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## **Organizational Interventions for Health and Well-being**

2018-06-14

this important new collection provides not only a comprehensive overview of how organizational interventions can improve health and well being in the workplace addressing its causes rather than the symptoms but also the practical issues faced in their design implementation and evaluation drawing on a range of case studies and empirical investigations it is the first book to seriously examine each element of the intervention process and to recognize the individual group leader and organizational factors that researchers should consider the authors describe the various challenges to such collaborative processes as well as the specific methods and tools that can be used in response each chapter offers practical evidence based guidance featuring a final section examining new directions and approaches in organizational intervention research the book features contributions from some of the leading international researchers in the field it will be essential reading for any researcher or practitioner interested in the practical issues involved in improving the organization design and management of the contemporary workplace

## **Training Interventions**

1999

updated for the sixth edition this text provides a critical overview of the national training framework and discusses the practical aspects of assessing needs planning implementing and evaluating training all these themes include exercises cases and suggestions for further reading

## **Salutogenic organizations and change**

2013-07-01

new and current approaches to organizational health intervention research are the main focus of this comprehensive volume each chapter elaborates on the respective intervention researcher s concept of a healthy organization his her approach to changing organizations and how to research these interventions in organizations as a common ground the book consistently relates to the notion of salutogenesis focusing on resources and positive outcomes of health oriented organizational change processes out of the virtual dialogue between the chapters common themes and potential trends for the future are identified

## **Improving Organizational Interventions For Stress and Well-Being**

2012-11-12

this book brings together a number of experts in the field of organizational interventions for stress and well being and discusses the importance of process and context issues to the success or failure of such interventions the book explores how context and process can be incorporated into program evaluation providing examples of how this can be done and offers insights that aim to improve working life although there is a substantial body of research supporting a causal relationship between working conditions and employee stress and well being information on how to develop effective strategies to reduce or eliminate psychosocial risks in the workplace is much more scarce ambiguous and inconclusive indeed researchers in this field have so far attempted to evaluate the effectiveness of organizational interventions to improve workers health and well being but little attention has been paid to the strategies and processes likely to enhance or undermine interventions the focus of this volume will help to overcome this qualitative quantitative divide this book discusses conceptual developments practical applications and methodological issues in the field as such it is suitable for students practitioners and researchers in the fields of organizational psychology and clinical psychology as well as human resources management health safety medicine occupational health risk management and public health

## **Performance Improvement Interventions**

2006-04-17

boost productivity and productivity with a real world improvement model in today s economic climate organizations are grasping for ways to improve efficiency and reach higher levels of performance without cutting into budgets performance improvement interventions enhancing people processes and organizations through performance technology is a comprehensive guide to doing more with less from job analysis personal development and communication to organizational design human resource management finance and more this book provides salient guidance on real world solutions based on the international society for performance improvement s human performance technology model

## **Integrating the Organization of Health Services, Worker Wellbeing and Quality of Care**

2021-01-25

this book introduces the concept of healthy healthcare and posits that this new concept is necessary in light of a shortage of healthcare staff in the near future healthy healthcare implies that healthcare systems are designed managed and financed in balance with the available resources to improve workers health and performance ultimately a balanced perspective taking into account the patient the staff and the complex healthcare system will lead to a more resource efficient delivery of high quality healthcare services the book synthesizes evidence based practice and research on the links between healthcare services employee health and wellbeing and quality of healthcare from an interdisciplinary perspective written by leading experts in this rapidly expanding field of inquiry this is the first book ever compiled on the subject with such scope and breadth it discusses how to conduct interventions and research on healthy healthcare with different populations and settings the chapters critically examine the links between these pillars and identify research gaps in both methodology and content from the perspectives of psychology medicine nursing economy law technology management and more this innovative book is of interest to researchers and students of health sciences public health health economics and allied disciplines as well as to stakeholders in the healthcare industry chapter 24 of this book is available open access under a cc by nc nd 4 0 license at link springer com

## **Managing Health Promotion**

1995

this is a concise practical and timely guide to the improved management of health promotion it includes information on systems for quality improvement and audit of health promotion it describes a developmental approach to intervention based on the values and processes of individual autonomy democracy mutual empowerment and community participation emphasis is placed both on how to create organizations and conditions which enhance health and quality of life and on how to empower individuals and forge relationships through which everyone makes health gains recent research and evaluation is discussed in a practical way including how best to help people change their lifestyles and how to extend our outreach so that hard to reach groups become active participants editor

