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The Win Without Pitching Manifesto

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the business skills every creative needs remaining relevant as a creative professional takes more than creativity you need to understand the language of business the problem is that design school doesn't teach the strategic language that is now essential to getting your job done creative strategy and the business of design fills that void and teaches left brain business skills to right brain creative thinkers inside you'll learn about the business objectives and marketing decisions that drive your creative work the curtains have been pulled away as marketing speak and business jargon are translated into tools to help you understand client requests from a business perspective build a strategic framework to inspire visual concepts increase your relevance in an evolving industry redesign your portfolio to showcase strategic thinking win new accounts and grow existing relationships you already have the creativity now it's time to gain the business insight once you understand what the people across the table are thinking you'll be able to think how they think to do what we do

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2010

it takes more than just a design school education and a killer portfolio to succeed in a creative career burn your portfolio teaches the real world practices professionals do's and don'ts and unwritten rules of business that most designers photographers web designers copy writers programmers and architects only learn after putting in years of experience on the job michael janda owner of the utah based design firm riser uses humor to dispense nugget after nugget of hard won advice collected over the last decade from the personal successes and failures he has faced running his own agency in this surprisingly funny but incredibly practical advice guide janda's advice on teamwork and collaboration relationship building managing clients bidding work production processes and more will resonate with creative professionals of all stripes

Creative Strategy and the Business of Design

2016-06-14

praise for implementing value pricing a radical business model for professional firms ron baker is the most prolific and best writer when it comes to pricing services this is a must read for executives and partners in small to large firms ron provides the basics the advanced ideas the workbooks the case studies everything this is a must have and a terrific book reed k holden founder and ceo holden advisors corp associate professor columbia university holdenadvisors.com we've known through ron baker's earlier books that he's not just an extraordinary thinker and truly brilliant writer he's a mover and a shaker on a mission this is the end of time brilliant paul dunn chairman blg1 blg1.com implementing value pricing is a powerful blend of theory strategy and tactics ron baker's most recent offering is ambitious in scope exploring topics that include economic theory customer orientation value identification service positioning and pricing strategy he weaves all of them together seamlessly and includes numerous examples to illustrate his primary points i have applied the knowledge i've gained from his body of work and the benefits to me and to my customers have been immediate significant and ongoing brent uren principal valuation business modeling ernst young ey.com ron baker is a revolutionary he is on a radical crusade to align the interests of service providers with those of their customers by having lawyers accountants and consultants charge based on the value they provide rather than the effort it takes implementing value pricing is a manifesto that establishes a clear case for the revolution it

provides detailed guidance that includes not only strategies and tactics but key predictive indicators for success it is richly illustrated by the successes of firms that have embraced value based pricing to make their services not only more cost effective for their customers but more profitable as well the hallmark of a manifesto is an unyielding sense of purpose and a call to action let the revolution begin robert g cross chairman and ceo revenue analytics inc author revenue management hard core tactics for market domination

Burn Your Portfolio

2013-05-27

build a relationship with your customers and close the sale more surely the socratic approach respects the power of the customer the customer has the need the power and the decision making authority socratic selling shows you how to access that power to cooperate with it and to make it work for you inside you will discover how to open a sales dialogue dynamically so that you and your customer go right to the heart of the matter guide the dialogue through a discovery of needs and needed decisions negotiate objections and close effectively uncover the motivators that move sales to more predictable closure

Implementing Value Pricing

2010-11-29

st louis cardinals manager mike matheny s new york times bestselling manifesto about what parents coaches and athletes get wrong about sports what we can do better and how sports can teach eight keys to success in sports and life mike matheny was just forty one without professional managerial experience and looking for a next step after a successful career as a major league catcher when he succeeded the legendary tony la russa as manager of the st louis cardinals in 2012 while matheny has enjoyed immediate success leading the cards to the postseason four times in his first four years a major league record people have noticed something else about his life something not measured in day to day results instead it s based on a frankly worded letter he wrote to the parents of a little league team he coached a cry for change that became an internet sensation and eventually a manifesto the tough love philosophy matheny expressed in the letter contained his throwback beliefs that authority should be respected discipline and hard work rewarded spiritual faith cultivated family made a priority and humility considered a virtue in the matheny manifesto he builds on his original letter by first diagnosing the problem at the heart of youth sports it starts with parents and coaches and then by offering a hopeful path forward along the way he uses stories from his small town childhood as well as his career as a player coach and manager to explore eight keys to success leadership confidence teamwork faith class character toughness and humility from the coach is always right even when he s wrong to let your catcher call the game matheny s old school advice might not always be popular or politically correct but it works his entertaining and deeply inspirational book will not only resonate with parents coaches and athletes it will also be a powerful reminder from one of the most successful new managers in the game of what sports can teach us all about winning on the field and in life

