

"WE HAVE DEEP DEPTH": TRANSITIONING TO A LIBRARY TEAM

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"Baseball has it's own literature. It even has its own language. The game goes back to before the Civil War, but it never gets old. Neither does a good baseball book."

Yogi Berra, from [Forward] Anatomy of Baseball, 2008

Yogi managed the Mets from 1972-1975 with a record of 292-296 with them and with the Yankees he managed for a little over 2 (1964, 1984-1985), with a record of 192-148.

A combined total of 484-444.



BASEBALL IS 90% MENTAL AND THE OTHER HALF IS PHYSICAL

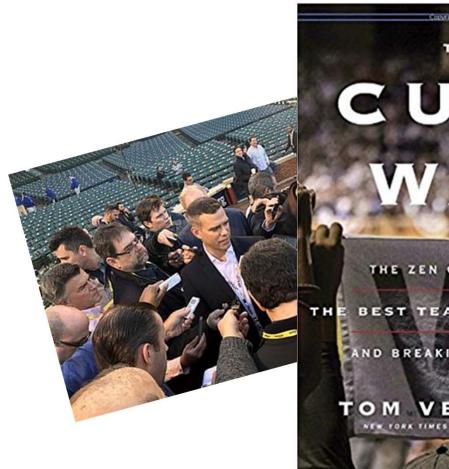
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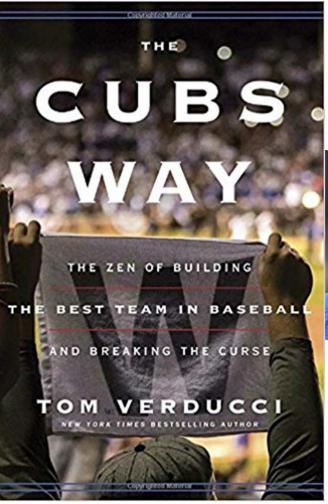
Moneyball: The Art of Winning an Unfair Game by Michael Lewis

Theo Nathaniel Epstein

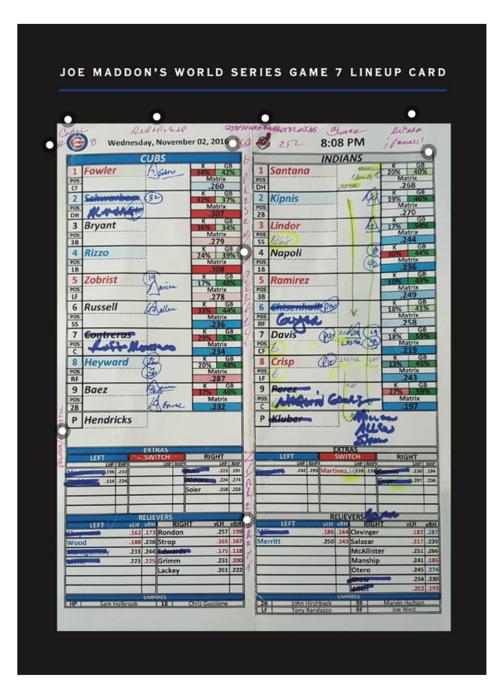
Joseph John "Joe" Maddon Jr.

"I hate OPS - on base plus slugging!" Kim Hoffman









LEGEND

PURPLE INK

Maddon's handwritten pregame notes to himself.

PENCIL WITH YELLOW HIGHLIGHTER

"B": Candidates to bunt.

RELIEF PITCHERS WITH ARROWS: Preferred usage through parts of Cleveland lineup.

LIGHT BLUE PEN

NUMBERS IN CIRCLES: A circle is placed next to the name of the hitter who made the last out of an inning against the starting pitcher. The number denotes the total pitches by the starter at that point.

NUMBERS INSIDE A TRIANGLE: A triangle refers to the last out against a relief pitcher and his total pitches, with the name of the relief pitcher added.