## **Derailed Organizational Interventions for Stress and Well-Being**

2015-07-30

providing an overview of researchers and practitioners confessions on the fascinating phenomenon of failed or derailed organizational health and well being interventions and contextualizing these confessions is the aim of this innovative volume organizational intervention failures paradoxes and unexpected consequences can offer a lot of rich and extremely useful practical lessons on intervention design and implementation and possibly on the design of future research on organizational interventions this volume presents lessons learned from derailed interventions and provides possible solutions to those tasked with implementing interventions it provides an open practical and solutions focused account of researchers and practitioners experiences in implementing organizational interventions for health and well

being

## Organization Development Interventions

2021-09-02

to effectively adapt and thrive in today's business world organizations need to implement effective organizational development interventions to improve performance and effectiveness at the individual group and organizational levels interventions involve people trust support shared power conflict resolution and stakeholders participation just to name a few interventions usually have broader scope and can affect the whole organization practitioners or change agents must have a solid understanding of different interventions to select the most appropriate one to fulfill the client's needs there is limited precise information or research about how to design interventions or how they can be expected to interact with organizational conditions to achieve specific results this book offers practitioners and change agents a step by step approach to implementing interventions and includes example cases practical tools and guidelines for different interventions it is noteworthy that roughly 65 of organizational change projects fail one reason for the failure is that the changes are not effectively implemented and this book focuses on how to successfully implement organizational changes designed for use by practitioners management and human resources professionals this book provides readers with basic principles practices and skills by featuring illustrative case studies and useful tools this book shows how professionals can actually get work done and what the step by step effort should be this book looks at how to choose and implement a range of interventions at different levels unlike other books currently available on the market this book goes beyond individual group and organizational levels of interventions and addresses broader intervention efforts at industry and community levels too essentially this book provides a practical guide for interventions each chapter provides practical information about general interventions supplies best practice examples and case studies summarizes the results of best practices provides at least one case scenario and offers at least one relevant tool for practitioners

## *Global Perspectives in Workplace Health Promotion*

2012

health behavior education promotion

## Instant Recess

2010

toni yancey's book is a terrific tool as we work together to promote healthy and active lifestyles bill clinton instant recess is a call to all of us to get up and move part personal memoir part public health manifesto and part poetry yancey's warmth and enthusiasm shine through this book i'm betting that she can convince anyone that moving more is not only good for health but easy and lots of fun to do marion nestle author of what to eat in instant recess dr yancey provides the tools to get america moving in a very accessible style with the scientific research to back it up her call to incorporate short exercise breaks into routine daily activities is one step that can create a true wellness society senator tom harkin d ia chairman senate help committee dr toni antronette yancey has influenced and impacted community health and fitness in a number of profound ways her book is a must read for anyone interested in living a longer healthier and more fulfilling life recently at the first ame church of los angeles we incorporated a quick but effective fitness interlude into all three of our sunday worship services the enthusiastic response from our congregation was tremendous thank you dr yancey for waking us up to the dangers of our sedentary lives and for awakening our desire to get into better physical shape rev dr john denise hunter pastor and first lady of first ame church of los angeles the white house designated local lead agency for michelle obama's let's move la instant recess is a necessary part of a complex solution to our society's epidemic of inactivity it can work equally well in the corporate boardroom school classroom or for fans at a sporting event for that matter it is a great place to start if we don't want to leave anyone behind i'm all for breaking our national inertia with a musical beat and a smile on our faces dave winfield national baseball hall of fame 2001 executive vice