Socratic Selling: How to Ask the Questions That Get the Sale

1995-08-22

and action if a message feels important enough for video it s likely because you want to move the audience to action potential investors to take a stake in your company current employees to embrace a new initiative prospective employees to bring their talents to your organization your video can help you inspire your tribe the people you want to influence to take action but if you want them to do more

than listen your audience needs to feel an authentic connection with you veteran filmmaker vern oakley offers strategies that can help you relax and be their best authentic self in front of the camera the return on investment will be a stronger connection to those you want to reach heightened respect prestige and interest in their organization a stronger brand and a longer lasting legacy leadership in focus is a comprehensive entertaining guide for leaders who realize that it s not just what you say on camera that s important it s how you say it whether a ceo middle manager or budding entrepreneur making youtube videos to influence their tribe this book will help them rally others around a message

The Matheny Manifesto

2015-02-03

best selling brand expert marty neumeier shows you how to make the leap from a company driven past to the consumer driven future you ll learn how to flip your brand from offering products to offering meaning from value protection to value creation from cost based pricing to relationship pricing from market segments to brand tribes and from customer satisfaction to customer empowerment in the 13 years since neumeier wrote the brand gap the influence of social media has proven his core theory a brand isn t what you say it is it s what they say it is people are no longer consumers or market segments or tiny blips in big data they don t buy brands they join brands they want a vote in what gets produced and how it gets delivered they re willing to roll up their sleeves and help out not only by promoting the brand to their friends but by contributing content volunteering ideas and even selling products or services at the center of the book is the brand commitment matrix a simple tool for organizing the six primary components of a brand your brand community is your tribe how will you lead it

Leadership in Focus

2017-04-04

buy now to get the main key ideas from blair enns s the win without pitching manifesto for creative businesses that sell ideas or advice pitching to clients may mean parting with their work for free in the win without pitching manifesto 2010 business coach blair enns offers a better way for creative businesses to gain clients using his practical advice creative businesses can avoid the trap of commoditization set themselves apart in a crowded marketplace and build a sustainable and profitable business model based on trust and expertise

The Brand Flip

2015-07-24

praise for mastering the complex sale jeff thull s process plays a key role in helping companies and their customers cross the chasm with disruptive innovations and succeed with game changing initiatives geoffrey a moore author of crossing the chasm and dealing with darwin this is the first book that lays out a solid method for selling cross company cross border even cross culturally where you have multiple decision makers with multiple agendas this is far more than a selling process it is a survival guide a truly outstanding approach to bringing all the pieces of the puzzle together ed daniels evp shell global solutions downstream president cri criterion inc mastering the complex sale brilliantly sets up value from the customer s perspective a must read for all those who are managing multinational business teams in a complex and highly competitive environment samik mukherjee vice president onshore business technip customers need to know the value they will receive and how they will receive it thull s insights into the complex sale and how to clarify and quantify this value are

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remarkable mastering the complex sale will be required reading for years to come lee tschanz vice president north american sales rockwell automation jeff thull is winning the war against commoditization in his world value trumps price and commoditization isn't a given it's a choice this is a proven alternative to the price driven sale we've spoken to his clients this stuff really works folks dave stein ceo and founder es research group inc our business depends on delivering breakthrough thinking to our executive clients jeff thull has significantly redefined sales and marketing strategies that clearly connect to our global audience read it act on it and take your results to exceptional levels sven kroneberg president seminarium internacional jeff's main thesis that professional customer guidance is the key to success rings true in every global market today mastering the complex sale is the essential read for any organization looking to transform their business for long term value driven growth jon t lindekugel president 3m health information systems inc jeff thull has re-engineered the conventional sales process to create predictable and profitable growth in today's competitive marketplace it's no longer about selling it's about guiding quality decisions and creating collaborative value this is one of those rare books that will make a difference carol pudnos executive director healthcare industry dow corning corporation