"PIC" INSIDE A CIRCLE: Runners vulnerable to being picked off.

HEAVY BLUE MARKER

LINEUP CHANGES: Maddon puts a line through the names of position players who are removed and pitchers once they enter. Note that the name of Bauer had not been originally listed among Cleveland relievers.

PRINTED INFORMATION

BATTERS: Right-handed hitters in black, left-handed hitters in blue, switch-hitters in red.

"K" AND "GB": Percentage of plate appearances in which the hitter strikes out or hits a groundball. High strikeout rates are highlighted in red, medium rates are white, and low rates are shaded blue. For groundball rates, high rates are dark green and low rates are light green.

"MATRIX": The proprietary number Maddon assigns to each batter to capture how well the batter matches up against the starting pitcher. It follows a similar scale to batting average (.300 is very good, .200 very poor) but bakes every available hitting metric into one number, not just career hits divided by at-bats. The Matrix is color-coordinated. Moving from least favorable for the hitter to most favorable, the colors in the spectrum are blue, light blue, white, pink, and red.

"vLH" AND "vRH": Batting averages against relief pitchers, based on left-handed or right-handed hitters. Matchups favorable to pitchers are in red. Matchups favorable to hitters are in blue. Neutral matchups are in black.

IT'S DEJA VU ALL OVER AGAIN

What?

What are Social groups? Their metaphysics and how to classify them by Brian Epstein

How?

Social Brain Hypothesis – Dunbar number = 150 IT Revolution – neuromorphic computing

Why?

The Wisdom of Teams by Jon R. Katzenbach and Douglas K. Smith

Where?

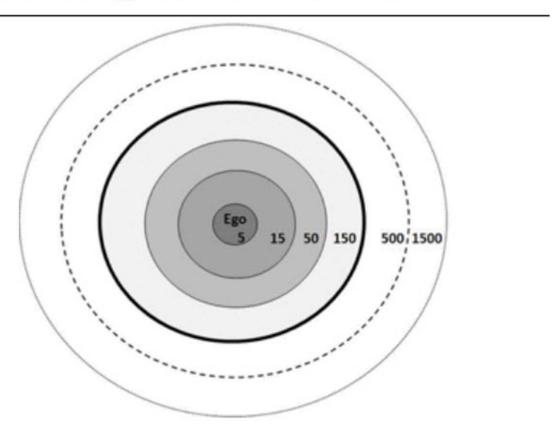
"Stacks, Platforms, Interfaces: A Field Guide to Information Spaces" @ Pratt, ACRL, Yale by Shannon Mattern

Brian Epstein..."Social groups have innumerable functions and purposes. They arise from a combination of conscious invention, unconscious habits, repeated patterns, routines, practices, and environmental features. And they come in staggering variety."

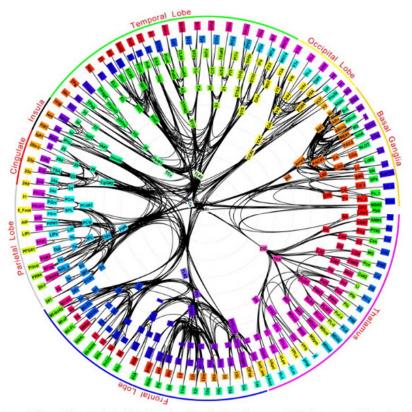
Among the kinds of groups are sports teams, baseball teams, major league baseball teams, minor league baseball teams, college baseball teams, intramural baseball teams, pickup baseball teams, research groups, musical groups, pop bands, symphony orchestras, marching bands, social classes, races, genders, demographic cohorts, psychographic cohorts, geographic cohorts, corporate marketing groups, corporate HR groups, boards of directors, rioting mobs, marching platoons, processions of mourners,... we could go on and on, listing kinds and sub-kinds.

