steer your own life instead of having it determined by others, advises Tobias Beck in this German bestseller.

Energy vampires, and chronic complainers. We all know a Debbie Downer with a negative attitude, moaning the whole day long because nothing ever goes right: the weather is miserable, it's Monday, and to top it all off, the doughnut has a hole! Tobias shows us there's a way out: to simply not bother with such relationships at all. Polarizing, provocative and exaggerated, the Liberated® philosophy urges readers to liberate themselves from negative people in order to live successfully and authentically.

Memorable stories and proven techniques. With success stories that are as entertaining as they are instructive and success factors based on 15 years of personal experience in the field of personality development and behavioral psychology, Unbox Your Life features proven-to-work strategies. Easy to read and unconventional, it is part workbook, self-help, nonfiction, and narrative.



Unbox your Life!
A liberated life®: The secret to success
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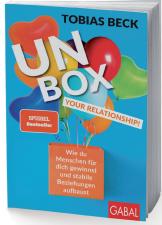


Are you ready to have the best relationships of vour life?

Thanks to our networked world, we have more relationships than ever before. We've never been in touch with so many people at any one time, and it's never been so hard for us to open up to one another.

In this new book, Tobias Beck takes you on a journey aimed at achieving the best relationships of your life. As a first step, you must fall in love with yourself – because your relationship with yourself determines the standards of compassion, understanding, respect, and trust that is reflected in your relationships with others.

In Tobias' many humorous stories, you'll recognise your partner, family, friends, colleagues and yourself, and thus learn to understand all these people better. Tobias will take you on a journey to yourself and the people you love – with empathy, poignancy and plenty of laughs along the way.



176 pages, papaerback ISBN 978-3-86936-938-9

"With raw honesty, Tobias shares the struggles he's dealt with, the paths it has led him down and the learnings he's gained from it all. The result is a collection of gems which will help you form an amazing relationship with yourself and others."

John Strelecky, #1 Bestselling author of The Why Café and The Big Five for Life





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For more than 20 years, **Nicole Pathé** has been an independent trainer, coach, speaker and expert on the topic of clarity and courage in business. With her company, pingcom, and a team of skilled trainers, she has built a reputation as a specialist in human resources and executive development. Her clients include bankers, service providers and SMEs from a variety of sectors.

Show Your Worth and Shape Your Workplace

How to assert yourself in the workplace with clarity and courage Nicole Pathé

Few can say they are equally acquainted with the worlds of senior management and spirituality, but Nicholas Pesch is one of them. He oversaw more than a thousand employees over his long-standing management career and has been practising intensive meditation for more than twenty years in his own personal quest for meaning. Nicholas believes that if we can succeed in reconciling both worlds, we can experience meaning, balance and joy in the chaos of day-to-day business and be financially successful at the same time. As a top executive coach. management consultant, speaker and trained social scientist, he supports decision-makers and executives around the world with his combined approach of vertical learning, meditation and embodiment.

The Self-Assured Leader

Leading in the digital age — with focus, calm and success Nicholas Pesch

Getting the most out of your job with clarity and courage

Many companies are suffering from an insidious and highly contagious virus known as chronic dissatisfaction. Typical symptoms include the Monday blues and a firm belief in their defenceless against the volatility of modern organisations. By contrast, top employees are immune to this dissatisfaction virus. They develop a strong defence system based on two vital skills: clarity about their own resources and the courage to exploit their potential. This is what employees need to ensure that their place of work becomes or remains a source of satisfaction in times of VUCA, change and digital transformation.

This book offers employees the tools they need to attain a keen sense of self-confidence and, at the same time, to understand what is happening in their organisation. Alongside the eight principles for clarity and courage, the author provides practical examples and theories help readers to understand themselves and others better.

"Everything one could wish for in a work of non-fiction: not long-winded, precisely observed, full of relatable examples and well-written to boot."

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224 pages, paperback 978-3-86936-933-4

Do you have what it takes to be a leader? Winning people over with clarity and courage 92 pages, hardcover 978-3-86936-793-4



The best form of performance enhancement isn't found in a box of pills – it's a clear, focused mind

Today, many managers find themselves tired and at their wits' end. From day to day, chaos and uncertainty prevails and gradually pushes even the most capable to their limits. The joy of work ebbs away. At some point, the joy of life goes with it.

