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Do you want to achieve startup speed at enterprise scale? Growth. It's what every company strives for. But it's become more and more elusive as companies struggle to hit their projected growth rates in an increasingly competitive market. While zero-based budgeting (ZBB) has been wielded for decades to cut costs, it falls short when it comes to spurring growth. But a zero-based mindset (ZBx) does that and more. ZBx facilitates forensic oversight into resource allocation that funnels savings back into growth initiatives and encourages new sources of innovation. The Big Zero shows how a ZBx approach focuses on agility over austerity,

visibility over guesswork and the future over the past to fuel growth and competitiveness.

The Consultant's Tool Kit Abrams

This is the fully updated second edition of the best-selling book that has helped hundreds of MBAs, undergrads and experienced hires get jobs in consulting. It gives candidates an in-depth, insider look at the entire process of recruiting, including how to get the most out of on-campus events, how to network, how to prepare for interviews, and how to succeed in interviews.

Consulting For Dummies Harper Collins

Simply put, this new ebook can make your marriage better and greatly improve your relationships with family members, co-

workers, your boss and even your friends. The 100/0 Principle...The Secret of Great Relationships, may be the most important book you'll ever read. The message is truly life-changing.

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CLIENT, CLARIFY, CREATE, CHANGE, CONFIRM, CONTINUE, CLOSE = THE SEVEN SECRETS OF CONSULTANCY

"Most change methods are effective. For the most part, each one is theoretically sound, well-researched, and clearly articulated. But when they're put in organizations, they fail- at least 70 to 80% of the time". George Smart, Managing Partner, Strategic Development Incorporated The definition of a consultant is someone who facilitates

organisational change and provides expertise on technical, functional and business topics during development or implementation. In other words a consultant is someone who helps others to change. However, change isn't such an easy target to achieve.

Research shows that the vast majority of change programmes fail. On a daily basis we hear about projects that are delayed, cancelled, over budget or boycotted by the end user. The problem is that we can never force people to change - remember the backlash against Jamie Oliver's healthy school meals campaign where parents handed junk food to their children through school fences. The key to successful change is to engage with the end user and help them want to change. The Seven Cs of Consulting

offers a consistent and collaborative language that helps both consultant and client deliver value through sustainable change. Based around the author's highly successful 7Cs model (Client, Clarify, Create, Change, Confirm, Continue, Close) this approach is simple and accessible but firmly grounded in research and real life experience. The 7Cs approach opens up the complexity of sustainable change to the consultant and client and helps them explore- and then avoid - the real issues that cause change to fail within a more professional and trusting relationship.

Classic Concepts and New Perspectives
Consulting Success

A behind-the-scenes, revelatory history of the controversial consulting firm traces its decades-

long influence in both business and political arenas, citing its role in the establishment of mainstream practices and modern understandings about capitalism while evaluating the failures that have compromised its reputation. 60,000 first printing.

The Power of Passion and Perseverance Dorset House

Achieve the best health of your life by following in the footsteps of people who never get sick. Some take a daily nap. Or a cold shower. Some do yoga, lift weights, swear by brewer's yeast. And one dunks his head in hydrogen peroxide—he hasn't had a cold in two decades. In profiles of twenty-five people who never get sick and revealing their secrets and practices, Gene Stone covers the surprising science of personal health. The stories make it real, the research explains why, and the do-it-

yourself information shows how to bring each secret into your own life. It ' s your turn to become a person who never gets sick.

A Memoir Penguin UK

The Secrets of Consulting--techniques, strategies, and first-hand experiences--all that you'll need to set up, run, and be successful at your own consulting business.

Never Chase Clients Again John Wiley & Sons

In The Secrets of Happy Families, New York Times bestselling author Bruce Feiler has drawn up a blueprint for modern families — a new approach to family dynamics, inspired by cutting-edge techniques gathered from experts in the disciplines of science, business, sports, and the military. The result is a funny and thought-provoking playbook for contemporary families, with more than 200 useful strategies, including: the right way to have family dinner, what your mother never told you about sex (but should have), and why you should always have two women present in difficult

conversations... Timely, compassionate, and filled with practical tips and wise advice, Bruce Feiler ' s The Secrets of Happy Families: Improve Your Mornings, Rethink Family Dinner, Fight Smarter, Go Out and Play, and Much More should be required reading for all parents.