president and senior advisor san diego padres dr yancey writes on a topic about which she is both passionate and knowledgeable doable in just about any setting instant recess could get america moving again david satcher m d ph d 16th surgeon general of the united states instant recess is an excellent easy to read informative book describing how we must all change our lifestyle patterns and incorporate activity into our day yancey poignantly shows why instant recesses are needed by corporate americans educators public health and medical professionals this isn't just a simple how to book but also a how come francine kaufman head of the center for diabetes endocrinology and metabolism at childrens hospital los angeles for the average person who continues to yo yo between the hype of miracle weight loss gimmicks and the allure of fast food franchises instant recess offers an easy and free solution to creating a healthier lifestyle sharon baucom medical director of the department of public safety and correctional services for the state of maryland a thoughtful and innovative approach to community wide physical activity from a lay person's perspective this book is well grounded in scientific evidence that is also contextualized in simple examples and in real life experiences people will be able to relate to adrian bauman university of sydney i've seen everyone from curmudgeonly researchers and uptight bureaucrats to former elite athletes to avowed non exercisers sucked in by the warm inclusive energy and ease of her approach to getting people physically active most are smiling some outright laughing as they rediscover the joy of moving thankfully toni captures the essence of that joy in her book along with the practical guidance necessary to help anyone start making physical activity a part of their life and their community again mark fenton pbs television host and author of the complete guide to walking for health weight loss and fitness i read instant recess and couldn't help but jump for joy dr yancey's got the recipe for success to help turn around the epidemic of inactivity in our country finally we have a book that shows americans how to build that strong base of fitness 10 minutes of hip hopping at a time now if you'll excuse me it's time for me to take my instant recess pam peeke md mph facp author of body for life for women chief medical correspondent for nutrition and fitness discovery health tv through the san diego padres organization we've worked with dr toni yancey for nearly 4 years on various healthy eating and fitness related projects dr yancey is an educated dynamic trusted and respected colleague who has a thorough knowledge of public health issues her knowledge advocacy and connection to community service organizations across the country has been key she's recruited a great number of them to enter the fight against childhood obesity by offering a wide variety of active lifestyles options influencing america to move towards healthy eating better nutrition and into her activity routine called instant recess is a significant and continuous task it's a pleasure working with this former collegiate athlete ph d and public servant we need more people like dr toni yancey combatting this nationwide health crisis david winfield member of the baseball hall of fame and co director at ucla kaiser permanente center for health equity

## **Positive Organizational Psychology Interventions**

2021-05

the 2020 global pandemic has reminded us how important it is to follow the science in our efforts to prevent and ameliorate our most urgent and important health well being community organizational and societal challenges for example follow the science is the cry being heard around the world as leaders and public health professionals attempt to slow the spread and alleviate the suffering being caused by covid 19 high quality empirical research and evaluations are being funded at a rapid rate worldwide to determine the efficacy of treatments to reduce the severity and length of illness caused by the coronavirus as well as to discover an effective vaccine the second wave of devastating consequences of the 2020 global pandemic will likely be linked to dramatic declines in well being performance and organizational effectiveness what does science tell us about enhancing and preventing declines in well being performance and organizational effectiveness this volume explores those questions by following the positive organizational psychology intervention science during the past two decades and illustrates how to use that science as well as positive psychological science more broadly to design and evaluate the next generation of positive organizational psychology interventions popis after summarizing what we now know from two decades of positive psychological science including popi science each chapter uses aspects of that science in the design of a next generation popi the final chapter emphasizes the importance of the measurement and strategic evaluation of popis and provides frameworks for understanding worker and organizational needs efficacy evaluations of new popis as well as measuring and evaluating the effectiveness of popis being implemented in the global workplace

## **Theoretical Approaches to Multi-Cultural Positive Psychological Interventions**

2019-06-11

this volume provides theoretical perspectives on and approaches to the development or enhancement of positive psychological capacities within various multi cultural professional and organizational contexts specifically it presents theoretical frameworks for the identification development and optimization of positive psychological capacities through a contemporary multi cultural and multi disciplinary lens in recent years the applicability of positive psychological intervention ppi techniques has transposed the boundaries of clinical practice into a wide array of complementary domains such as law education business and even design sciences such as architecture these interventions target the enhancement of positive psychological capacities e g strength identification and use high performance learning appreciative design job crafting in order to not only improve individual functioning well being and the treatment of various forms of psychopathology but also to enhance team functioning performance organizational growth and community development despite its importance very little research has been done on the design of ppis applicable to multi cultural contexts the contributions to this volume provide insights into this hitherto neglected area of research

## ***The Wiley Blackwell Handbook of the Psychology of Occupational Safety and Workplace Health***

2015-12-02

a wiley blackwell handbook of organizational psychology focusing on occupational safety and workplace health the editors draw on their collective experience to present thematically structured material from leading thinkers and practitioners in the usa europe and asia pacific provides comprehensive coverage of the major contributions that psychology can make toward the improvement of workplace safety and employee health equips those who need it most with cutting edge research on key topics including wellbeing safety culture safety leadership stress bullying workplace health promotion and proactivity