Summary of Blair Enns's The Win Without Pitching Manifesto

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james victore is a dangerous man his ideas on optimizing your creativity doing wow work and building a life that inspires will devastate your limits and show you how to win read this book fast robin sharma 1 bestselling author of the monk who sold his ferrari begin before you're ready renowned designer and professional hell raiser james victore wants to drag you off your couch and throw you headfirst into a life of bold creativity he'll guide you through all the twists trials and triumphs of starting your creative career from finding your voice to picking the right moment to start a project hint it's now bring your biggest craziest most revolutionary ideas and he will give you the kick in the pants you need to make them real no matter what industry or medium you work in this book will help you live work and create freely and fearlessly here are some dangerous ideas the things that made you weird as a kid make you great today work is serious play your ego can't dance the struggle is everything freedom is something you take there ain't no rules take a risk try them out live dangerously more praise for feck perfection in james victore's new book he unequivocally proves why he is the master he is in every chapter he challenges and inspires the reader to reach for more to try harder and to create our best selves it is a magnificent and momentous experience all true debbie millman host design matters james victore got famous creating tough posters that shook me to the core he now does the same using the written word to you stefan sagmeister designer

Mastering the Complex Sale

2010-03-10

through an engaging and humorous narrative peter coughter presents the tools he designed to help advertising and marketing professionals develop persuasive presentations that deliver business readers will learn how to develop skills to create the perfect presentation

Feck Perfection

2019-03-05

most of us face the same questions every day what do i want and how can i get it how can i live more happily and work more efficiently this updated edition of the international bestseller distils into a single volume the fifty best decision making models used on mba courses and

elsewhere that will help you tackle these important questions from the well known the eisenhower matrix for time management to the less familiar but equally useful the swiss cheese model it will even show you how to remember everything you will have learned by the end of it stylish and compact this little black book is a powerful asset whether you need to plot a presentation assess someone s business idea or get to know yourself better this unique guide will help you simplify any problem and take steps towards the right decision

The Art of the Pitch

2016-09-29

christy mathewson 1880 1925 was the greatest baseball pitcher of his day a hero with appeal reaching beyond sports a college educated player from pennsylvania farm country he restored respectability to a game tarnished by the rowdies who had dominated baseball in the 1890s pitching in a pinch originally published in 1912 is an insider s account blending anecdote biography instruction and social history it celebrates baseball as it was played in the first decade of the twentieth century by famous contemporaries like honus wagner and rube marquand managers like john mcgraw and connie mack and many others always sensitive to psychology as well as technique mathewson describes the dangerous batters he faced the peculiarities of big league pitchers the good and bad of coaching umpiring sign stealing base running spring training and the importance of superstition to athletes matty as he was called makes the reader feel that tense moment when a player in a pinch must use his head

The Decision Book

2017-07-13

the world s economy has been transformed from a twentieth century materials based economy to the age of the knowledge based economy and the currency of this realm is ideas imagination creativity and knowledge according the world bank 80 of the developed world s wealth now resides in human capital perhaps president ronald reagan said it best in his address to moscow state university on may 31 1988 like a chrysalis we re emerging from the economy of the industrial revolution an economy confined and limited by the earth s physical resources into as one economist titled his book the economy in mind in which there are no bounds on human imagination and the freedom to create is the most precious natural resource written by ronald baker and ed kless hosts of the soul of enterprise business in the knowledge economy the popular radio show on voice america s business channel the soul of enterprise dialogues on business in the knowledge economy sounds the clarion call that organizations can no longer ignore this seismic shift that has occurred in the economy since 1959 the soul of enterprise introduces the three components of intellectual capital human capital social capital and structural capital and how to leverage them to create wealth in today s economy by revealing the physical fallacy why wealth no longer consists of tangible things but of ideas imagination and knowledge from human minds the best learning tool ever invented after action reviews why frederick taylor and the scientific management movement was a fraud and the wrong focus for knowledge workers the fact that effectiveness always and everywhere trumps efficiency the first law of pricing all value is subjective the second law of pricing all prices are contextual the morality of markets doing well and doing good why your organization and you need to be driven by a higher purpose than profit the soul of enterprise will inspire and challenge readers to unlock the enormous financial and competitive power hidden in the intellectual capital of their organizations and knowledge workers