How Clients Buy SAGE

“ Far from growing up in the wealthy, fox-hunting circles she had always suggested, her mother had in fact been raised in a foundling hospital for the children of unwed women. ” — Editor ' s Choice, The New York Times Book Review “ Extraordinary ... fascinating, moving. ” —The Telegraph “ This emotional and transatlantic journey is a page-turner. ” — Editor ' s Pick, Amazon Book Review “ Book groups will find as much to discuss here as they have with The Glass Castle by Jeannette Walls,

and Educated by Tara Westover. ” — often volatile mother in an unlit room writing a name over and over again, one that she had never heard before and would not hear again for many years — Dorothy Soames. Thirty years later, overcome with grief following her mother ’ s death, Justine found herself drawn back to the past, uncovering a mystery that stretched back to the early years of World War II and beyond, into the dark corridors of the Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Children. Established in the eighteenth century to raise “ bastard ” children to clean chamber pots for England ’ s ruling class, the institution was tied to some of history ’ s most influential figures and events. From its role in the development of solitary confinement

BookList Recommended by The New York Times, The Saturday Evening Post, Amazon Book Review, The Atlanta Journal Constitution, Publisher ’ s Weekly, Kirkus and more, Justine Cowan ’ s remarkable true story of how she uncovered her mother ’ s upbringing as a foundling at London ’ s Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Children has received acclaim on both sides of the Atlantic. In the U.K., it has been featured in The Mail on Sunday, The Daily Mail, The Daily Mirror and The Spectator. The Telegraph calls it “ extraordinary and Glamour magazine chose it as the best new book based on real life. The story begins when Justine found her

and human medical experimentation to the creation of the British Museum and the Royal Academy of Arts, its impact on Western culture continues to reverberate. It is the reason we read Dickens' *Oliver Twist* and enjoy Handel's *Messiah* each Christmas. It was also the environment that shaped a young girl known as Dorothy Soames, who bravely withstood years of physical and emotional abuse at the hands of a sadistic headmistress—a resilient child whose only hope would be a daring escape as German bombers rained death from the skies. Heartbreaking, surprising, and unforgettable, *The Secret Life of Dorothy Soames* is the true story of one woman's quest to understand the secrets that had poisoned her mother's mind, and her

startling discovery that her family's fate had been sealed centuries before.

The Seven Cs of Consulting Workman Publishing

In his comprehensive first book, legendary pizza czar Anthony Falco teaches you everything you need to know to make pizza wherever you are, drawing from his singular experience opening pizzerias around the globe. If there's one thing the entire world can agree on, it's pizza. It just might be the world's favorite food. In every climate, in every region, in every kind of kitchen, there's pizza to be had, infused with local flavor. In this definitive book, filled with hacks, tips, and secret techniques never before shared, International Pizza Consultant Anthony Falco brings the world of pizza to your kitchen, wherever you are. After eight years at the famous Brooklyn restaurant Roberta's, culminating with his position as Pizza Czar, Falco pivoted from the New York City food scene to the world, traveling to Brazil, Colombia, Kuwait, Panama, Canada, Japan, India, Thailand, and all

across the United States. His mission? To discover the secrets and spread the gospel of making the world ' s favorite food better. Now the planet ' s leading expert pizza consultant, he can make great pizza 8,000 feet above sea level in Bogot á or in subtropical India, and he can certainly help you do it at home. An exhaustive resource for absolutely any pizza cook, teaching mastery of the classics and tricks of the trade as well as completely unique takes on styles and recipes from around the globe, Pizza Czar is here to help you make world-class pizza from anywhere on the map. Important Note: For a correction to the extra-virgin olive oil quantity in the recipe for Thin & Crispy Dough on page 57, and for instructions on using this book without a sourdough starter, see <https://www.abramsbooks.com/errata/craft-errata-pizza-czar/> * For corrections to the recipes for Thin & Crispy Dough on page 57 and Garlic, Caramelized Onion, Anchovy, and Breadcrumb Sicilian Pizza page 124, and for instructions on using this book without a sourdough

