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The execution premium

Integrando la estrategia y las operaciones para lograr ventajas competitivas

Grupo Planeta (GBS) Hoy en día parece que las empresas exitosas tienen un sistema para todo. De la adquisición de nuevos clientes a la gestión de la relación con el cliente, de la gestión de calidad a la medición del desempeño, los líderes de la industria han comprendido que instaurar procesos sistemáticos reduce el riesgo, evita la imprevisión y garantiza las mejores posibilidades de obtener buenos resultados. Sin embargo, la mayoría de las empresas aún no ha desarrollado un sistema para gestionar su proceso más importante: cómo desarrollar y ejecutar sus estrategias. En *The Execution Premium*, Robert Kaplan y David Norton demuestran que las empresas que utilizan un sistema formal de implementación de la estrategia sin duda superan a sus pares. Los autores sostienen que, si bien ya existen muchas de las herramientas necesarias para implementar una estrategia con efectividad, no se ha desarrollado todavía un marco que relacione los diversos elementos inherentes a esa implementación. En esta obra crean un sistema de gestión integral y novedoso que las empresas pueden utilizar para sustentar una ejecución estratégica de vanguardia.

The execution premium integrando la estrategia y las operaciones para lograr las ventajas competitivas

The Execution Premium

Linking Strategy to Operations for Competitive Advantage

Harvard Business Press In a world of stiffening competition, business strategy is more crucial than ever. Yet most organizations struggle in this area--not with formulating strategy but with executing it, or putting their strategy into action. Owing to execution failures, companies realize just a fraction of the financial performance promised in their strategic plans. It doesn't have to be that way, maintain Robert Kaplan and David Norton in *The Execution Premium*. Building on their breakthrough works on strategy-focused organizations, the authors describe a multistage system that enables you to gain measurable benefits from your carefully formulated business strategy. This book shows you how to: Develop an effective strategy--with tools such as SWOT analysis, vision formulation, and strategic change agendas Plan execution of the strategy--through portfolios of strategic initiatives linked to strategy maps and Balanced Scorecards Put your strategy into action--by integrating operational tools such as process dashboards, rolling forecasts, and activity-based costing Test and update your strategy--using carefully designed management meetings to review operational and strategic data Drawing on extensive research and detailed case studies from a broad array of industries, *The Execution Premium* presents a systematic and proven framework for achieving the financial results promised by your strategy.

Pensamiento estratégico: concepto, impulsores y

práctica

Alpha Editorial El origen de la estrategia, entendida como la forma de lograr un objetivo, proviene de la antigüedad; los guerreros fueron los primeros en desarrollar este concepto. La estrategia involucra el conocimiento de todos los factores que nos rodean: competitivos, tecnológicos, económicos, ambientales, políticos, culturales y sociales, y requiere de las más altas competencias del pensamiento humano.

Entre lo disciplinar y lo profesional

Panorama y experiencias en psicología organizacional y del trabajo en Iberoamérica

Programa Editorial UNIVALLE Ponemos en manos de la comunidad académica y profesional de la Psicología Organizacional y del Trabajo -POT- Iberoamericana el más reciente esfuerzo de visibilización y divulgación de parte de la reflexión derivada de investigación de un grupo importante de autores iberoamericanos que comparten sus ideas, sus resultados y formas de abordar diversos fenómenos de un multcampo en el que dos organizadores sociales como los son el trabajo y los espacios relacionales en los cuales se lleva a cabo, se encuentran o convergen como fenómeno social de interés. La presente obra se organiza alrededor de cuatro bloques temáticos en los cuales autores de diferentes latitudes discuten sobre trabajo, salud y calidad de vida; abordajes y lecturas clínicas del trabajo; formas de trabajo e inclusión social; e historias y particularidades de la POT en América Latina con referencias ampliadas en lo que comprendemos como Iberoamérica, pero manteniendo siempre una observación global y crítica como soporte a las ideas aquí presentadas. El lector encontrará en este libro marcos referenciales actualizados y amplios sobre las realidades actuales del mundo de las Organizaciones y el Trabajo vistos desde el campo multidisciplinar de la Psicología Organizacional y del Trabajo, que cada vez más implica la búsqueda de plurales sobre un singular que históricamente parecería haber restringido, más que facilitado, la comprensión de los fenómenos y problemáticas del mundo del trabajo.

Dirección estratégica hospitalaria para IPS públicas.

