



"People leave managers, not companies"

"Talent is the multiplier. The more energy and attention you invest in it, the greater the yield. The time you spend with your best is, quite simply, your most productive time."

Marcus Buckingham, First, Break All the Rules:
 What the World's Greatest Managers Do Differently

### **In-Person Classroom Sessions**

# Tuesdays • 10 am-Noon Sep 21-Nov 16

• Full Series: \$285

• Individual sessions: \$35 each

All print handouts are included, with a three-ring binder and dividers for series attendees.

## **ZOOM Option**

Mondays • 1-3 pm Oct 18-Dec 13

Full Series ONLY: \$285

Handouts are sent by email weekly and recordings are available for one week

following each session. Application activities are tailored for Zoom and all students are asked to fully participate in break-out session discussions.



#### **Topic Descriptions**

#### **Transition to Supervising**

Classroom: Sep 21 @ 10am-Noon Zoom: Oct 18 @ 1-3pm Lay the groundwork for supervisory success by exploring different management styles, setting appropriate expectations and learning four habits that make a great "boss."

#### **Communication Tools**

Classroom: Sep 28 @ 10am-Noon Zoom: Oct 25 @ 1-3pm Learn how processing styles impact communication, practice listening and asking questions effectively, and understand the keys to talking like a performance coach.

#### **Keys to Conflict Management**

Classroom: Oct 5 @ 10am-Noon Zoom: Nov 1 @ 1-3pm Discuss key elements of conflict resolution and consider multiple techniques for guiding contentious situations to positive outcomes.

#### A Culture of Accountability

Classroom: Oct 12 @ 10am-Noon Zoom: Nov 8 @ 1-3pm Lead with accountability to clarify goals, establish expectations, build confidence and achieve your desired results.

#### **Performance Coaching**

Classroom: Oct 19 @ 10am-Noon Zoom: Nov 15 @ 1-3pm Provide faster and more positive feedback to enhance employee skills and help them meet performance goals while finding their work rewarding and respecting you.

#### **Time Management**

Classroom: Oct 26 @ 10am-Noon Zoom: Nov 22 @ 1-3pm Focus on strategies to maximize your work time to feel productive and reduce stress - including the art of delegation and recognizing time drains.

#### **Taking Charge of Change**

Classroom: Nov 2 @ 10am-Noon Zoom: Nov 29 @ 1-3pm By understanding typical human reactions to change, you can reduce misunderstandings and anxiety, help employees accept changes more quickly and minimize decreased productivity.

#### **Creating Strong Teams**

Classroom: Nov 9 @ 10am-Noon Zoom: Dec 6 @ 1-3pm
Focus on steps you can take to help the members of your team
connect with each other and work more productively together.

#### **Developing a Leadership Mindset**

Classroom: Nov 16 @ 10am-Noon Zoom: Dec 13 @ 1-3pm Broaden your perspective on how to create strategy, keep yourself sharp and visualize a profitable future for your organization.

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