

# **Career Executive Service Public Leaders' Summit**

"Are You Game for Change? Innovation, Inclusion, Inspiration"

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ADVANCING BUSINESS AND COMMUNITIES



"Great companies are like great buses, getting the right people on the bus, getting the wrong people off the bus. Then getting these right people into the right seats and together driving the bus where it should go."

Jim Collins





#### **Challenges Leaders Face that You May Relate to:**

- 1. I inherited my team;
- 2. I can not get rid of anyone;
- 3. There is too much internal politics;
- 4. How do I know who is right for the job;
- 5. I have someone skilled but can't afford to hire him/her for the position

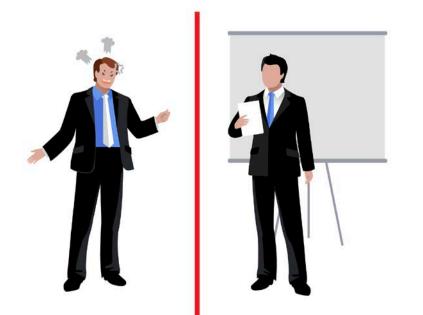




#### **Challenges Leaders Face that You May Relate to:**

- 6. I have difficulty attracting the right person due to current set up;
- 7. How do I engage my team members when compensation is low;
- 8. I am very limited by how much I can change;
- 9. When I have a promising talent working for they leave;
- 10. My post is co-terminus so I don't have much time before I am reassigned, transferred or worse, fired!





# **NUGGET 1**

There is a big difference between a mediocre team and a good team.





The jump from a mediocre team to a good one is worth the effort.

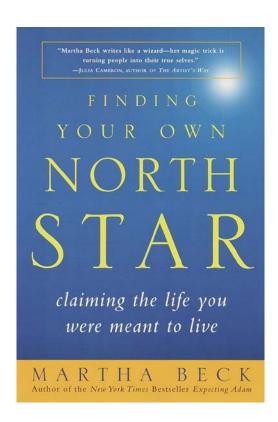


**The secret** to moving a mediocre team to become a great team is in figuring out your sphere of **influence** despite the challenges you face, and which you know can make a profound difference



**Each one of us has their right bus**and the right seat. Some are in
the wrong bus and the only
solution is to move bus.

Many are in the **right bus** but in the **wrong seat.** The only solution is to figure out their **right seat** and how to get them there



"Teaching your social self to pay attention when your essential self says 'no' is the most basic way to reconnect the two sides of your personality."



"You are designed with the ability to find the life you were meant to live."



# **NUGGET 2**

Learn a lot from others but figure out for yourself what works best for you.









# **Aboitiz Values**













#### **INTEGRITY**





**Serving the customers** 





#### **Aboitiz Values:**

#### **TEAMWORK**



Pagkain Para sa Masa



**Marawi Relief and Rehabilitation** 





#### **Aboitiz Values:**

#### **INNOVATION**



**Egg-Laying Machine Livelihood Project** 



**Boracay Wetland No.4 (DENR Reforestation)** 





#### **Aboitiz Values:**

#### **RESPONSIBILITY**



**Simultaneous Tree Planting** 



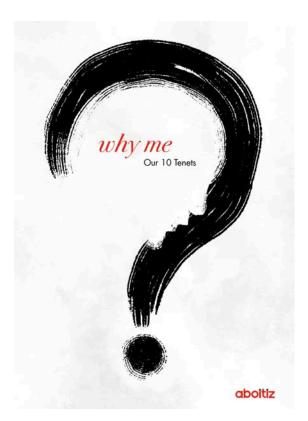
**AFP Wounded Soldiers Bakery Program** 





To be able to live until 120 physically, mentally, spiritually and financially healthy.

I choose to be joyful and happy.



To question starts with the individual striving to be the best that he or she can possibly be. The best that he or she was meant to be.