Metodología para el desarrollo de la planeación y el direccionamiento estratégico

Editorial de la Universidad Pedagógica y Tecnológica de Colombia - UPTC La planeación y la dirección estratégica son imprescindibles para administrar y controlar una organización, es por ello que, para el caso de las instituciones prestadoras de servicios de salud - IPS, no se contaba con un documento de referencia para las directivas y jefes de las áreas, que los oriente de manera didáctica, práctica y secuencial, desde distintas fases y componentes: en el análisis del contexto estratégico y los riesgos que enfrentan; en la formulación de la plataforma estratégica y las estrategias; en el diseño de la estructura estratégica, los planes y programas tácticos; en el despliegue del plan estratégico y el programa de información y comunicación de las estrategias formuladas y los planes, y finalmente, en la evaluación del plan, la estructura, estrategia y los planes de mejora, producto de la ejecución presentada. Esta obra se estructura en el contexto normativo y organizacional de las IPS en Colombia, así como el fundamento teórico desde las temáticas investigadas en el ámbito académico e institucional.

Environmental Sustainability and Development in Organizations

Challenges and New Strategies

CRC Press This book aims to analyze contexts and perspectives in the relationships between environmental sustainability, human development and organizations. The book combines different scientific approaches for enhancing our understanding of environmental sustainability, development economics and evaluate what the actual conditions in emerging economies are and how developing new process could improve the well-being of developing countries. Employing a collaborative and interdisciplinary approach, the authors work to determine the main related factors and outcomes of the relationship between challenges and new strategies in the environmental sustainability, ultimately seeking to guide public policies to enhance the welfare of the population of an emerging economy.

Gestión y proyectos

15 lecturas imprescindibles

CODEU (Corporación para el Desarrollo de la Educación Universitaria) **Probablemente como nunca en la Historia se están produciendo cambios muy rápidos y profundos en los sistemas económicos, empresariales y sociales. Tan rápido se suceden que no es fácil dotarlos de una denominación ni de una definición. Se le ha dado en llamar globalización, big data, realidad líquida y, últimamente, transformación digital. Son términos que se han venido a sumar a los de redes sociales, internet de las cosas, cloud computing, geoposicionamiento, realidad aumentada, negocios virtuales y a otros que vendrán. A pesar de la evidencia de ese cambio frenético, constante, imparable, a muchas organizaciones les cuesta ver qué tiene que ver con ellas y se encuentran ancladas a modos de gestión que ya no encajan con esta realidad. Por el contrario, algunas empresas forman parte del motor de esa evolución y se ven inducidas a concebir nuevas formas de organizarse y relacionarse, de producir y prestar servicios. Son organizaciones que en cualquier momento pueden saltar a sectores de actividad donde no se les espera y lo harán de forma disruptiva y contundente. La robótica ha salido de las fábricas y ahora se están desarrollando sistemas de automatización que afectan a todo tipo de función laboral. No importa lo sofisticada que parezca la tarea, si es configurable y procedimentable, no hay duda de que será robotizada. Probablemente queden fuera las actividades de creación, aquellas en las que haga falta la aplicación de criterio humano por la complejidad de las interacciones y las que impliquen una dimensión emocional. Los algoritmos que aprenden harán el resto.**

Construyendo foco

Nobuko **Las empresas constructoras no pueden seguir dándose el lujo de operar con altos costos y tan bajos niveles de productividad amparándose en que la industria de la construcción es la más imperfecta y artesanal de las industrias. Los altos márgenes del pasado que convalidaban todas las ineficiencias se han ido para, tal vez, ya no volver. En un mundo globalizado donde la única constante es el cambio, con clientes altamente informados que exigen cada vez mayor calidad, en menores plazos y con márgenes cada vez más estrechos, las empresas constructoras pueden y deben ser más eficientes. En este contexto, las empresas constructoras deben cuestionarse sus supuestos más profundos para poder seguir siendo competitivas, identificando las limitaciones, tangibles e intangibles, que les impiden alcanzar su máximo potencial. Este libro trata de herramientas, de muy bajo costo de implementación, que permitirán a las empresas constructoras ser mucho más eficientes a la hora de materializar sus estrategias y carteras de proyectos con el consiguiente aumento de la productividad y la competitividad. Herramientas que constituyen verdaderas palancas para potenciar el pensamiento, de los directivos y profesionales del sector construcción, a los efectos de generar ideas para mejorar la performance de las empresas constructoras y lograr una rentabilidad sostenible. Construyendo Foco es una novela sobre los problemas y vicisitudes que enfrentan los jefes de obra y capataces en el día a día de sus obras y cómo resolverlos en forma ganar - ganar por medio de pensamiento sistémico y la Teoría de las Restricciones.**