## ***Working Couples Caring for Children and Aging Parents***

2017-09-25

as the baby boomer generation approaches midlife many dual earner couples are struggling with issues of simultaneously caring for children while tending to aging parents this timely book uncovers the circumstances faced by these workers known as the sandwiched generation and identifies what they need in order to fulfill their work and family responsibilities authors margaret b neal and leslie b hammer suggest the workplace as an arena for change proposing that it adapt to the situations of today s workers by providing flexibility and understanding the needs and priorities of families based on a four year national study funded by the alfred p sloan foundation working couples caring for children and aging parents examines employer and governmental initiatives affecting work and family life in the united states supports provided to working caregivers in countries other than the united states the effects of being sandwiched on work family fit well being and work and changes in work and family roles and outcomes over time this book will interest a broad audience including students policymakers family care practitioners io psychologists work life professionals gerontologists sociologists human resource managers and occupational health psychologists

## **Healthy at Work**

2016-08-26

this book aims at exploring the link between corporate and organizational culture public and private policies leadership and managerial skills or attitudes and the successful implementation of work related healthcare in europe therefore it brings together a wide range of empirical and theoretical contributions from occupational health management psychology medicine economics and organizational sociology to address the question of how to sustainably promote occupational health such important questions are explored as what aspects of a corporate culture can be associated with health issues how does leadership style affect the health of employees how are health related decisions in the workplace affected by the political environment to what extent are interventions influenced by corporate culture leadership and public policy how can we make such interventions sustainable

## Promotion of Mental Health

2017-07-28

this title was first published in 2001 addressing a range of key theoretical and practical issues this volume is the latest in an important series proceeding from the annual conference on the promotion of mental health it will be essential reading for policy makers researchers and practitioners in the field

## Microfinance Metaverse Intervention in Changing Context

2021-01-28

microfinance metaverse intervention in changing context delves into the transformative intersection of microfinance and the burgeoning metaverse as the digital realm of the metaverse expands the book explores its profound implications on microfinance examining how virtual banking and digital currencies are revolutionizing grassroots financial services beyond traditional models microfinance institutions are now tapping into virtual economies leveraging immersive technologies to reach underserved populations with unparalleled efficiency the narrative seamlessly intertwines the technological nuances of the metaverse with the core principles of microfinance offering insights into the democratization of finance in this digital age yet with innovation come challenges the book doesn't shy away from addressing the regulatory hurdles ethical dilemmas and socio economic considerations that this fusion introduces a groundbreaking exploration it lays the foundation for understanding the next frontier in financial inclusion in our ever evolving digital landscape

## Positive Organizational Psychology Interventions

2013-10-30

positive organizational psychology interventions discover the latest advancements in the field of positive organizational psychology positive organizational psychology interventions design and evaluation delivers a concise description and synthesis of positive organizational psychology theory empirical research and evidence based applications based on a thorough review of the peer reviewed literature by the accomplished and distinguished editors the book offers readers an encapsulation of the growth of the field and the latest state of the art theory and research driven interventions in this emerging area you ll discover the breadth and depth of the field of positive organizational psychology grounded in empirical research and evidence based practice thereby avoiding some of the frivolousness and optimism sometimes associated with the field the book provides an honest and balanced view of positive organizational psychology by acknowledging the limitations of the research relevant critiques and the extent to which findings can be applied finally the volume will serve as a useful tool to inspire ideas for further evidence based research and intervention design and for facilitating class exercises discussions projects and more readers will also benefit from the inclusion of a thorough introduction to positive organizational psychology and research methods commonly used in positive organizational psychology an exploration of positive psychological states traits and processes in the workplace as well as strength and virtues at work practical discussions of flow and work engagement job crafting strengths focused performance reviews positive organizational capacity building positive cultural humility a positive approach to sexual harassment prevention and positive leadership development an analysis of positive organizational development and positive human resource practices as well as workplace well being thriving and flourishing perfect for undergraduate and graduate students in psychology programs positive organizational psychology interventions will also earn a place in the libraries of practitioners of positive psychology who seek a one stop reference for the latest developments in positive organizational psychology scholarship

## Employee Engagement in Theory and Practice

2005

in recent years there has been a weight of evidence suggesting that engagement has a significantly positive impact on productivity performance and organisational advocacy as well as individual wellbeing and a significantly negative impact on intent to quit and absenteeism from the work place this comprehensive new book is unique as it brings together for the first time psychological and critical hrm perspectives on engagement as well as their practical application employee engagement in theory and practice will familiarise readers with the concepts and core themes that have been explored in research and their application in a business context via a set of carefully chosen and highly relevant original and case studies some of which are co authored by invited practitioners written in an accessible manner this book will be essential reading for scholars in the field students studying at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels as well as practitioners interested in finding out more about the theoretical underpinnings of engagement alongside its practical application