Pitching in a Pinch, Or, Baseball from the Inside

1994-01-01

learn how to price creative work with confidence win more bids make more money when it comes to pricing their work far too many freelance designers and agencies merely guess what to charge their clients as a result profitable projects have as much to do with luck as they do anything else in the psychology of graphic design pricing you ll learn how to take luck out of the equation by calculating the cost to produce your work understanding its market value and extracting your client s budget these three variables are used in a pricing spectrum empowering you to price your work with confidence and profitability in every project opportunity this book will teach you how to calculate your production costs understand market value extract your client s budget bid with the right project price and increase your profitability

The Soul of Enterprise

2015-02-26

in an age of me too products and instant communications keeping up with the competition is not a winning strategy today you have to out position outmanoeuvre and out design the competition the new rule when everybody zigs zag in the recent bestseller the brand gap aiga new riders neumeier showed companies how to bridge the distance between business strategy and design in his latest book zag he illustrates the first big step in building a high performance brand radical differentiation

The Psychology of Graphic Design Pricing

2019-02-07

how can you take your skills and expertise and package and present it to become a successful consultant there are proven time tested principles strategies tactics and best practices the most successful consultants use to start run and grow their consulting business consulting success teaches you what they are in this book you ll learn how to position yourself as a leading expert and authority in your marketplace effective marketing and branding materials that get the attention of your ideal clients strategies to increase your fees and earn more with every project the proposal template that has generated millions of dollars in consulting engagements how to develop a pipeline of business and attract ideal clients productivity secrets for consultants including how to get more done in one week than most people do in a month and much much more

Zag

2007

the days of the image brands are over and new marketing has gone mainstream the world s biggest companies are pursuing a post advertising strategy moving away from advertising and investing in leading edge alternatives in the vanguard of the revolution has been john grant co founder of the legendary agency st luke s and author of the new marketing manifesto whose radical thinking has informed a generation now grant is set to stun the industry again in the brand innovation manifesto he redefines the nature of brands showing why old models and scales no longer work and revealing that the key to success today is impacting people s lifestyles think starbucks ipod and ebay at the

heart of the book is the concept of the brand molecule to which new cultural ideas can be constantly added to keep pace with change cataloguing 32 classes of idea grant presents a practical approach to mixing and matching them within your own market to develop new brand ideas and new ideas for existing brands

Consulting Success

2018-10-16

managing right for the first time is intended as a field guide for first time managers or for managers who want to begin doing a better job the author worked closely with 600 companies and interviewed more than 10 000 employees then summarized the findings in an interesting and eminently readable form read this book and you re likely to understand management and leadership like you never have before but also learn very practical steps toward becoming a better manager and leader

Brand Innovation Manifesto

2006-03-30

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Managing (right) for the First Time

2010

using the visual language of the boardroom marty neumeier presents the first unified theory of branding a set of five disciplines to help companies bridge the gap between brand strategy and brand execution those with a grasp of branding will be inspired by what they find here and those who would like to understand it better will suddenly get it

The Mechanics Of Building Construction

2019-04-08

a game changing framework for staying top of mind with your audience from the no 1 company dominating content marketing what do many successful businesses and leaders have in common they re the first names that come to mind when people think about their particular industries how do you achieve this level of trust that influences people to think of you in the right way at the right time by developing habits and strategies that focus on engaging your audience creating meaningful relationships and delivering value consistently day in and

day out it s the winning approach john hall used to build influence co into one of america s most promising companies according to forbes in this step by step guide he shows you how to use content to keep your brand front and center in the minds of decision makers who matter he reveals how consumer needs and expectations have changed and what this shift means for you how to build a helpful authentic and consistent brand that serves others just as well as it serves you proven methods for using digital content to enrich your target audience s lives in ways that build real lasting trust whether you re a marketing leader engaging an audience of potential customers a business leader looking to humanize your company brand or an industry up and comer seeking to build influence maintaining a prominent spot in your audience s minds will increase the likelihood that the moment they need to make a choice you ll be the first one they call there s no better way to drive opportunities that result in increased revenue and growth business is never just business it s always about relationships it s always about a human connection when you re viewed as a valuable trustworthy partner the opportunities are endless position yourself for success by establishing and developing content driven relationships that keep you and your brand top of mind