Gestión de los riesgos en el trabajo

Clara Vanegas ediciones **Este libro es una invitación a repensar la forma tradicional de gestionar los riesgos en el trabajo, para lo cual ofrece una variedad de situaciones y ejemplos prácticos que ayudan a comprender la manera cómo opera un sistema de gestión, teniendo en cuenta las interrelaciones entre los elementos que lo constituyen. Se explican muchos de los "cómo" de la norma OHSAS 18001, los cuales pueden preparar a la empresa para una posible certificación mediante la construcción de un compromiso genuino con el cambio y con la transformación de la cultura de prevención. Se desglosa, mediante ejemplos y gráficas clarificadoras, conceptos fundamentales en torno a la planeación estratégica, la evaluación de los riesgos, el diseño de proyectos y procedimientos, la definición de indicadores de gestión, las herramientas estadísticas, las técnicas de participación, la comunicación y la consulta, el entrenamiento por competencias y la investigación de los eventos en el trabajo, entre otros elementos propios de un enfoque moderno de la gestión organizacional.**

Gestión Moderna del Mantenimiento Industrial. Principios fundamentales

Ediciones de la U **A nivel mundial, día a día se otorga mayor atención a las actividades de estímulo a la economía y el crecimiento organizacional de los países en desarrollo. Sin embargo, el progreso industrial no se reduce sólo a la inversión en nuevas instalaciones de producción y a la transferencia de tecnologías extranjeras, sino que es indispensable utilizar efectivamente las instalaciones existentes, donde uno de los requisitos primordiales es establecer un servicio sistémico y técnico de mantenimiento eficiente, eficaz, seguro y económico de los activos industriales. El texto se presenta como un documento actualizado sobre la gran diversidad de aplicaciones industriales, derivadas de la gerencia moderna, la Gestión de los Activos, el proceso de mejoramiento continuo japonés (Kaizen) y la Gestión de la Calidad Total. A lo largo del libro se incluyen los elementos necesarios para establecer un programa de Optimización Integral del Mantenimiento Industrial enmarcada dentro de la filosofía moderna y las recomendaciones**

para desarrollar un proyecto de Mantenimiento de Clase Mundial. El documento está dividido en siete capítulos que presentan desde los principios, las generalidades y los postulados del mantenimiento, con sus políticas gerenciales y el proceso de optimización para alcanzar el Mantenimiento Excelente, en el primer capítulo, hasta el desarrollo de Sistemas Expertos para el Mantenimiento, en el último capítulo. El texto se presenta como un documento actualizado sobre la gran diversidad de aplicaciones industriales, derivadas de la gerencia moderna, la Gestión de los Activos, el proceso de mejoramiento continuo japonés (Kaizen) y la Gestión de la Calidad Total. A lo largo del libro se incluyen los elementos necesarios para establecer un programa de Optimización Integral del Mantenimiento Industrial enmarcada dentro de la filosofía moderna y las recomendaciones para desarrollar un proyecto de Mantenimiento de Clase Mundial.

La Respuesta País

Liderazgo Decisivo y Estrategia para Combatir Al Coronavirus

Desde finales de 2019, el coronavirus viene causando millones de casos y muertes alrededor del mundo, está presente en nuestra agenda y afecta nuestra forma de vivir. Hasta ahora queda evidenciado que el 80 % de los casos y muertes se están produciendo solo en el 20 % de los países del mundo, es decir, gran parte de los países tienen formas de combatirlo con éxito. En torno a este escenario se construye el libro La respuesta país de Wilfredo Pimentel, un ensayo que ejemplifica en sus seis capítulos los diversos casos de éxito y propone una estrategia abierta para combatir al coronavirus. Para Wilfredo Pimentel; combatir al coronavirus debe tener la potencia necesaria para contener cualquier otra pandemia por desatarse, no se debe regresar al punto cero. En este contexto, considera que el desempeño de la Organización Mundial de la Salud no ha sido eficiente, no ha proporcionado una visión estratégica de salud suficiente sobre la pandemia y esta institución debe renovarse. En el contexto del Perú y otros países que tienen alto número de casos y muertes, la mayor responsabilidad se debe a estrategias inadecuadas, más que al efecto mortal del coronavirus. Una sociedad tiene que restablecer su viabilidad en menos de 120 días y no debe tener segundas olas que no se puedan controlar rápidamente. La respuesta país al ser un modelo de estrategia abierta, su construcción identifica las claves en la data de coronavirus que se han producido en combatir al coronavirus en diferentes países del mundo. Considera que cualquiera sea el nivel de propagación del coronavirus, la estrategia debe ejecutarse con rapidez en el contexto de un marco específico. Además de las claves identificadas, su construcción se sostiene en los conceptos desarrollados en los libros The Execution Premium y Platform Revolution, incide en establecer Equipos de Gestión de la Estrategia, la ayuda de mapas estratégicos y Balanced Scorecard, integrar operaciones e implementación de plataformas tecnológicas. Como estrategia abierta prioriza la participación de la persona, la dinámica social y del Estado, como actores principales capaces de integrarse y combatir al coronavirus con procedimientos convencionales que tienen éxito en el mundo, sin llegar a una vacuna que modifica la genética humana y cuyos efectos aún no conocemos. Wilfredo Elías Pimentel Serrano, consultor en Proyectos de Mejora de Procesos, Estrategia, Gestión de Calidad y Black Belt Certificado en Lean Six Sigma.