### ***Organizational Dynamics and Intervention***

2017-10-02

allcorn assistant dean and chief financial officer texas tech u health sciences center school of medicine examines aspects of the literature on organizational dynamics leadership groups at work organizational structure and related topics from a psychoanalytic perspective with the goal of suggesting a way of understanding organizational life and work experience that will allow for a more informed and proactive approach to management individual chapters examine organizational resistance to change organizational fragmentation the role of goals in the workplace the nature of incentives leadership pathology forms of violence in the workplace the role of the human psyche in the workplace organizational membership selection psychological experience of glass ceilings and other organizational surface phenomenon the presence and nature of mysticism in the workplace and the narrative of workplace histories publisher

### ***Football, Community and Social Inclusion***

2023-09-07

this special issue addresses the complex reality of english community football organisations including football in the community fitc schemes which have been attending to social agendas such as social inclusion and health promotion the positioning of football as a key agent of change for this diverse range of social issues has resulted in an increase in funding support despite the increased availability of funding and the apparent willingness of football clubs to adopt such an altruistic position within society there remains limited empirical evidence to substantiate football s ability to deliver results this book explores the current role of a football and football clubs in supporting and delivering social inclusion and health promotion to its community and seeks to examine the philosophical political environmental and practical challenges of this work the power and subsequent lure of a football club and its brand is an ideal vehicle to entice and capture populations that normally ignore or turn away from positive social and or health behaviours the foundations of such a belief are examined outlining key recommendations and considerations for both researchers and practitioners attending to these social and health issues through the vehicle of football this book was originally published as a special issue of soccer society

### ***ECKM 2023 24th European Conference on Knowledge Management Vol 2***

2020-06-02

these proceedings represent the work of contributors to the 24th european conference on knowledge management eckm 2023 hosted by iscte instituto universitário de lisboa portugal on 7 8 september 2023 the conference chair is prof florinda matos and the programme chair is prof Álvaro rosa both from iscte business school iscte instituto universitário de lisboa portugal eckm is now a well established event on the academic research calendar and now in its 24th year the key aim remains the opportunity for participants to share ideas and meet the people who hold them the scope of papers will ensure an interesting two days the subjects covered illustrate the wide range of topics that fall into this important and ever growing area of research the opening keynote presentation is given by professor leif edvinsson on the topic of intellectual capital as a missed value the second day of the conference will open with an address by professor noboru konno from tama



graduate school and keio university japan who will talk about society 5 0 knowledge and conceptual capability and professor jay liebowitz who will talk about digital transformation for the university of the future with an initial submission of 350 abstracts after the double blind peer review process there are 184 academic research papers 11 phd research papers 1 masters research paper 4 non academic papers and 11 work in progress papers published in these conference proceedings these papers represent research from australia austria brazil bulgaria canada chile china colombia cyprus czech republic denmark finland france germany greece hungary india iran iraq ireland israel italy japan jordan kazakhstan kuwait latvia lithuania malaysia méxico morocco netherlands norway palestine peru philippines poland portugal romania south africa spain sweden switzerland taiwan thailand tunisia uk united arab emirates and the usa

## **Gerodontology Essentials for Health Care Professionals**

2009-02-09

this book provides basic knowledge and skills for non dental healthcare practitioners helping them recognize the importance of oral health perform initial oral health assessments consult dentists when necessary and offer preventive advice and counseling as people age they tend to refrain from routine dental care while the number of consultations with non dental healthcare providers physicians nurses pharmacists physician assistants physical therapists occupational therapists etc increases however few healthcare providers are adequately trained to assess oral problems the relevance of this book is underscored by the recently published european policy recommendations on oral health in older adults by the european college of gerodontology and the european geriatric medicine society which highlight the importance of the active involvement of non dental primary care practitioners in oral health assessment and promotion these two respected european societies have identified a significant gap in education practice and health policies and described the necessary action plans this book helps to fill the educational gap identified in the recommendations and will be an invaluable tool for all healthcare providers working with older people

## ***Physical Activity and Health Promotion***

2016-11-03

physical activity and health promotion evidence based approaches to practice evaluates the realities and complexities of working to reverse the adverse trend toward physical inactivity it is a well rounded evidence based study of interventions for physical activity practice covering a range of settings and target groups expert contributors present case studies which help to translate the theory into practice from individual to societal levels enriched by explanations of the socio political context