The Brand Gap

2006

why is jägermeister the most popular brand nobody likes why do women pay more to be fascinating than they spend on food and clothes what raises the price of gummy worms by 1000 and then there s the most important question of all how can your brand become impossible to resist master marketer sally hogshead reveals the surprising answers providing readers with a framework to fascinate anyone the word fascinate comes from the latin word fascinare meaning to bewitch or hold captive so others are powerless to resist fascination is the most powerful force of attraction drawing customers into a state of intense focus this extensively revised and updated edition includes hogshead s latest research on the science of fascination combining original case studies with award winning copywriting experience she gives you the exact words you need to capture the attention of a distracted world this new edition includes a free assessment tool called the brand fascination profile which will help you earn attention in any environment dive into the science of fascination and learn how to increase prices with ideas from poker to play doh build revenue by learning about the 14 million license plate get better leads through hypnosis by sigmund freud and steve jobs attract raving fans by following the cult of pistachio ice cream whether you realize it or not your brand is already applying one of the seven advantages hogshead describes here innovation passion power prestige mystique alert or trust the question is how can you apply these core advantages to stand out in a crowded and distracted world hundreds of large corporations small businesses and universities including twitter ibm porsche and new york university use the fascinate system to captivate their customers why the answers are in this book

Top of Mind: Use Content to Unleash Your Influence and Engage Those Who Matter To You

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1 wall street journal bestseller instant new york times bestseller a game changing approach to marketing sales and advertising seth godin has taught and inspired millions of entrepreneurs marketers leaders and fans from all walks of life via his blog online courses lectures and bestselling books he is the inventor of countless ideas that have made their way into mainstream business language from permission marketing to purple cow to tribes to the dip now for the first time godin offers the core of his marketing wisdom in one compact accessible timeless package this is marketing shows you how to do work you re proud of whether you re a tech startup founder a small business owner or part of a large corporation great marketers don t use consumers to solve their company s problem they use marketing to solve other people s problems their tactics rely on empathy connection and emotional labor instead of attention stealing ads and spammy email funnels no matter what your product or service this book will help you reframe how it s presented to the world in order to meaningfully connect with people

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who want it seth employs his signature blend of insight observation and memorable examples to teach you how to build trust and permission with your target market the art of positioning deciding not only who it s for but who it s not for why the best way to achieve your goals is to help others become who they want to be why the old approaches to advertising and branding no longer work the surprising role of tension in any decision to buy or not how marketing is at its core about the stories we tell ourselves about our social status you can do work that matters for people who care this book shows you the way

Fascinate, Revised and Updated

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robert kelsey s what s stopping you has become a self help classic his what s stopping you books have helped thousands of people worldwide overcome their limiting beliefs and bash through their barriers to success now robert is back to help us defeat the obstacles that stop us achieving more in our everyday lives many of us have the greatest of intentions but find ourselves procrastinating which results in low attainment and frustrated ambitions grounded in solid psychological research robert helps us examine why we might have these tendencies and how to overcome them in order to feel more together in control and on top of everything looks at the psychology behind why we procrastinate in order to understand and change our behaviour forming new effective habits provides practical solutions to help us get things done in real life situations including meetings on the phone with e mail looking for a job and starting a business includes techniques to improve focus and aid concentration examines how disorganisation is not innate and how we can learn processes that will allow us to be more effective how to bring control to certain areas of your life and reduce stress and uncertainty get things done is emotional ergonomics for the organisationally challenged individual at home at work with themselves and with others

This Is Marketing

2018-11-13

in this revised edition of her best seller noted sales consultant linda richardson offers salespeople the tools they need to successfully use customer focused dialogue selling featuring real world dialogue samples helpful dos and don ts self tests checklists and other useful tools this guide offers insight on every aspect of face to face selling from the initial introduction through the needs identification and the negotiation of terms and price to the successful close with prime emphasis on the six critical skills necessary to the dialogue driven sales call presence rapport building questioning listening product positioning and checking

The Positioning Manual for Indie Consultants

2022

make freelancing more stable freelancing is difficult it s tough to plan for growth in client volume and revenue when current income is too unstable to even consider anything beyond the here and now this book dives deep on making freelancing more stable beating trading water cycles repelling bad apple clients multiplying online exposure and follows the journey of liam with honest clear advice and guidance from laptop and rented desk to lm web agency achieve the freedom you re looking for a perennial business builder who finally got something to work liam veitch has many strings to his bow along with many failures to learn from designer and now founder at uk based web agency tone tone co uk as well as freelancer community freelancelift freelancelift com this book comprises everything he wished he knew first time around in his own words he did freelancing right this time and this book comes from a realisation that in the three years which passed this