La Respuesta País a la Pandemia

Liderazgo decisivo y estrategia abierta para combatir al coronavirus

Desde finales de 2019, el coronavirus ha causado millones de casos y muertes en todo el mundo, está presente en nuestra agenda diaria y afecta la forma en que vivimos. Hasta ahora, está claro que el 80% de los casos y muertes ocurren solo en unos 15 países del mundo. Es decir, 179 países han logrado reducir el impacto del coronavirus con resultados menos dolorosos. Wilfredo Pimentel, a lo largo de los seis capítulos del libro "La respuesta país", ejemplifica los diferentes casos de éxito y fracasos que se han producido en la lucha contra el coronavirus; propone una estrategia abierta para combatirlo. En este contexto, considera que el desempeño de la Organización Mundial de la Salud no ha sido adecuado y no ha proporcionado la visión estratégica de salud que se necesitaba para combatir al coronavirus, y esta institución necesita ser renovada. Para Wilfredo Pimentel, las experiencias de la lucha contra el coronavirus deben servir de base para poder combatir cualquier otra pandemia que estalle en el futuro. No se debe volver a contar desde cero. En Perú y otros países con un alto número de casos y muertes por coronavirus, los impactos más significativos que se han producido han sido causados por errores en las estrategias de los líderes de las naciones, más que por los efectos propios de la causa viral. No se ha ejercido un liderazgo decisivo para combatir el coronavirus y restaurar la viabilidad del país en corto tiempo, o prevenir segundas olas. Las experiencias de decenas de países que han logrado combatir el coronavirus en menos de 120 días no se han aplicado adecuadamente. "La respuesta país a la pandemia", es un ensayo de estrategia abierta. En su construcción se ha identificado las claves estratégicas que pueden ayudar a combatir al coronavirus. Cualquiera que sea el nivel de propagación; el plan debe aplicarse rápidamente en un marco específico apropiado. El desarrollo de la estrategia abierta se basa en los libros The Execution Premium y Platform Revolution. Además de las claves identificadas, considera los conceptos de Equipos de Gestión de Estrategias, Equipo de Gestión de Operaciones, Mapas Estratégicos, Cuadro de Mando Integral, Proceso

Clave, Plataforma Tecnológica, etc. Como estrategia abierta, prioriza la participación del individuo, de las dinámicas sociales, del sector privado y del Estado, como principales actores capaces de integrarse para combatir al coronavirus con procedimientos convencionales que han logrado mitigar el impacto de la pandemia. La idea, es crear los espacios necesarios para lograr la cura definitiva sin llegar a una vacuna que modifique la genética humana y cuyos efectos todavía no los conocemos, que se viene promocionando para su masivo uso sin haberse completado la tercera fase de las investigaciones.

Policing Democracy

Overcoming Obstacles to Citizen Security in Latin America

[JHU Press](#) **Finally, Policing Democracy probes democratic politics, power relations, and regional disparities of security and reform to establish a framework for understanding the crisis and moving beyond it.**

The Balanced Scorecard

Translating Strategy into Action

[Harvard Business Review Press](#) **The Balanced Scorecard translates a company's vision and strategy into a coherent set of performance measures. The four perspectives of the scorecard--financial measures, customer knowledge, internal business processes, and learning and growth--offer a balance between short-term and long-term objectives, between outcomes desired and performance drivers of those outcomes, and between hard objective measures and softer, more subjective measures. In the first part, Kaplan and Norton provide the theoretical foundations for the Balanced Scorecard; in the second part, they describe the steps organizations must take to build their own Scorecards; and, finally, they discuss how the Balanced Scorecard can be used as a driver of change.**

Strategic Management

Concepts and Cases

[Prentice Hall](#) **"Both the challenges and opportunities facing organizations of all sizes today are greater than ever. Illegal immigration across the U.S.-Mexico border has reached emergency levels. There is less room than ever for error today in the formulation and implementation of a strategic plan. This textbook provides a systematic effective approach for developing a clear strategic plan. Changes made in this twelfth edition are aimed squarely at illustrating the effect of this new world order on strategic-management theory and practice. ... This twelfth edition provides updated coverage of strategic-management concepts, theory, research, and techniques in the chapters."--Preface.**

