

Organizational Behavior

motivating and supporting to and through change

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Introduction

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the reasons for leaving I/II

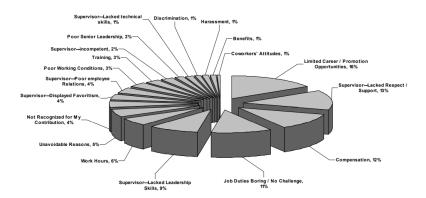
- Advancement opportunity
- Renefits
- Better-paying job
- Bureaucracy
- Career change
- Commuting time or distance
- Concerns about organization's future
- Conflict with coworker
- Discrimination based on race, aender, reliaion, etc.
- Dishonest or unethical leaders or managers
- Distrust of, or loss of confidence in, senior leaders
- Excessive workload
- Favoritism
 - Fear of iob elimination
- Geographic location of the job
- Health concerns
- Ideas not welcomed
- Immediate supervisor
- Inability to master the job
- Inflexible work hours
- Insufficient challenge
- Insufficient or inappropriate trainina
- Insufficient resources to do the job

- Job elimination
- Job itself
 - Job responsibilities
- Job security
- Limited earnings potential
- Little or no bonus
- Little or no empowerment Little or no growth or
- developmental opportunity
- Little or no performance feedback
- Negative work environment
- No authority to do the job
 - No career path
- No consequences for nonperformers
- No way to voice concerns
- Not allowed to complete the iob
- Not allowed to do the job my own way
- Not paid competitively
- Not paid in proportion to contributions
- Not recognized for contributions
- Organization culture
- Organization instability or turmoil ((Institute, 2020) via (Branham, 2019: 17-19))

- Organization politics
- Outdated or inadequate equipment
- Physical facility noisy, dirty. hot, or cramped
- Poor communication Poor teamwork
- Retirement
- Return to school Self-employment
- Sexual harassment
- Spouse relocation
- Stress
- Timeliness of pay increases Too many changes
- Treated poorly
- Uncaring leadership
- Unfair pay increases Unfair performance appraisal
- process Unfair promotion practices
- Unfair rules, policies, or
- procedures Unwanted change in job
- duties
- Unwanted relocation
- Vacation policyWork-life imbalance

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the reasons for leaving II/II



((Institute, 2020) via (Branham, 2019: 21))

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general factors

- The Need for **Trust**
- The Need to Have **Hope**
- The Need to Feel a Sense of Worth
- The Need to Feel Competent

(Branham, 2019: 19-21)

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Psychological Contracts

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Psychological contracts can be described as implicit and explicit understandings of expectations between employees and employers.

(Argyris, 1960; Coyle-Shapiro & Parzefall, 2008; J. P. Kotter, 1973)

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psychological contracts: examples

- organizations may expect employees to:
 - be loyal
 - keep trade secrets
 - work hard and do their best for the organization
- employees may expect that they will:
 - receive an equitable level of remuneration
 - be treated fairly and with dignity
 - have some level of security of employment
 - have some level of autonomy
 - have an opportunity to learn and develop

(Hayes, 2014: 234)

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Overcoming an Undermining

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factors that can undermine support for change

- low trust
- low tolerance for change
- different assessments
- parochial self-interest

(J. Kotter & Schlesinger, 1979)

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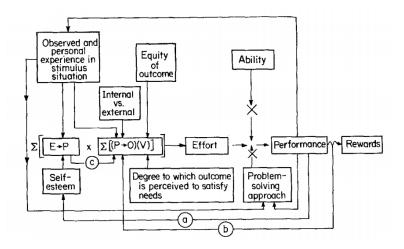
strategies for supporting the change

- education and persuasion
- involvement
- facilitation and support
- negotiation
- manipulation and co-option
- explicit and implicit coercion
- goal setting

(Hayes, 2014: 240-244)

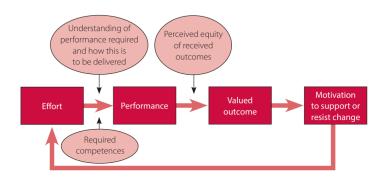
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an expectancy model of motivation



(Lawler III & Suttle, 1973: 483)

an equity of treatment



(Hayes, 2014: 246)

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assesment

- value given by stakeholders
- extent of the effect of the situation
- impact of change

(Hayes, 2014: 240-244)

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stakeholder effort-performance expectancies

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potential misunderstandings

- education
 - develop a clear understanding
- education and persuasion
 - helping stakeholders understand the consequences
- participation and involvement
 - providing stakeholders with an opportunity to be involved in the planning of the change

(Haves, 2014: 249)

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impact of change on relevance of competences

- planning
 - develop a clear understanding
- participation
 - helping stakeholders understand the consequences
- training and development
 - providing stakeholders with an opportunity to be involved in the planning of the change

(Hayes, 2014: 249)

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stakeholder performance-outcome expectancies

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stakeholder performance-outcome expectancies

- planning
 - modifying the change to strengthen the links between performance and the achievement of valued outcomes
- persuasion
 - persuading individuals that the change will actually strengthen these links
- participation
 - involving stakeholders in the diagnosis, planning, and implementation of the change

(Hayes, 2014: 249)

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stakeholder perceptions of equity

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stakeholder perceptions of equity

- education and persuasion
 - helping people who feel this way recognize all the potential gains available to them and ensuring that they fully understand the possible losses if the change is not implemented
- planning
 - exploring possibilities for improving the availability of valued outcomes
- planning
 - exploring the possibility of redistributing costs and benefits
- participation
 - involving stakeholders in the diagnosis, planning, and implementation of the change

(Hayes, 2014: 249)

adjusting to change

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a change as a personal transition

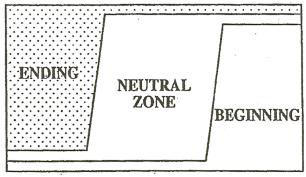
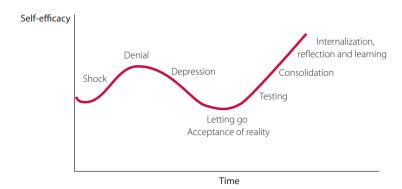


Figure 1

(Bridges, 2009)

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the stages of psychological reaction



(Hayes, 2014: 261)

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stakeholder perceptions of equity

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stakeholder perceptions of equity

For individuals

- it takes time for them to make the adjustments
- it can help them to know that their own experience are normal
- the process can be managed

■ For change managers:

- it is important to recognize that there will often be a time lag between the announcement of a change and an emotional reaction to it
- any given change will have different implications for different individuals or groups
- the cycle cannot be avoided

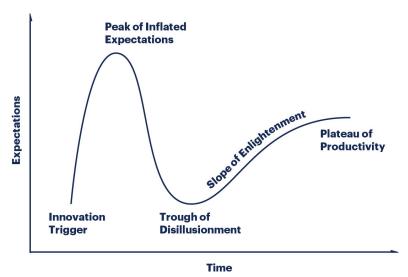
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Learning Curve

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Gartner Hype Cycle

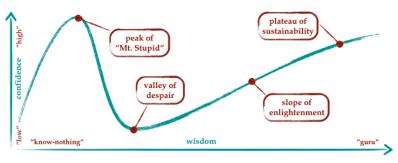


(Gartner, 2020)

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The Dunning-Kruger effect

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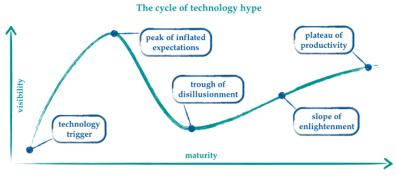


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(Ehlert, 2018)

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