#### **Tenet 1 - Freedom of Choice**

Taking control, creating one's own future, and accepting responsibility for the results – is the bedrock of 10 Tenets. But taking charge doesn't come naturally. We must make a deliberate choice to do so.







# **Tenet 2 - Lifelong Learning**

It looks dark and threatening way out there, beyond the comfort zone, nut is it really that bad? Failure is always a possibility, but it delivers valuable lessons, and besides, the pain or loss of failure is often greatly exaggerated. Sometimes, it pays to take a risk.







## **Tenet 3 - Thriving on Change**

Dealing with change is a reality everyone must face in a world that is constantly shifting. Adapting to such surprises without being overwhelmed by stress is the best option. A person then becomes better equipped and ready to deal with the inevitable when things don't turn out as expected.





#### A Better Me

#### **Tenet 4 - Cutting Edge**

To be the best that you can be shouldn't be seen as a goal, but rather the spirit that informs your daily activities and interaction with others. When striving for self-improvement and excellence becomes a habit, it is easier to move out of your comfort zone and into the realm of thrilling possibilities.







## **Tenet 5 - Sense of Purpose**

Knowing your Sense of Purpose is like discovering your North Star. Once you do, it becomes your personal mission statement that serves as a guide to setting up your goals and priorities in life. Purpose is the most existential of tenets, one that lays bare the deepest questions of the human soul







#### **Tenet 6- Communication**

Communication is the yin and yang of the Aboitiz tenets – a two-way street in which talking and listening are equally important. Without one, you cannot have the other, and it is impossible to overcommunicate. So take every opportunity to communicate.







### **Tenet 7 - Recognition**

Recognizing oneself is key to acknowledging the personhood of others. Unfortunately, this is something we don't do enough of. People can easily sense we are not comfortable with ourselves. As leaders and managers, it is our responsibility to inspire others to be their better selves, but this will be difficult if we cannot inspire ourselves.







#### **Tenet 8 - Check and Balance**

Offices can be places fraught with deadlines, demands and targets, creating dangerously high levels of tension. But smart companies don't allow the pressure to build up and explode. Instead, they release it by relying on neutral Check and Balance systems



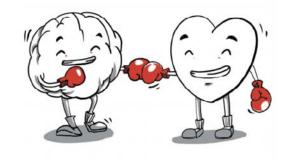




#### Play Fair

#### **Tenet 9 - Fair Process**

Fairness is subjective. What is fair to one is not necessarily fair to another. It is when fair process is established that fairness becomes accepted.





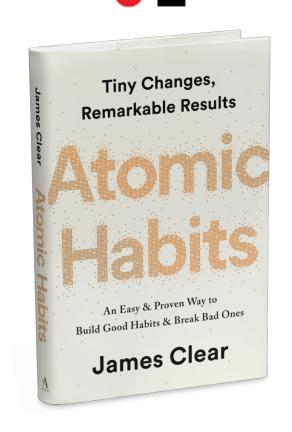
#### Partnership of Equals

## **Tenet 10 - Interdependence**

How many times was it drummed into us, growing up, that we were to eventually stand "on our own two feet" and "forge our own fortune?" This moment of truth usually followed upon graduation when we went out into the world, landed a job and brought home the first paycheck. But did we find that self-sufficiency so prized by society in the workplace?









# Don't short change yourself by being content with mediocre teams



Seek advice, read more books, experiment but find what works for you. Don't get distracted and don't try to copy or imitate someone else



"If you want better results, then forget about setting goals. Focus on your system instead."

James Clear

"You do not rise to the level of your goals. You fall to the level of your systems"



Think of values that create your culture



Don't forget that the process and system you put in place will demonstrate

(Efficiency or delay in the way you serve the Filipino People)



PLANS move your agencies from being GOOD to GREAT!





SHIFT your mindset to think that mediocrity has no place in this generation nor the next.





If you succeed, we succeed with you and overall, our country succeeds!

## **Daghang Salamat!**