From his many years of coaching practice, Nicholas is adept at recognising the symptoms of depression and burnout. As a successful ex-manager and top executive coach, he knows better than most the tricks and tools managers use to survive the daily treadmill.

In the book, Nicholas shows that the way out of this downward spiral lies in the transformation of management practice. Vertical learning, which has its roots in developmental

psychology and neuroscience, is the key to mental, emotional and personal self-transformation. It's not a question of broadening knowledge, but of effecting fundamental change: developing higher-level mental, emotional and social skills for the improved management of employees. Changes in leadership ethos must begin in the mind.

With his self-developed approach of vertical learning, meditation and embodiment, Nicholas supports leaders on the path to MIND MOVEMENT MASTERY: a state that empowers the realisation of top performance, deep concentration, high creativity and a positive attitude towards oneself and others. This is the key to an integrative, transformational leadership style that is forward-looking for both employees and the organisation as a whole.



320 pages, hardcover 978-3-86936-966-2





The Playbook for Game **Changers**

How to unleash team spirit through radical transparency and gamification Kerstin Friedrich

The Big Basics of Success Strategy – EKS – **Success through Specialization**

EKS is an extremely simple and effective method which anyone can use to develop top achievements and, with the right amount of ambition, become a national or the international market leader. EKS is the best kept secret among the strategy theories - notable companies, numerous hidden champions and many well-known experts laid the foundation of their success using this method.

As the conventional value system of business collapses, EKS offers a convincing alternative to combine both success and values. The new and completely revised issue of this book explains the principles and phases of EKS more extensively than before:

- concentration and specialization
- management of complex systems
- use maximization rather than profit fixation
- recognizing and developing immaterial values
- implementation of EKS in 7 steps; for the first time with a comprehensive methodology and current examples



264 pages, hardcover 978-3-86936-001-0

An economist and psychologist by education, Dr Kerstin Friedrich, has almost twenty years' experience as a strategy consultant. She is a leading authority on bottleneck-focused strategy and holistic specialisation strategies, with 25 years of experience in the development and implementation of strategies in SMEs.

The playing field of corporate leadership Success is a team sport

Imagine a football team where only one of the players knows the score. Not only this, but of the total eleven players, only eight know the rules. Nonsensical? Yes. Yet this is exactly how many companies function.

Leaders are keen for employees to invest in and celebrate the company's successes - yet when it comes to creating transparency and allowing space for creative ideas to be heard and implemented, the same leaders are reluctant to relinquish complete control. Instead, they allow their employees to run blind across the field.

In this book, Kerstin Friedrich shows how leadership can be largely systematised using elements of social and sports psychology and the powers of gamification, with a "Scoreboard Management" approach that creates the basis for all forms of organisational transformation and strategy change. Within it, employees learn to understand the business model to gauge the influence of their daily actions on the overall result and to contribute and implement their own ideas for process optimisation and greater customer benefit.

Scoreboard-Management™ transfers the principles of team sport to the world of corporate organisation. In practical application, it is a powerful, motivating, non-digital tool that channels the creativity and engagement of the entire team towards positive change in the organisation.



248 pages, hardcover 978-3-86936-961-7

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Making Agility Work for You

Overcoming the hurdles of developing an agile mindset Katharina Maehrlein

next practice

Managing Instability with Success

Mastering change with masterful networking

Peter Kruse

How to create an organization that can thrive in a turbulent VUKA environment

Agile work not only requires new methods but is, at its core, a value-based approach. In other words, it's not about doing agile things, but about being agile – and as such, requires a fresh way of thinking. While this cannot be prescribed as a magic pill, it's very possible to learn it.

This book is for anyone required to experiment, adapt and learn in a turbulent VUCA environment: managers, employees and HR managers alike. Using a to-the-point, practical style, Katharina shows how agile work can work today and which tools are required. As such, this is the ideal read for anyone seeking to make agility a lived reality.