Measure What Matters

How Google, Bono, and the Gates Foundation Rock the World with OKRs

[Portfolio](#)

Shopper Marketing

How to Increase Purchase Decisions at the Point of Sale

[Kogan Page Publishers](#) **Shopper Marketing details how marketers can influence the buying decision in-store. The 35 contributors from top companies around the world have packed the book with practical advice on shopper needs and trends, retail environments, effective packaging and much more to equip product and brand managers, packaging experts, merchandising specialists and more with the tools they need to be successful in this field of sales promotion. The second edition of Shopper Marketing has been fully updated to include a new forward by marketing guru Philip Kotler and 12 new articles that reflect the current changes in the fast growing area, focusing specifically on the international scope, the online presence and the future of shopper marketing. New case studies from India, China, Brazil and Japan also add to the depth and breadth of the first edition.**

The High Roller Experience: How Caesars and Other World-Class Companies Are Using Data to Create an Unforgettable Customer Experience

McGraw Hill Professional The marketing guru of Caesars/Harrah's shows how you can double-down and win with a proven data-driven approach Walking through Caesars in Las Vegas may seem like a dream—the lights are not too bright, the temperature is perfect, and everything is within your reach. But behind this “magical” experience is a carefully choreographed performance based on deep understanding and rigorous analysis of extensive data to help ensure guests have an incredible and personalized experience. The Caesars marketing story is recognized as one of the best examples of using data to improve the customer experience and marketing effectiveness in all of business. Marketing legend David Norton orchestrated the initiatives that made Harrah's/Caesars Entertainment one of the greatest marketing companies in the world. His approach of using data to identify opportunities for the business, developing the narrative to sell throughout the organization and partnering with various constituents to drive successful implementation operationally is unparalleled. In *The High Roller Experience*, he shares his secrets to creating an unbeatable marketing strategy. In addition to discussing core items such as analytics, CRM and loyalty programs, he examines the leadership and organizational processes required to create a customer-centric and data informed business. The author also shares case studies from the work at GALE helping companies leverage technology advances to improve the customer experience and build customer loyalty across a wide-range of industries. With this book to guide you, you'll learn how to use loyalty programs, analytics, and technology to drive phenomenal transformational change and rapid revenue growth within your own organization.

PROJECT MANAGER

How to pass the PMP Exam without dying in the attempt

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Business Model Generation

A Handbook for Visionaries, Game Changers, and Challengers

John Wiley & Sons *Business Model Generation* is a handbook for visionaries, game changers, and challengers striving to defy outmoded business models and design tomorrow's enterprises. If your organization needs to adapt to harsh new realities, but you don't yet have a strategy that will get you out in front of your competitors, you need *Business Model Generation*. Co-created by 470 "Business Model Canvas" practitioners from 45 countries, the book features a beautiful, highly visual, 4-color design that takes powerful strategic ideas and tools, and makes them easy to implement in your organization. It explains the most common Business Model patterns, based on concepts from leading business thinkers, and helps you reinterpret them for your own context. You will learn how to systematically understand, design, and implement a game-changing business model--or analyze and renovate an old one. Along the way, you'll understand at a much deeper level your customers, distribution channels, partners, revenue streams, costs, and your core value proposition. *Business Model Generation* features practical innovation techniques used today by leading consultants and companies worldwide, including 3M, Ericsson, Capgemini, Deloitte, and others. Designed for doers, it is for those ready to abandon outmoded thinking and embrace new models of value creation: for executives, consultants, entrepreneurs, and leaders of all organizations. If you're ready to change the rules, you belong to "the business model generation!"

Children as Consumers

Insights and Implications

[Free Press](#)

A Bias for Action

How Effective Managers Harness Their Willpower, Achieve Results, and Stop Wasting Time