The Social Brain Hypothesis and Human Evolution by Robin I.M. Dunbar

The Social Brain Hypothesis and Human Evolution



Neuromorphic computing



Network diagram of the macaque brain, which Dharmendra Modha used to design his neuromorphic chip (image courtesy of Dhamendra Modha and IBM). [-]

Table 10-1

Behavioral Changes Demanded by Performance in the 1990s and Beyond

FROM

Individual accountability

TO

Mutual support, joint accountability, and trust-based relationships in addition to individual accountability

Expecting everyone to think, work, and do

Encouraging people to play multiple roles and work together interchangeably on continuous improvement

Getting people to buy into meaningful purpose, to help shape direction, and to learn

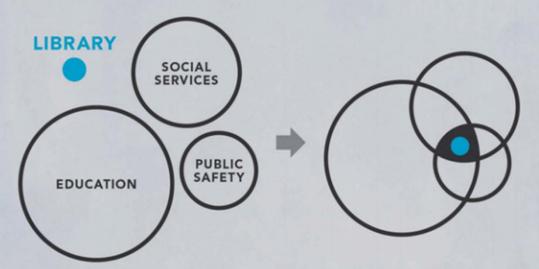
Aspiring to personal growth that expands as well as exploits each person's capabilities

Re-Envisioning Branch Libraries, UNION

THE NEW YORK TIMES, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2015

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The Linchpin of Social Infrastructure

nperial presidency become, in rys, more imperial than his

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pe of Obama's moves can be at that basic imperial reality is as he has maintained much of ra national security architecresident has been more willing military operations without nal approval; more willing to ssassination and deal death serican citizens; and more aghis war on leakers, whistle-

ame time, he has been much essive than Bush in his use of ower to pursue major domes-

d journalists.

From Page 1

209,000 protected areas, which cover 15.4 percent of the planet's terrestrial and inland water areas and 3.4 percent of the oceans, according to the I.U.C.N.

I could have gone to the Brisbane G-20 ummit meeting, but I thought this was

from hoteliers. "How do we get them to down," he said. Virunga has "become an understand that the value of that lake staying pristine is more valuable than up a country, not the other way around. any hotels?" she asks.

John Gross, an ecologist with the U.S. National Park Service, who has worked in Yellowstone for 20 years, uses a NASA vation International, explains to me the

in Siberia, is now under huge pressure institution [in the country] has broken island of stability." This is a park holding

> Carlos Manuel Rodríguez, Costa Rica's former minister of environment and energy and now a vice president of Conser-

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http://www.wordsinspace.net/shannon/2017/04/02/stacks-platforms-interfaces-a-field-guide-to-information-spaces-pratt-acrl-yale/

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"I've come to learn over the years that librarians are often a sober, acutely self-critical bunch, quick to acknowledge their institution's failures, hypocrisies, and ignoble histories. So I feel compelled to note that framing the library as a zone of exception..."