starter, see <https://www.abramsbooks.com/errata/craft-errata-pizza-czar/> *

The Nomadic Developer McGraw Hill Professional A Washington Post Bestseller Three Principles for Managing—and Avoiding—the Problems of Growth Why is profitable growth so hard to achieve and sustain? Most executives manage their companies as if the solution to that problem lies in the external environment: find an attractive market, formulate the right strategy, win new customers. But when Bain & Company ' s Chris Zook and James Allen, authors of the bestselling Profit from the Core, researched this question, they found that when companies fail to achieve their growth targets, 90 percent of the time the root causes are internal, not external—increasing distance from the front lines, loss of accountability, proliferating processes and bureaucracy, to name only a few. What ' s more, companies experience a set of predictable internal crises, at predictable stages, as they grow. Even for healthy companies,

these crises, if not managed properly, stifle the ability to grow further—and can actively lead to decline. The key insight from Zook and Allen’s research is that managing these choke points requires a “founder’s mentality”—behaviors typically embodied by a bold, ambitious founder—to restore speed, focus, and connection to customers:

- An insurgent’s clear mission and purpose
- An unambiguous owner mindset
- A relentless obsession with the front line

Based on the authors’ decade-long study of companies in more than forty countries, *The Founder’s Mentality* demonstrates the strong relationship between these three traits in companies of all kinds—not just start-ups—and their ability to sustain performance. Through rich analysis and inspiring examples, this book shows how any leader—not only a founder—can instill and leverage a founder’s mentality throughout their organization and find lasting, profitable growth.

[The Transformation of ZBB into a Force for Growth, Innovation and Competitive Advantage](#) Dorset House

Learn the Real Secrets of Succeeding as a Software or IT Consultant in Any Economic Climate! Despite economic cycles, the idea of using technology to make a company more efficient and competitive—or perhaps even reach a new market—is appealing to all but the most desperate and cash-starved companies. More and more often, those companies look to technology consultants to fulfill their needs. There are real advantages to being a consultant. You make contacts with a lot of different people; you get exposure to many industries; and most important, unlike a software developer in the IT department for a brick-and-mortar company, as a

technology consultant, you are the profit center...so long as you are billing. Consulting can be hugely rewarding—but it's easy to fail if you are unprepared. To succeed, you need a mentor who knows the lay of the land. Aaron Erickson is your mentor, and this is your guidebook. Erickson has done it all—from Practice Leadership to the lowest level project work. In *The Nomadic Developer*, he brings together his hardwon insights on becoming successful and achieving success through tough times and relentless change. You'll find 100% practical advice and real experiences—his own and annotations from those in the trenches. In addition, renowned consultants—such as David Chappell, Bruce Eckel, Deborah Kurata, and Ted

Neward—share some of their hard-earned lessons. With this useful guidebook, you can Objectively assess whether the consultant's life makes sense for you Break into the business and build a career path that works Avoid the Seven Deadly Firms by identifying unscrupulous technology consultancies and avoiding their traps and pitfalls Understand the business models and mechanics that virtually all consulting firms use Master secret consulting success tips that are typically left unstated or overlooked Gain a competitive advantage by adding more value than your competitors Continue your professional development so you stay billable even during bad times Profit from both fixed-bid and time-and-materials projects Build a personal brand that improves your resiliency

no matter what happens
Recipes and Know-How from a World-
Traveling Pizza Chef John Wiley & Sons
By explaining how to sire multicolored
horses, produce nuts without shells, and
create an egg the size of a human head,
Giambattista Della Porta's Natural Magic
(1559) conveys a fascination with tricks and
illusions that makes it a work difficult for
historians of science to take seriously. Yet,
according to William Eamon, it is in the
"how-to" books written by medieval
alchemists, magicians, and artisans that
modern science has its roots. These
compilations of recipes on everything from
parlor tricks through medical remedies to
wool-dyeing fascinated medieval
intellectuals because they promised access to

esoteric "secrets of nature." In closely
examining this rich but little-known source
of literature, Eamon reveals that printing
technology and popular culture had as great,
if not stronger, an impact on early modern
science as did the traditional academic
disciplines.