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second time round as a freelancer the business has generated over 1 lm this debut feature length book lays out the key mindset fixes which made this possible who s it for this book exists to help freelancers earn more this month than they did last month by leveraging big business thinking and creating a state of constant evolutionary improvement my intention is to describe my experiences and provide inspiration and practical advice for putting them to work in your business these experiences have led to an enormous amount of financial freedom and professional predictability for me something i could only dream about before what s inside 226 pages of honest actionable advice to help you build something incredible from your tiny freelance business make freelancing more stable beat treading water cycles repel bad apple clients multiply online exposure build income predictability have dream clients find you leverage recurring revenue work less while earning more let s do this the purpose of this book is not to show you how to build an agency nor is it to improve the actual service you re providing i m making the assumption this is already the best it can be this book is here to help give a fresh perspective in a space dominated by mediocrity your time is now as a one person business it s easy to think that you re somehow exempt from that word business i m here to tell you this is what keeps most freelancers thinking like well freelancers screw that this book serves to lay out everything i wish i d have known first time around it s been exhausting a blast and i can t wait to show you what i came up with

Get Things Done

2014-03-31

how to do great work without being an asshole a new book by designer paul woods is a practical illustrated guide that does exactly what the title suggests it shows you how to be both creative and act like a grown up at work fast company it s long been an accepted almost celebrated fact of the creative industries that long hours chaotic workflows and egotistical colleagues are just the price you pay to produce great work in fact this toxic culture is the enemy of creativity and with greater accountability and transparency in the industry and more choice for young talent than ever before this unsustainable way of doing business is a ticking time bomb this is a straight talking fun read for all creatives director or junior at an agency or client side working in design advertising publishing fashion or film packed with anecdotes self analysis flowcharts are you the asshole humorous graphics and helpful exercises and action plans for better working practices simple strategies can easily be implemented to create a happier more productive team and importantly better work read this guide to develop the ultimate creative process and bring your productivity and teamwork to a new level how to do great work without being an asshole addresses hot topics like building a better office culture dealing with egos meeting etiquette best practices for pitching and scoping making the most of creative briefings how to give constructive clear feedback giving better presentations how to approach workloads and long hours guidelines for good client relationships hiring and being hired firing and being fired and much more

Stop Telling, Start Selling: How to Use Customer-Focused Dialogue to Close Sales

1997-09-22

1 new york times bestseller lambda literary award for bisexual nonfiction award winner a rip roaring edgy and unabashedly raunchy new collection of hilarious essays from the new york times bestselling author of we are never meeting in real life stay up all night miss your subway stop spit out your beverage funny jia tolentino new york times bestselling author of trick mirror irby is forty and increasingly uncomfortable in her own skin despite what inspirational instagram infographics have promised her she has left her job as a receptionist at a veterinary clinic has published successful books and has been friendzoned by hollywood left chicago and moved into a house with a garden that requires repairs and know how with her wife in a blue town in the middle of a red state where she now hosts book clubs and makes mason jar salads this is the bourgeois life of a hallmark channel dream she goes on bad dates with new friends spends weeks in los angeles taking meetings with tv executives slash amateur astrologers while being a cheese fry eating slightly damp midwest person with neck pain and no

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cartilage in her knees who still hides past due bills under her pillow the essays in this collection draw on the raw hilarious particulars of irby s new life wow no thank you is irby at her most unflinching riotous and relatable don t miss samantha irby s bestselling new book quietly hostile

Stop Thinking Like a Freelancer

2014-11-17

this deeply insightful guide to understanding what clients really want is an indispensable resource for consultants keith ferrazzi 1 new york times bestselling author of never eat alone independent consulting is a potentially lucrative enterprise but the reality seldom matches the dream most solo consultants and boutique consulting firms are perpetually within six months of bankruptcy due to the sputtering unreliability of their new business engines the problem according to international consulting expert david a fields is twofold 1 lack of a consistent proven plan and 2 fundamental misunderstanding about what clients want in a consultant fields who has helped hundreds of consultants and boutique firms worldwide build profitable sustainable practices replaces the typical consultant s mindset of emphasizing expertise and differentiated processes with a focus on building relationships engendering trust and solving clients existing problems in the irresistible consultant s guide to winning clients fields synthesizes his decades of experience into a step by step approach to winning more projects from more clients at higher fees from nuts and bolts business advice and tactics to a deeply insightful breakdown of the human side of a very human profession fields named one of advertising age magazine s marketing top 100 delivers a comprehensive guidebook that is at once highly approachable and satisfyingly detailed if i could have just one book on client strategy this book would be it marshall goldsmith 1 new york times bestselling author of triggers