YOU'VE GOT TO BE VERY CAREFUL IF YOU DON'T KNOW WHERE YOU ARE GOING, BECAUSE YOU MIGHT NOT GET THERE

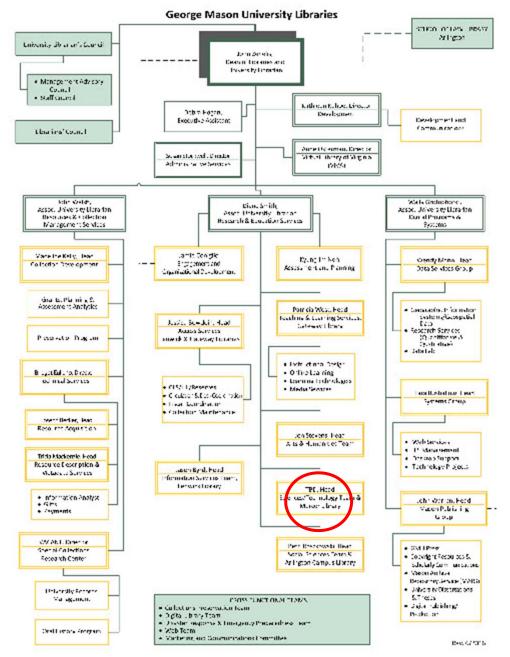
SWOT ANALYSIS

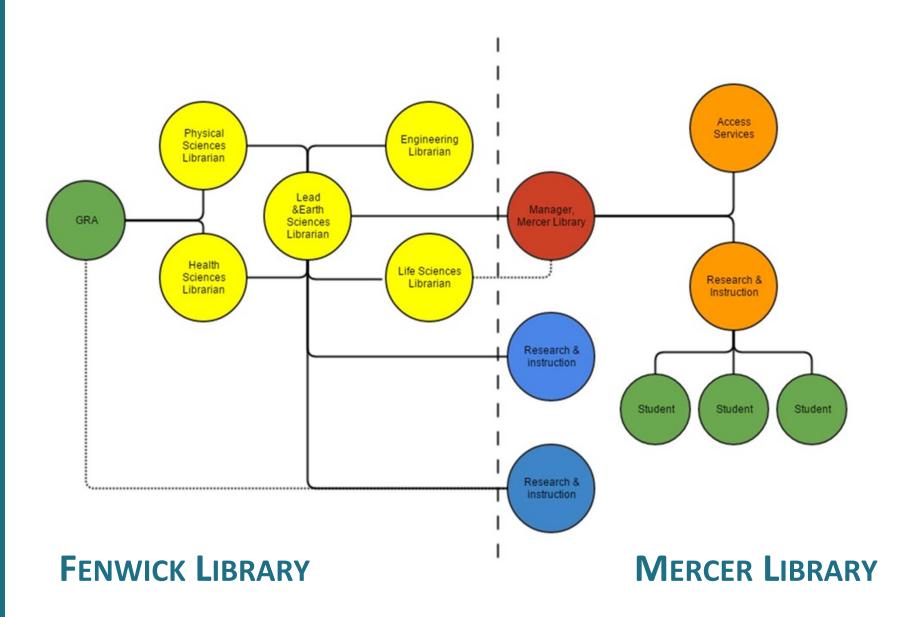


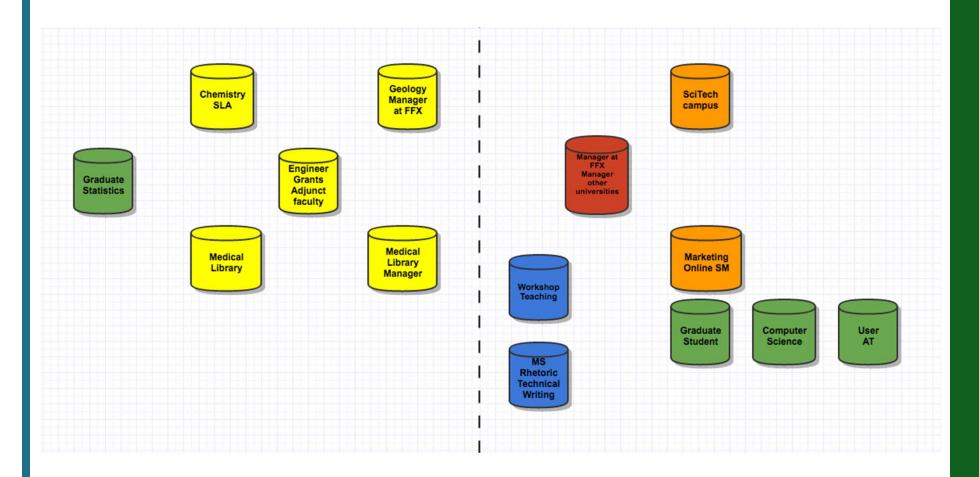
Situational Analysis 4 Gradient Matrix

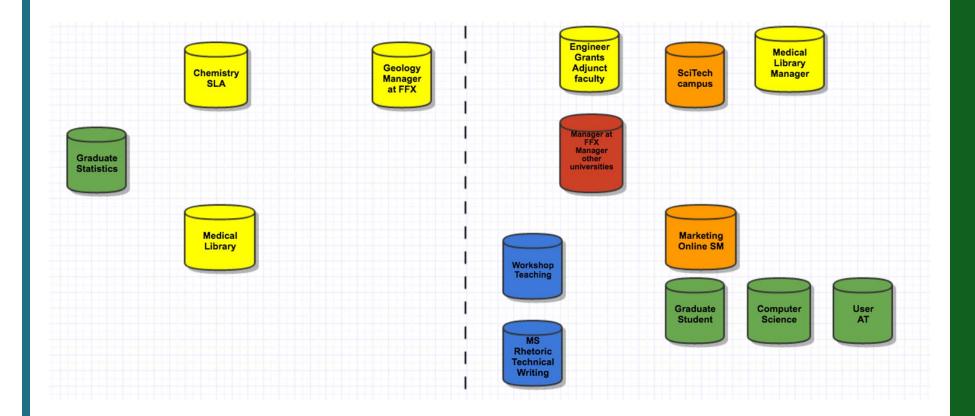
SWOT Analysis Template
State what you are assessing here
(This particular example is for a new business opportunity. Many criteria can apply to more than one quadrant. Identify criteria appropriate too your own SWOT

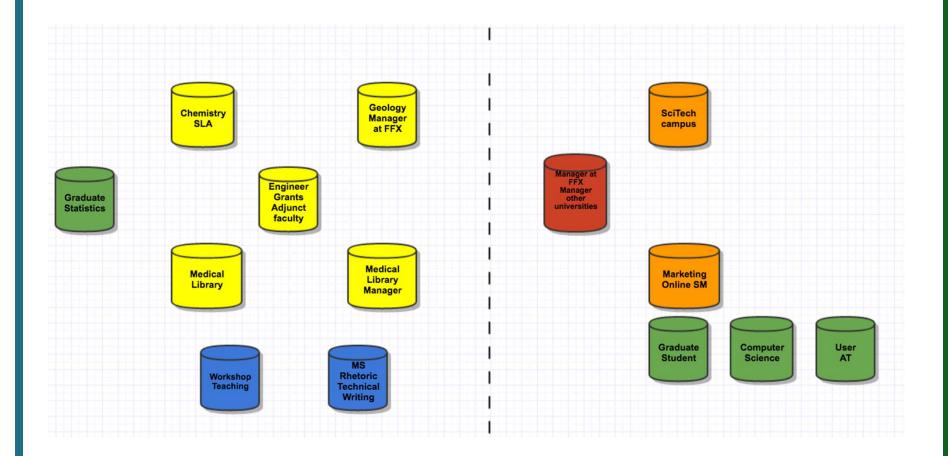
Criteria examples Advantages of proposition Capabilities Competitive advantages USP's (unique selling points) Resources, Assets, People Experience, knowledge, data Financial reserves, likely returns Marketing - reach, distribution, awareness Innovative aspects Location and geographical Price, value, quality Accreditations, qualifications, certifications Processes, systems, IT, communications	Strengths	Weaknesses	Criteria examples Disadvantages of proposition Gaps in capabilities Lack of competitive strength Reputation, presence and reach Financials Own known vulnerabilities Timescales, deadlines and pressures Cash flow, start-up cash-drain Continuity, supply chain robustness Effects on core activities, distruction Reliability of data, plan predictability Morale, commitment, leadership Accreditations etc
Criteria examples Market developments Competitors' vulnerabilities Industry or lifestyle trends Technology development and innovation Global influences New markets, vertical, horizontal Niche target markets Geographical, export, import New USP's Tactics: eg, surprise, major contacts Business and product development Information and research Partnerships, agencies	Opportunities	Threats	Criteria examples Political effects Legislative effects Environmental effects IT developments Competitor intentions - various Market demand New technologies, services, ideas Vital contracts and partners Sustaining internal capabilities Obstacles faced Insurmountable weaknesses Loss of key staff Sustainable financial backing Economy - home, abroad Seasonality, weather effects