This is a book about the dimensions of agility, common hurdles and stumbling blocks, the values of agility and the development of an agile mindset. In addition, it includes a toolbox packed with effective exercises, checklists, tests, videos and other learning aids, all of which can be downloaded – and all of which are hands-on and tried-and-tested.



256 pages, hardcover 978-3-86936-964-8

Management classic

As the first two decades of the new millennium have made clear: in the world of business, there's no longer such thing as a "quiet zone". Change and its many implications are omnipresent. In this pioneering bestseller, Professor Peter Kruse demonstrates the rapid pace at which the complexity and dynamism of life are increasing in the face of ever-expanding technical and economic networks.

This classic of the management literature genre will help you better understand the economic developments of recent years and the challenges companies face as a result. It will also provide you with concrete, tried-and-tested tools for the strategic management of change in every organisation.

Professor Kruse's work is intended to support all those who are engaged professionally in the design and oversight of change processes. At its core, it's about providing a foundation of understanding for the strategic handling of organisational change, singling out the most important principles and offering useful suggestions for everyday management and consulting practice.



224 pages, hardcover 978-3-86936-962-4

A consultant, Certified Scrum Master, agile culture coach and author of numerous successful books, **Katharina Maehrlein** is an expert on the subjects of resilience, mindfulness and agility. With 21 years' experience as a coach and consultant, she has supported more than 30,000 senior leaders of SMEs, large corporations and everything in between. Katharina assists her clients in managing their day-to-day pressures and helps them cultivate a motivating, productivity-inspiring management style.

Peter Kruse (1955-2015) was a managing partner of the methodology and consulting company nextpractice GmbH in Bremen and taught as an honorary professor in general and organisational psychology at the University of Bremen. As a brain researcher, he spent more than 15 years studying complexity processing in intelligent networks. The focus of his consulting work was on the application and practical transfer of self-organisation concepts to entrepreneurial issues. He was featured several times on top 40 HR pioneers list compiled annually by human resources journal Personalmagazin.



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Roger Rankel is a leading sales expert of the German-speaking world, delivering around 150 lectures and seminars to more than 30,000 listeners each year. His books are bestsellers, and more than 500 medium-sized companies and world market leaders are already deploying his multi-award-winning customer acquisition method with success. His corporate consulting ideas and recommendations enjoy an extraordinarily high implementation rate, with finance publication *IMPULSE* noting that, "Rankel's students enjoy an average 24 percent increase in their number of new customers!"



Modern Customer Acquisition

Digital and personalised

Roger Rankel, Nicole Maria Weimar, André Weimar

"Roger Rankel is among the most sought-after speakers in the German-speaking world."

Deutsches Rednerlexikon

"Others follow trends - he sets them! Roger Rankel is the 'trainer of sales trainers'."

Oliver Graf von Schwerin, Speakers Associates

"Roger Rankel is the founder of modern sales."

Professor Zacharias, Fachhochschule Worms

"Double your profits in less than 100 days - and by working the same amount of time!"

Bernd Seitz, Herausgeber Wissen + Karriere



Win new customers effectively – and on an ongoing basis

Named as a "top five marketing expert" by German business publication Erfolgs-Magazin, best-selling author Roger Rankel delivers over 150 talks and seminars per year to more than 30,000 attendees. Over 500 distributors, SMEs and world market leaders are already enjoying success with his award-winning method of customer acquisition.

Most customer journeys progress in a linear fashion from the initial contact to the closing of the sale. What happens afterwards? Often, not much. Once a new customer has become an existing one, little is done to keep them onside; in the best case scenario, they are simply "maintained".



384 pages, paperback 978-3-86936-965-5

Together with marketing professionals André and Nicole-Maria Weimar, bestselling author and referral marketing expert Roger presents a fresh, improved, circular concept. From the trigger phase to the advocacy phase, the goal of this five-step model is to generate as many concrete leads as possible and, alongside this, to achieve the highest possible closure rate. It's an effective, systematic way of organising your business and boosting your sales.

Using numerous case studies and easy-to-implement tips and tools, the authors show how this new customer journey works in practice. The key is to create emotional customer experiences at all relevant touchpoints. If you can succeed in doing this during each of the five phases, your customers will not only remain loyal: they'll also become your advocates, thus closing the circle and transforming new customers into customers for life. By the time you've finished reading, you'll understand how modern referral marketing really works – online and offline.