[Harvard Business Press](#) **Annotation.**

Closing the Execution Gap

How Great Leaders and Their Companies Get Results

[John Wiley & Sons](#) **CLOSING THE EXECUTION GAP** Once upon a time strategy was king. Leaders immersed themselves in the matter of planning how best to achieve their company's goals. The subject dominated the attention of senior executives and the writings of consultants and management gurus. Experts of various stripes weighed in on how to put strategic planning processes in place and transform employees at all levels into strategic thinkers. Naturally, leaders assumed all this strategizing would pay off. And yet, for too many organizations the promised results never came to pass. Quite simply, they couldn't execute. Now, the business world has shifted its focus to the consistent delivery of results. If an organization can't execute its plans and initiatives, nothing else matters: not the most solid, well thought-out strategy, not the most innovative business model, not even technological breakthroughs that could transform an industry. As it turns out, the "conventional wisdom" about what it takes to implement strategy and deliver results isn't all that wise. So what really differentiates the companies that are able to get things done day-to-day and deliver consistent results? The answer is found in the pages of Richard Lepsinger's ground-breaking book, *Closing the Execution Gap*. Based on extensive research and years of practical experience, the book outlines five prerequisites for effective execution and five "Bridges" that differentiate companies that do it best. It also describes six "Bridge Builders" leaders at all levels can use to close the execution gap in their company or team and help people get things done. Specifically, it addresses: What really gets in the way of getting things done—for individuals, teams and entire companies What leaders can do to enhance their organization's ability to close the execution gap and achieve solid business results What it takes to consistently execute plans and initiatives at a day-to-day operational level The book features many case studies of companies that have a track record of effective execution (Hewlett-Packard, Costco, Procter & Gamble) and those who have struggled with closing the gap between creating a vision and delivering results (Dell, American Airlines, GM). As the business world becomes more competitive and less forgiving, execution matters more than ever. This is a book for the times we live in—and one that for many companies could mean the difference between success and failure.

Alignment

Using the Balanced Scorecard to Create Corporate Synergies

[Harvard Business Press](#) **Most organizations consist of multiple business and support units, each populated by highly trained, experienced executives. But often the efforts of individual units are not coordinated, resulting in conflicts, lost opportunities, and diminished performance. Robert S. Kaplan and David P. Norton argue that the responsibility for this critical alignment lies with corporate headquarters. In this book, the authors apply their revolutionary Balanced Scorecard management system to corporate-level strategy, revealing how highly successful enterprises achieve powerful synergies by explicitly defining corporate headquarters' role in setting, coordinating, and overseeing organizational strategy. Based on extensive field research in organizations worldwide, Alignment shows how companies can build an enterprise-level Strategy Map and Balanced Scorecard that clearly articulate the "enterprise value proposition": how the enterprise creates value above that achieved by individual business units operating alone. The book provides case studies, actionable frameworks, and sample scorecards that show how to align business and support units, boards of directors, and external partners with the corporate strategy and create a governance process that will ensure that alignment is sustained. The next breakthrough in strategy execution from the field's premier thinkers, Alignment shows how today's companies can unlock unrealized value from enterprise synergies.**

Balanced Scorecard Evolution

A Dynamic Approach to Strategy Execution

John Wiley & Sons **The best plan is useless without effective execution** The future of business has become so unpredictable that your five-year plan may be irrelevant next week. To succeed in the modern market, you must constantly assess your progress and adapt on the fly. Agility, flexibility, continual learning, and adaptation are the new rules of business success. A differentiating strategy is crucial, but it will only lead to competitive advantage if you execute it flawlessly. You'll succeed only if you have the right insight for strategic planning and the agility to execute your plan. **Balanced Scorecard Evolution: A Dynamic Approach to Strategy Execution** provides the latest theory and practice from strategic planning, change management, and strategy execution to ensure your business is flexible, future ready, and primed for exceptional execution. Author Paul R. Niven guides you through the new principles of The Balanced Scorecard and shows you how to apply them to your planning and strategy execution endeavors. Read case studies that illustrate the theory and practice of strategic agility and execution Learn how to create the objectives, measures, targets, and strategic initiatives that can make your plan a reality Use the latest change management techniques to boost strategy execution success Gain the knowledge and tools you need to face your challenges head-on Motivate your employees to change behaviors toward plan accommodation Making a plan isn't enough. You must actually take steps to implement your plan, and this requires excellent leadership skills. Change can be hard, and your organization may be resistant. **Balanced Scorecard Evolution: A Dynamic Approach to Strategy Execution** provides everything you need to make things happen.

Winning At Innovation

The A-to-F Model

Palgrave Macmillan **Innovate or Die!** Companies that cannot innovate and develop new products, strategies and technologies to keep ahead in today's fast paced market will not succeed. **Winning at Innovation** presents a ground breaking new model for successful marketing advancement from two world-leading experts in marketing and innovation, Fernando Trías de Bes and Philip Kotler. Innovation is a responsibility normally assigned to R&D departments but this is not enough. Companies need a systematic framework so innovation can occur at any level of the organization. The A-F Model is a step-by-step process for developing a successful culture of innovation, bringing together the different individuals and groups across the organization for ideas to be created, developed and implemented. Offering flexibility, the model allows a back and forth flow of ideas and creativity to adapt to changing circumstances. Using this model, companies can learn how to make their innovation processes more effective, more sustainable, and more successful. Innovation must be a priority for organizations who want to be ready to grow and develop in post-recession economies. Trías de Bes and Kotler present a unique model for innovation for all companies that want to succeed in the global field.