How to Do Great Work Without Being an Asshole

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it s not the best companies that prevail in the marketplace but rather the best brands the goal of business strategy is not just to be better but different learn how to build a differentiating value proposition by clearly and carefully defining your brand boundaries calling competencies customers and culture positioning for professionals shows how a well defined value proposition can help professional service firms create their own success instead of copying the success of others including such concepts as how and why professional service brands become homogenized why standing for everything is the same as standing for nothing why there s no such thing as full service deep and narrow as a strategic imperative why it s better to be a profit leader than a market leader differentiation and price premiums how to map your brand on the matrix of relevance and differentiation how to define a value proposition that will make your firm intensely appealing to the customers who want you for what you do best based on the proven premise that the most profitable business strategy is not to aim at the center of the market but rather at the edges positioning for professionals is written for leaders managers and other senior executives of service companies in with a particular emphasis on professional service firms

Wow, No Thank You.

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reed holden founder holden advisors corp holdenadvisors com coauthor the strategy and tactics of pricing a guide to profitable decision making third edition with pricing on purpose ron baker had made an enormous contribution to the better understanding of pricing that will

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a win without pitching manifesto

be accessible to anyone who wants to learn people are intrigued by instances of what they see as idiosyncratic pricing sometimes it is idiosyncratic but oft times it is fiendishly clever and well researched so is this book there are examples that at first sight seem to have nothing to do with the subject at hand but the learning points are all made and explained in any number of interesting and memorable ways pricing on purpose is a welcome and valuable addition to the learning on pricing and i recommend it to professional pricers marketers and anyone interested in capturing the value their business creates eric g mitchell president professional pricing society pricingsociety.com ron baker is what i d call a thought giant in his first two books he literally began a revolution in the accounting and legal professions thousands of professionals in public practice now lead far better more rewarding lives thanks to him now he s broadened his impact in a huge way read this book implement the ideas and you ll never look at your prices or your pricing policies in the same way again you ll be richer in many ways because of it paul dunn founder and ceo resultsnet australia coauthor the firm of the future a guide for accountants lawyers and other professional services resultsnetaustralia.com as a reader of hundreds of business books i am thrilled when i come across one that has something new to say pricing on purpose does just that instead of presenting a set of feel good items to check off a list ron baker encourages us to think with him not like him he methodically builds his argument leading us through the labyrinth of pricing theory and encourages us to look at pricing as the strategic tool that it is rather than taking the lazy cost based tactical approach of most businesses to paraphrase karl marx in terms of baker s book cost based pricing is the opium of business ed kless director partner development and recruitment sage software baker has done it again building on the core principles that he advanced in professional s guide to value pricing and the firm of the future ron baker has again evolved thought leadership on the critical dynamics of value and pricing baker s latest work pricing on purpose creating and capturing value provides real world examples and practical strategies that provide a framework for pricing optimization his clarity of purpose and passionate call to action resonates in today s intellectual capital economy thomas finneran executive vice president american association of advertising agencies we love this book with detailed research thorough references and recommendations for further reading this could be considered a textbook that it is so readable and engaging is a triumph the chapter providing the epitaph for cost plus pricing is worth many times the price of this book got price sensitive customers wonder why read and stop weeping who s in charge of value in your company baker asks if you can t immediately answer you d better read this book bravo baker paul o byrne and paul kennedy partners o byrne and kennedy llp chartered accountants united kingdom obk.co.uk ron baker is nothing short of brilliant and his enthusiasm for pricing is contagious pricing on purpose will add more value to your firm than anything else you could do as usual in ron s books he presents cutting edge ideas there is no greater value to your company than to read pricing on purpose and implement its ideas scott abbott entrepreneur former regional business development manager bdo dunwoody llp manitoba canada