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Working Backwards is an insider's
breakdown of Amazon's approach to
culture, leadership, and best practices from
two long-time Amazon executives. Colin
started at Amazon in 1998; Bill joined in
1999. In Working Backwards, these two
long-serving Amazon executives reveal and
codify the principles and practices that drive
the success of one of the most extraordinary
companies the world has ever known. With

twenty-seven years of Amazon experience between them, much of it in the early aughts—a period of unmatched innovation that brought products and services including Kindle, Amazon Prime, Amazon Studios, and Amazon Web Services to life—Bryar and Carr offer unprecedented access to the Amazon way as it was refined, articulated, and proven to be repeatable, scalable, and adaptable. With keen analysis and practical steps for applying it at your own company—no matter the size—the authors illuminate how Amazon’s fourteen leadership principles inform decision-making at all levels and reveal how the company’s culture has been defined by four characteristics: customer obsession, long-term thinking, eagerness to invent, and operational excellence. Bryar and Carr explain the set of ground-level practices that ensure these are translated into action and flow through all aspects of the business. *Working Backwards* is a practical guidebook and a corporate narrative, filled with the authors’ in-the-room recollections of what “Being Amazonian” is like and how it has affected their personal and professional lives. They demonstrate that success on Amazon’s scale is not achieved by the genius of any single leader, but rather through commitment to and execution of a set of well-defined, rigorously-executed principles and practices—shared here for the very first time. Pizza Czar Harvard Business Review Press This modern-day consulting playbook walks

you through everything from picking your niche, crafting your offer and setting your price? To getting in front of the right people, getting them on the phone, and then enrolling them as new clients? And then how to scale things up on your own terms so you can spend plenty of time on what's most important to you outside of your work. There's no point making so much money if it's at the expense of enjoying your life, right? The concepts and frameworks in this book were previously reserved for clients who invested \$10k to join our flagship program ClientKit? - but now you have the opportunity to get your hands on it all for a trivial sum.

A Guide for Evaluators and Applied Researchers John Wiley & Sons
Cheng, a former McKinsey management consultant, reveals his proven, insider's method for acing the case interview.

The Boston Consulting Group on Strategy
Pivora

Whether you manage people, are managed by people, or just want to change the way you interact with others, this book is about success. How to plan it, how to make it happen--*Becoming a Technical Leader* shows you how to do it!

The Modern-Day Consulting Playbook for Getting Clients & Getting Paid AMACOM
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In this instant New York Times bestseller, Angela Duckworth shows anyone striving to succeed that the secret to outstanding achievement is not talent, but a special blend of passion and persistence she calls “grit.” “Inspiration for non-geniuses everywhere” (People). The daughter of a

scientist who frequently noted her lack of “genius,” Angela Duckworth is now a celebrated researcher and professor. It was her early eye-opening stints in teaching, business consulting, and neuroscience that led to her hypothesis about what really drives success: not genius, but a unique combination of passion and long-term perseverance. In *Grit*, she takes us into the field to visit cadets struggling through their first days at West Point, teachers working in some of the toughest schools, and young finalists in the National Spelling Bee. She also mines fascinating insights from history and shows what can be gleaned from modern experiments in peak performance. Finally, she shares what she’s learned from interviewing dozens of high achievers—from

JP Morgan CEO Jamie Dimon to New Yorker cartoon editor Bob Mankoff to Seattle Seahawks Coach Pete Carroll.

“Duckworth’s ideas about the cultivation of tenacity have clearly changed some lives for the better” (The New York Times Book Review). Among *Grit*’s most valuable insights: any effort you make ultimately counts twice toward your goal; grit can be learned, regardless of IQ or circumstances; when it comes to child-rearing, neither a warm embrace nor high standards will work by themselves; how to trigger lifelong interest; the magic of the Hard Thing Rule; and so much more. Winningly personal, insightful, and even life-changing, *Grit* is a book about what goes through your head when you fall down, and how that—not

talent or luck—makes all the difference. This is “ a fascinating tour of the psychological research on success ” (The Wall Street Journal).

The Secrets of Consulting CreateSpace

Tips, techniques, and trends on how to use dashboard technology to optimize business performance Business performance management is a hot new management discipline that delivers tremendous value when supported by information technology. Through case studies and industry research, this book shows how leading companies are using performance dashboards to execute strategy, optimize business processes, and improve performance. Wayne W. Eckerson (Hingham, MA) is the Director of Research for The Data Warehousing Institute (TDWI), the leading association of business intelligence and

data warehousing professionals worldwide that provide high-quality, in-depth education, training, and research. He is a columnist for SearchCIO.com, DM Review, Application Development Trends, the Business Intelligence Journal, and TDWI Case Studies & Solution. Measuring, Monitoring, and Managing Your Business Addison-Wesley Professional The Secrets of Consulting A Guide to Giving & Getting Advice Successfully Dorset House