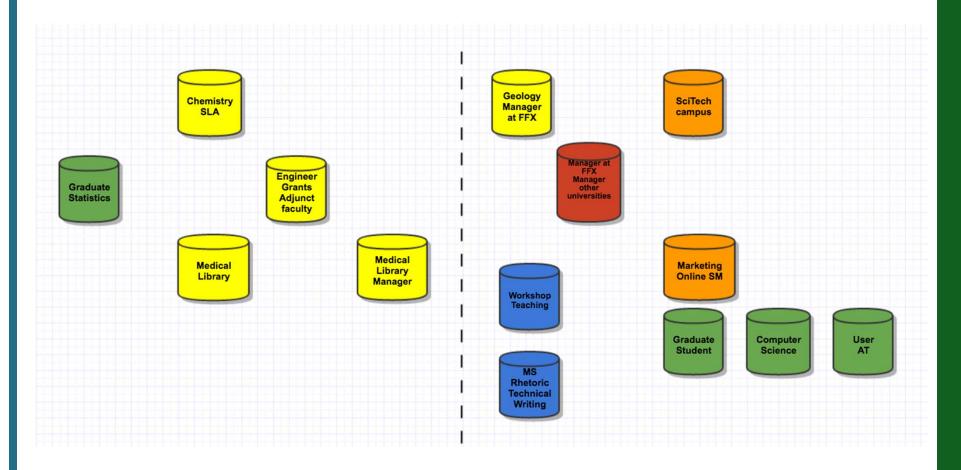


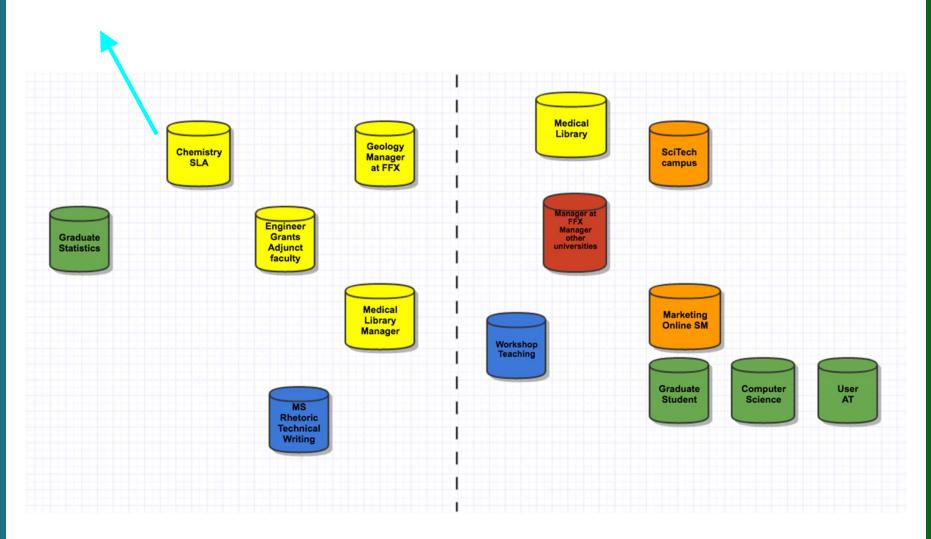












Let Go of Your Fears

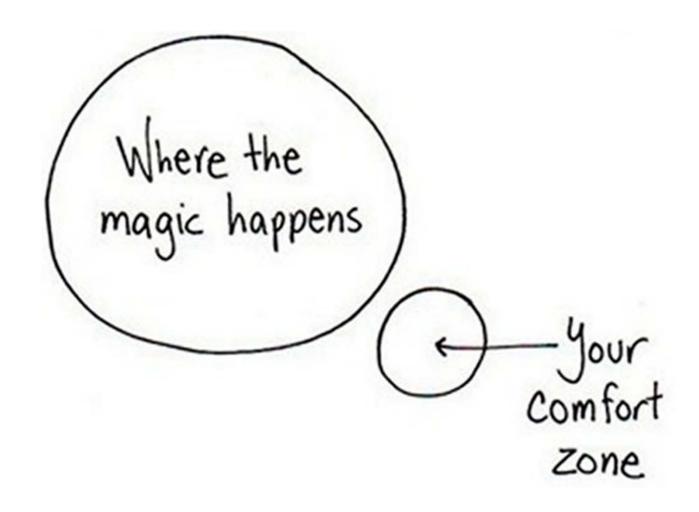
Approach with Success in Mind

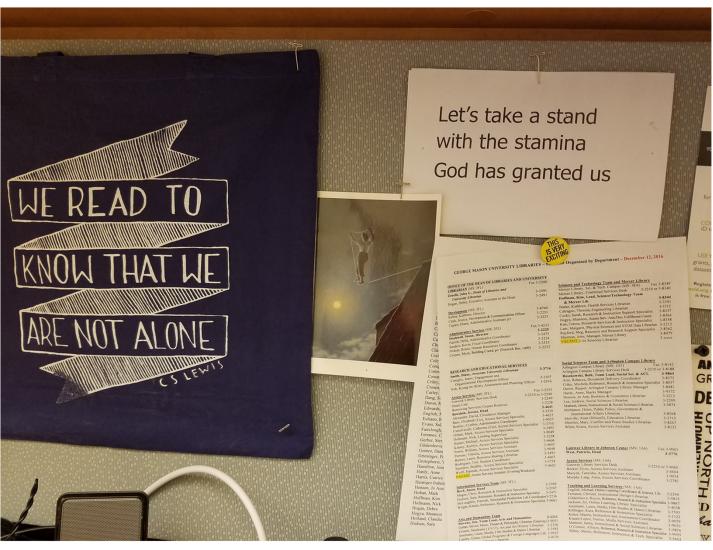
Be Mindful of the Present