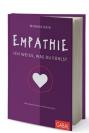




Sensitive and Strong

15-20% of the Population Are Highly Sensitive – Undeniably a Significant Minority. To be strong despite being highly sensitive – this is a wish for many highly sensitive people. Discover and identify your own high sensitivity and accept yourself with all the challenges and strengths.

Kathrin Sohst
The Power of High Sensitivity
Take Advantage of Your Strenghts



The art of compassion

Empathy gives us the courage to take risks, open our hearts and make ourselves vulnerable. Empathy, used wisely, has the power to instantly change any human relationship for the better. In this book, Monika Hein describes how we can learn empathy and practise it easily in our everyday lives. She provides clarity regarding what empathy actually is and, just as importantly, what it is not.

Monika Hein Empathy I know how you feel



A Toolkit for Crises

In this charmingly illustrated book, Sebastian Mauritz takes us on an exciting journey to our innermost emotions. He shows us which of these emotions are most important and explains how they work. Gaining this awareness is the first step towards a self-determined life – and this, in turn, enables us to crack the "crisis code" and apply our new knowledge to potential future events

Sebastian Mauritz
Immune to Problems, Stress and Crises
How we can better manage our lives



INTERNATIONAL BESTSELLER

30-50% of any population are introverts. Sylvia Löhken helps quiet persons find their strong points – and shows ways for both introverts and extroverts to achieve the best in their joint efforts and collaborations. With their own means. And with all the differences. This book helps introverted persons to find their own strong points as well as typical obstacles in communication.

Sylvia Löhken **Quiet Impact**How to Be A Successful Introvert



How Introverts and Extroverts are Strongest Working Together

Ever wished you could understand yourself and other people better and make stronger connections with those around you? This book will be required reading for anyone who wants to understand their colleagues, partners, children better. Discover what makes introverts and extroverts tick, how they interact in teams, what they focus on, what they find difficult and what the differences mean in daily life.

Sylvia Löhken

Power of Personality

How Introverts and Extroverts Can Combine to Amazing Effect



Practical inspiration for boosting your confidence

What do confident people do differently than others? Why do some people trust in themselves to do anything, while others hardly anything at all? This books affords readers a clearly written look "behind the scenes" of self-confidence, doing away with the need for psychological jargon and getting right to the heart of how – step-by-step – we can increase our level of trust in ourselves.

Steffen Ritter
Self-Confidence
Why others have it – and how you can get it, too







Life is a journey that takes you back home

From the outside, Jason Cooper has everything: success, money and a great family. He flies all over the world - from one lucrative business deal to the next. Driven and intoxicated by his own success, he overlooks the fact that he is on the fastest possible route to losing himself. A delayed flight that threatens to destroy his most profitable business and with it, his career, will turn out to be the greatest opportunity of his life.

Matthew Mockridge A Story About True Happiness



What really makes men and women tick, beyond the clichés?

When conflicts occur between the sexes in everyday life, they're often reduced to notions of the "typical woman" or "typical man". In his new book, Kishor Sridhar demonstrates that from a behavioural psychology point of view, the "typical man" and "typical woman" do not actually exist; it's much more a question of feminine and masculine behaviours, which occur regardless of the biological gender of the person in auestion.

Women Talk, Men Do? How to Break Away From Stereotypes and Work Better Together



Personality is the Key to Professional Success

Personal relationships are key to success: In a time when workplaces are becoming more digital and more automated every day, our mindsets and our personal relationships will determine whether we succeed in tomorrow's markets.

Ilia Grzeskowitz How Innovation and Change starts with Inner Transformation



Learn how to present yourself in a persuasive and competent manner

No. 1 body language expert and bestselling author Monika Matschnig shows how to increase the effectiveness of our personality at work. Covering subjects from job interviews, presentations and sales negotiations to the persuasive impact of managers and the use of body language in an intercultural context, she gives valuable practical tips for increasing our effectiveness and highlights potential pitfalls.

Monika Matschnig Body Language: The Key to Success How to persuade and inspire others at work



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