Scramble

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the digital era s new consumer demands a new approach to pr inbound pr is the handbook that can transform your agency s business today s customer is fundamentally different and traditional pr strategies are falling by the wayside nobody wants to feel marketed to we want to make our own choices based on our own research and experiences online when problems arise we demand answers on social media directly engaging the company in front of a global audience we are the most empowered sophisticated customer base in the history of pr and pr professionals must draw upon an enormous breadth of skills and techniques to serve their clients interests unfortunately those efforts are becoming increasingly ephemeral and difficult to track using traditional metrics this book merges content and measurement to give today s pr agencies a new way to build brands evaluate performance and track roi the ability to reach the new consumer build the relationship and quantify the roi of pr services allows you to develop an inbound business and the internal capabilities to meet and exceed the needs of the most demanding client in this digital age of constant contact and worldwide platforms it s the only way to sustainably grow your business and expand your reach while bolstering your effectiveness on any platform this book shows you what you need to know and gives you a clear framework for putting numbers to reputation build brand awareness without marketing to the audience generate more higher quality customer

or media leads close the deal and nurture the customer or media relationship track the roi of each stage in the process content is the name of the game now and pr agencies must be able to prove their worth or risk being swept under with obsolete methods inbound pr provides critical guidance for pr growth in the digital era complete with a practical framework for stimulating that growth

The Irresistible Consultant's Guide to Winning Clients

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your head is a houseboat is a uniquely hilarious guide to what goes on in your brain from illustration sensation campbell walker aka struthless the only truth we really know is that we re going to spend the rest of our lives in our own houseboat our head so it makes sense to make that houseboat as good as possible the houseboat needs cleaning and maintenance and it shouldn t be weighed down by junk our own thoughts and other people s opinions there s a bunch of bosses with different ideas about where you should be heading in the ocean of life and a zoo of animalistic desires below the deck who are really steering but it s your houseboat so it s probably time for you to cast away and set sail is that even how houseboats work on a journey to understanding it in your head is a houseboat cam demystifies brain functions mental health emotions mindfulness and psychology but with less complex terminology and more bizarre metaphors it s a book filled with illustrations journal exercises and words that will probably hit too close to home at its core this is a funny accessible approach to understanding your head and making it a nicer place to live the most important and accessible mental health book in a generation truly life changing osher günsberg

Positioning for Professionals

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a new york times usa today and wall street journal bestseller in this iconic bestseller popular business blogger and bestselling author seth godin proves that winners are really just the best quitters godin shows that winners quit fast quit often and quit without guilt until they commit to beating the right dip every new project or job or hobby or company starts out fun then gets really hard and not much fun at all you might be in a dip a temporary setback that will get better if you keep pushing but maybe it s really a cul de sac a total dead end what really sets superstars apart is the ability to tell the two apart winners seek out the dip they realize that the bigger the barrier the bigger the reward for getting past it if you can beat the dip to be the best you ll earn profits glory and long term security whether you re an intern or a ceo this fun little book will help you figure out if you re in a dip that s worthy of your time effort and talents the old saying is wrong winners do quit and quitters do win

Pricing on Purpose

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more than half a million business leaders have discovered the power of the storybrand framework created by new york times best selling author and marketing expert donald miller and they are making millions if you use the wrong words to talk about your product nobody will buy it marketers and business owners struggle to effectively connect with their customers costing them and their companies millions in lost revenue in a world filled with constant on demand distractions it has become near impossible for business owners to effectively cut through the noise to reach their customers something donald miller knows first hand in this book he shares the proven system he has created to help you engage and truly influence customers the storybrand process is a proven solution to the struggle business leaders face when talking

about their companies without a clear distinct message customers will not understand what you can do for them and are unwilling to engage causing you to lose potential sales opportunities for customer engagement and much more in building a storybrand donald miller teaches marketers and business owners to use the seven universal elements of powerful stories to dramatically improve how they connect with customers and grow their businesses his proven process has helped thousands of companies engage with their existing customers giving them the ultimate competitive advantage building a storybrand does this by teaching you the seven universal story points all humans respond to the real reason customers make purchases how to simplify a brand message so people understand it and how to create the most effective messaging for websites brochures and social media whether you are the marketing director of a multibillion dollar company the owner of a small business a politician running for office or the lead singer of a rock band building a storybrand will forever transform the way you talk about who you are what you do and the unique value you bring to your customers

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Building a StoryBrand

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