Strategy Maps

Converting Intangible Assets Into Tangible Outcomes

Harvard Business Press **The authors of "The Balanced Scorecard" and "The Strategy-Focused Organization" present a blueprint any organization can follow to align processes, people, and information technology for superior performance.**

Balanced Scorecard Step-by-Step

Maximizing Performance and Maintaining Results

John Wiley & Sons **This book explains how an organization can measure and manage performance with the Balanced Scorecard methodology. It provides extensive background on performance management and the Balanced Scorecard, and focuses on guiding a team through the step-by-step development and ongoing implementation of a Balanced Scorecard system. Corporations, public sector agencies, and not for profit organizations have all reaped success from the Balanced Scorecard. This book supplies detailed implementation advice that is readily applied to any and all of these organization types. Additionally, it will benefit organizations at any stage of Balanced Scorecard development. Regardless of whether you are just contemplating a Balanced Scorecard, require assistance in linking their current Scorecard to management processes, or need a review of their past measurement efforts, Balanced Scorecard Step by Step provides detailed advice and proven solutions.**

Profit from the Core

A Return to Growth in Turbulent Times

Harvard Business Press When **Profit from the Core** was published in 2001, it became an international bestseller, helping hundreds of companies find their way back to profitable growth after the bursting of the Internet bubble. The 2007 global financial meltdown reaffirmed the perils of pursuing heady growth through untested strategies, as firms in industries from finance to retailing to automobiles strayed too far from their core businesses and suffered the consequences. In this updated edition of **Profit from the Core**, authors Chris Zook and James Allen show that a renewed focus on the core is more critical than ever as firms seek to rebuild their competitive advantage coming out of the downturn—and that a strong core will be the foundation for successful expansion as the economy recovers. Based on more than ten years of Bain & Company research and analysis and fresh examples from firms responding to the current downturn, the book outlines what today's executives and managers need to do now to revitalize their core, identify the next wave of profitable growth, and build on it successfully. Zook and Allen explain how companies can:

- Develop a strong, well-defined core and use it to establish a leadership position
- Follow the golden rule of strategy: discourage competitors from investing in your core
- Assess whether your core is operating at its full potential
- Uncover hidden assets in your core that provide the seeds for new growth
- Find a repeatable formula to apply core business strengths in adjacent markets

Building on powerful and proven ideas to meet today's formidable business challenges, **Profit from the Core** is the back-to-basics strategy field guide no manager should be without.

The Strategy-focused Organization

How Balanced Scorecard Companies Thrive in the New Business Environment

Harvard Business Press In today's business environment, strategy has never been more important. Yet research shows that most companies fail to execute strategy successfully. Behind this abysmal track record lies an undeniable fact: many companies continue to use management processes—top-down, financially driven, and tactical—that were designed to run yesterday's organizations. Now, the creators of the revolutionary performance management tool called the **Balanced Scorecard** introduce a new approach that makes strategy a continuous process owned not just by top management, but by everyone. In **The Strategy-Focused Organization**, Robert Kaplan and David Norton share the results of ten years of learning and research into more than 200 companies that have implemented the **Balanced Scorecard**. Drawing from more than twenty in-depth case studies—including Mobil, CIGNA, Nova Scotia Power, and AT T Canada—Kaplan and Norton illustrate how **Balanced Scorecard** adopters have taken their groundbreaking tool to the next level. These organizations have used the scorecard to create an entirely new performance management framework that puts strategy at the center of key management processes and systems. Kaplan and Norton articulate the five key principles required for building **Strategy-Focused Organizations**: (1) translate the strategy to operational terms, (2) align the organization to the strategy, (3) make strategy everyone's everyday job, (4) make strategy a continual process, and (5) mobilize change through strong, effective leadership. The authors provide a detailed account of how a range of organizations in the private, public, and nonprofit sectors have deployed these principles to achieve breakthrough, sustainable performance improvements. Presenting a practical, proven framework steeped in rich case study experience, **The Strategy-Focused Organization** helps solve a universal management problem—not just how to formulate strategy, but how to make it work. Building on one of the most revolutionary business ideas of our time, this important book shows how today's leaders can shape their own companies to meet the challenges and reap the rewards of a new competitive era. Robert S. Kaplan is the Marvin Bower Professor of Leadership Development at Harvard Business School. David P. Norton is President of **Balanced Scorecard Collaborative, Inc.**