## **Extending Working Life for Older Workers**

2017-05-18

the uk population is ageing rapidly while age discrimination laws are seen as having broad potential to address the ageing challenge and achieve instrumental and intrinsic objectives in the context of employment it is unclear what impact they are having in practice this monograph addresses two overarching research questions in the employment field how are uk age discrimination laws operating in practice how if at all could uk age discrimination laws be improved a reflexive law theoretical standpoint is employed to investigate these issues applying a mixed methods research design that engages qualitative quantitative doctrinal and comparative elements this book demonstrates the substantial limitations of the equality act 2010 uk for achieving instrumental and intrinsic objectives drawing on qualitative expert interviews statistical analysis and organisational case studies it illustrates the failure of age discrimination laws to achieve attitudinal change in the uk and reveals the limited prevalence of proactive measures to support older workers integrating doctrinal analysis comparative analysis of finnish law and the delphi method it proposes targeted legal and policy changes to address demographic change and offers an agenda for reform that may increase the impact of age discrimination laws and enable them to respond effectively to demographic ageing runner up of the 2017 sls peter birks prize for outstanding legal scholarship the author was also awarded the 2020 isa rcs1 adam podgórecki junior prize

## **Design for Health**

2021-04-11

one of the most complex global challenges is improving wellbeing and developing strategies for promoting health or preventing illbeing of the population the role of designers in indirectly supporting the promotion of healthy lifestyles or in their contribution to illbeing has emerged this means designers now need to consider both morally and ethically how they can ensure that they do no harm and that they might deliberately decide to promote healthy lifestyles and therefore prevent ill health design for health illustrates the history of the development of design for health the various design disciplines and domains to which design has contributed through 26 case studies presented in this book the authors reveal a plethora of design research methodologies and research methods employed in design for health the editors also present following a thematic analysis of the book chapters seven challenges and seven areas of opportunity that designers are called upon to address within the context of healthcare furthermore five emergent trends in design in healthcare are presented and discussed this book will be of interest to students of design as well as designers and those working to improve the quality of healthcare

## ***Psychology of Physical Activity***

2021-03-01

the positive benefits of physical activity for physical and mental health are now widely acknowledged yet levels of physical inactivity continue to be a major concern throughout the world understanding the psychology of physical activity has therefore become an important issue for scientists health professionals and policy makers alike as they address the challenge of behaviour change psychology of physical activity provides comprehensive and in depth coverage of the fundamentals of exercise psychology from mental health to theories of motivation and adherence and to the design of successful interventions for increasing participation now publishing in a fully revised updated and expanded fourth edition psychology of physical activity is still the only textbook to offer a full survey of the evidence base for theory and practice in exercise psychology and the only textbook that explains how to interpret the quality of the research evidence as the field continues to grow rapidly the new edition expands the behavioural science content of numerous important topics including physical activity and cognitive functioning automatic and affective frameworks for understanding physical activity involvement new interventions designed to increase physical activity including use of new technologies and sedentary behaviour a full companion website offers useful features to help students and lecturers get the most out of the book during their course including multiple choice revision questions powerpoint slides and a test bank of additional learning activities psychology of physical activity is the most authoritative engaging and up to date book on exercise psychology currently available it is essential reading for all students working in behavioural medicine as well as the exercise and health sciences

## ***An Introduction to Professional and Executive Coaching***

2015-12-23

the coaching profession is growing and innovating according to the international coaching federation icf coaching earns over 3 billion per year with over 100 000 practitioners of coaching this book is for both practitioners and scholars of executive coaching coaching is an exciting and powerful skillset that allows individuals to empower others and helps individuals to generate awareness that opens the door for great levels of success the approach of this book is to look at the theoretical framework of coaching as it applies to the actual practice of coaching others and groups it is important to ground practice in theory and research to bring together the researched framework to help to inform the approach there is an old proverb that states theory is when you know everything but nothing works practice is when everything works but no one knows why the approach of this book will enable the student with the theory the processes and the skills to coach in a way that works and to be able to understand the why behind the success as well as make it replicable