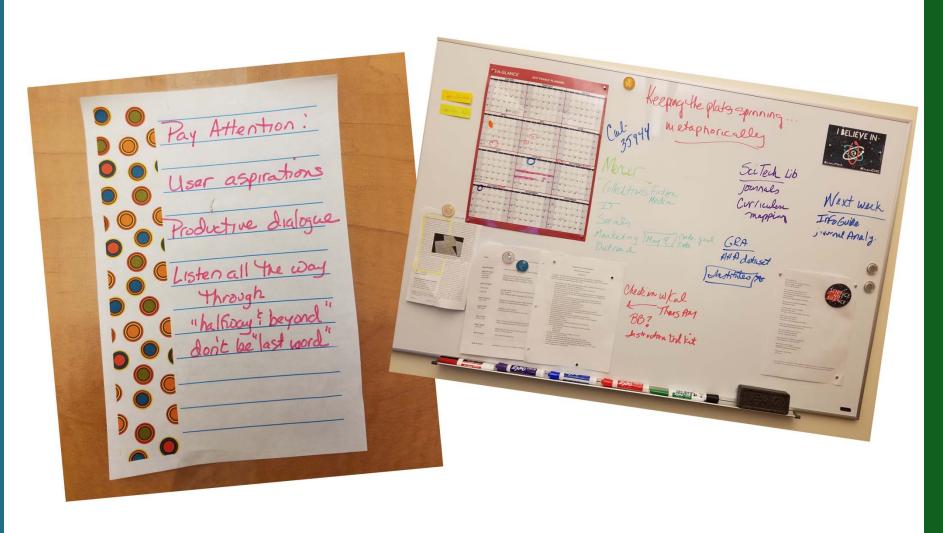
Don't Let Emotions Cloud Your Judgement

Believe in Your CauseFrom 5 Leadership Lessons From the Jedi

Low Impact	High Impact	
	Low Impact	Low Impact High Impact







I NEVER SAID MOST OF THE THINGS I SAID

Interpersonal communication:

4X

time

> rate of change = more communication

Cement = frequency + quality

+ consistency + meaningfulness

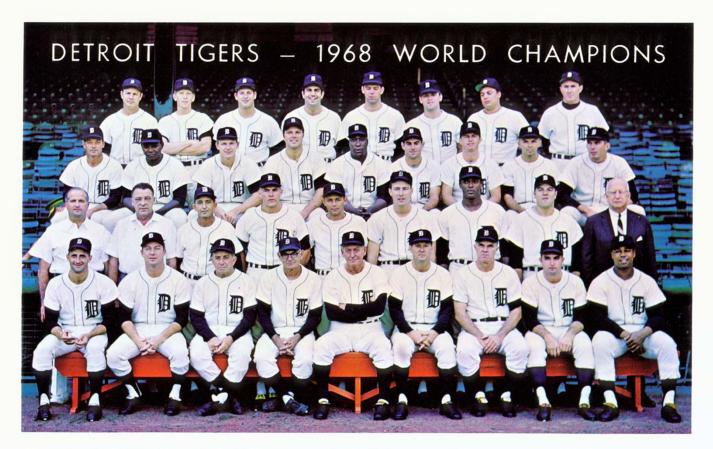
"is that clear?" and "do you understand" but, however, although

Listen, listen more, let every voice be heard

Respect Their History

Pivot to the Future - Knowing CHANGE is Constant

You Are Not Alone - You Have a Team



Front row—Don Wert, Al Kaline, Tony Cuccinello, Wally Moses, Manager Mayo Smith, Hal Naragon, John Sain, Wayne Comer, Willie Horton.

Second row—Bill Behm (trainer), John Hand (equipment), Julio Moreno (batting practice pitcher), Mickey Stanley, Ray Oyler, Fred Lasher, Earl Wilson, Jon Warden Charles C. Creedon (traveling secretary).

Third row—Roy Face, John Wyatt, Jim Northrup, Bill Freehan, Gates Brown, Dick McAuliffe, Jim Price, Dick Tracewski, Daryl Patterson.

Back row—Norm Cash, Tom Matchick, Mickey Lolich, Joe Sparma, Pat Dobson, Denny McLain, John Hiller, Don McMahon.

In a column published on October 11, 1968, Detroit's senior baseball writer, Joe Falls, described the impact of the Tigers championship on the city.

"My town, as you know, had the worst riot in our nation's history in the summer of 1967, and it left scars which may never fully heal. . . . And so, as 1968 dawned and we all started thinking ahead to the hot summer nights in Detroit, the mood of our city was taut. It was apprehensive. . . . But then something started happening in the middle of 1968. You could pull up to a light at the corner of Clairmount and 12th, which was the hub of last year's riot, and the guy in the next car would have his radio turned up: ' McLain looks in for the sign, he's set – here's the pitch' ... It was a year when an entire community, an entire city, was caught up in a wild, wonderful frenzy."



"...baseball is the only team sport in which scoring is not done by the ball."

Roger Angell, On the Ball in Anatomy of Baseball 2008

"I know of few other places or people better equipped ... Few institutions that are themselves, essentially, architectural and programmatic "field guides" to finding our better selves in a reckless, uncivil world. There are few institutions in which I, for one, have more faith. "

Shannon Mattern, "Stacks, Platforms, Interfaces: A Field Guide to Information Spaces"



TAKE IT WITH A GRIN OF SALT

For more information...

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WHEN YOU COME TO A FORK IN THE ROAD, TAKE IT

THE GAME ISN'T OVER UNTIL IT'S OVER