Competing Against Luck

The Story of Innovation and Customer Choice

HarperCollins The foremost authority on innovation and growth presents a path-breaking book every company needs to transform innovation from a game of chance to one in which they develop products and services customers not only want to buy, but are willing to pay premium prices for. How do companies know how to grow? How can they create products that they are sure customers want to buy? Can innovation be more than a game of hit and miss? Harvard Business School professor Clayton Christensen has the answer. A generation ago, Christensen revolutionized business with his groundbreaking theory of disruptive innovation. Now, he goes further, offering powerful new insights. After years of research, Christensen has come to one critical conclusion: our long held maxim—that understanding the customer is the crux of innovation—is wrong. Customers don't buy products or services; they "hire" them to do a job. Understanding customers does not drive innovation success, he argues. Understanding customer jobs does. The "Jobs to Be Done" approach can be seen in some of the world's most respected companies and fast-growing startups,

including Amazon, Intuit, Uber, Airbnb, and Chobani yogurt, to name just a few. But this book is not about celebrating these successes—it's about predicting new ones. Christensen contends that by understanding what causes customers to "hire" a product or service, any business can improve its innovation track record, creating products that customers not only want to hire, but that they'll pay premium prices to bring into their lives. Jobs theory offers new hope for growth to companies frustrated by their hit and miss efforts. This book carefully lays down Christensen's provocative framework, providing a comprehensive explanation of the theory and why it is predictive, how to use it in the real world—and, most importantly, how not to squander the insights it provides.

Work-Related Learning

[Springer Science & Business Media](#) **Work-related learning (WRL)** is a topic of steadily increasing interest to today's vocational education institutions as well as organizations in business and industry. This book derives from an international HRD conference held at the University of Twente, The Netherlands. Key papers from the conference have been combined with other high-standard contributions. Together they offer an international collection of leading edge research. The book brings together contributors from various parts of the EU and the USA and includes examples of good practice and recent research on work-related learning. Work-related learning can be broadly seen to be concerned with all forms of education and training closely related to the daily work of (new) employees, and is increasingly playing a central role in the lives of individuals, groups or teams and the agenda's of organizations. However, as this area of study becomes more prominent, debates have opened about the nature of the field, as well as about its configurations and effects. For example, some authors have a broad definition of WRL and define it as learning for work, at work and through work, ranging from formal, through semi-structured to informal learning. Others prefer to use the concept of WRL mainly in connection to informal, incidental learning processes during work, leading to competent workplace learners. Formal and informal learning are distinguished from each other with respect to the level of intention (implicit/non-intentional/incidental versus deliberative/intentional/structured). Another point of discussion originates from the different 'theoretical backgrounds' of the authors: the 'learning theorists' versus the 'organizational theorists'. The first group is mainly interested in the question of how learning comes about; the second group is predominantly interested in the search for factors affecting learning. This book is essential reading for practitioners, researchers, teachers and students in the HRM and HRD field as well as in the field of VET.

Organizational Communication

[WCB/McGraw-Hill](#) **Abstract:** This book discusses communication and the dynamics of relationships within organizations. **Topics include:** theories, propositions, and directions of organizational communication climate; transactional, personal, and serial nature of communication; methods, purposes and networks used to create and exchange verbal messages within organizations; the creation and exchange of nonverbal messages in organizations; the types and purposes of dyadic organizational communication; and, planning of organizational communication diagnosis.

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Learning From Doing

Routledge ' **Measuring the sustainability of development is crucial to achieving it, and is one of the most actively studied issues in the area. To date, most studies of measurements or indicators have been largely theoretical. However, this book, a follow-on to Bell and Morse's highly influential Sustainability Indicators (1999), presents valuable practical advice on how to develop measurements that will work in real-life development contexts. It describes and analyses how to derive, validate and apply indicators in the course of an actual development project - in this case the Mediterranean Action Plan in Malta. The authors explain the trade-offs and constraints involved and how it is possible to combine the open-ended and flexible perspectives of sustainability with the more linear processes and fixed targets of specific projects through the use of pragmatic and reflective methodologies.**

Corporate Income Taxes under Pressure

Why Reform Is Needed and How It Could Be Designed

International Monetary Fund **The book describes the difficulties of the current international corporate income tax system. It starts by describing its origins and how changes, such as the development of multinational enterprises and digitalization have created fundamental problems, not foreseen at its inception. These include tax competition—as governments try to attract tax bases through low tax rates or incentives, and profit shifting, as companies avoid tax by reporting profits in jurisdictions with lower tax rates. The book then discusses solutions, including both evolutionary changes to the current system and fundamental reform options. It covers both reform efforts already under way, for example under the Inclusive Framework at the OECD, and potential radical reform ideas developed by academics.**