## **Sports-Based Health Interventions**

2020-05-13

this unique volume explores a growing collaboration between the sport and health sectors to deliver innovative public health interventions in the community it explores the role of sport and sports settings as a vehicle for achieving health outcomes as well as some of the practical and moral challenges presented by sport and public health partnerships working together twenty detailed examples illustrate the broad range of programs which have already been developed around the world from across the spectrum of public health activity chapters include time out for your health a sports based health intervention approach with american football teams promoting mental wellbeing in rugby league communities slum soccer female empowerment through football football 4 peace sport as a post disaster psychosocial intervention for children in bam iran sex and sport an australian rules football based chlamydia screening initiative as well as showcasing what has been achieved in this exciting new field sports based health interventions shares valuable advice and lessons learnt to inform the next generation of sports based public health initiatives

## **Sedentary Behaviors at Work**

2010-03-02

this ground breaking textbook is the first to cover the new and rapidly developing field of occupational health psychology provides a thorough introduction to occupational health psychology and an accessible overview of the key themes in research and practice each chapter relates to an aspect of the core education curriculum delineated by the european academy of occupational health psychology written by internationally recognized experts in the field examines a host of contemporary workplace health issues including work related stress the psychosocial work environment positive psychology and employee well being psychosocial risk management workspace design organizational research methods and corporate culture and health

## **Occupational Health Psychology**

2019-03-28

communication in the public sphere as well as within organizational contexts has attracted the interest of researchers over the past century current forms of citizen engagement and community development partly enabled through digital communication have further enhanced the visibility and relevance of non profit communication these are performed by the civil society which is the organized expression of the values and interests of society castells 2008 in the public sphere non profit communication feeds the public sphere as the discursive processes in a complex network of persons institutionalized associations and organizations whereas those discourses are a civilized way of disagreeing openly about essential matters of common concern jensen 2002 despite the relevance in the public sphere non profit communication was never properly defined within communication research the aim of the present book is to offer an overview and report on strategic communication for non profit organisations and the challenges and alternative approaches considering the assumption that a key principle of strategic communication is the achievement of organisational goals the majority of research developed in the field has used business environments to develop theories models empirical insights and case studies here we take a step towards new approaches centred on the concept of non profit in various dimensions and from various perspectives showing the diversity and complexity around this subject and at the same time the need of further theoretical and empirical work that provides frameworks and also tools for further understanding of the phenomena

## **Strategic Communication for Non-Profit Organisations**

2018-03-06

poll after poll has confirmed that an astonishing number of workers are disengaged from their work why is this happening and how can we fix the problem in this bold enlightening book social psychologist and professor daniel m cable takes leaders into the minds of workers and reveals the surprising secret to restoring their zest for work disengagement isn't a motivational problem it's a biological one humans aren't built for routine and repetition we're designed to crave exploration experimentation and learning in fact there's a part of our brains which scientists have coined the seeking system that rewards us for taking part in these activities but the way organizations are run prevents many of us from following our innate impulses as a result we shut down things need to change more than ever before employee creativity and engagement are needed to win fortunately it won't take an extensive overhaul of your organizational culture to get started with small nudges you can personally help people reach their fullest potential alive at work reveals how to encourage people to bring their best selves to work and use their greatest strengths to help your organization flourish how to build creative environments that motivate people to share ideas work smarter and embrace change how to enhance people's connection to their work and your customers how to create personalized experiences that help people feel a deeper sense of purpose filled with fascinating stories from the author's extensive research alive at work is the inspirational guide that you need to tap into the passion creativity and purpose fizzing beneath the surface of every person who falls under your leadership

## **Alive at Work**

2020-11-25

both the exponents and critics of neoliberalism assert the dominance of market forces in western nations the political economy of state intervention calls this into question through a re-examination of state intervention in the USA and Britain over the course of the long depression 1970 to date this book argues that the state has performed an increasingly significant role in conserving capital propping up an economic and social order that has lost its productive dynamism the specific forms of capital's dependency on the state may vary however the underlying weaknesses of mature western economies have prompted new forms of state intervention narrowly aimed at conserving capital especially in the wake of the financial crisis the chapters consider factors which are usually posited as explanations for the long depression such as oil price shocks domestic conditions and technological innovation the work argues that the consensus view of neoliberalism has served to underplay the significance of the state's role in failing to lift this long depression in several ways it has lent a greater ideological coherence to the policies pursued by successive governments than they deserve the state has been less subordinate to the market than is usually claimed and more often its maker and there has been a significant growth in jobs located in the private sector that are funded by public money the cumulative effect of this is a narrowing of the state's purpose to conserving capital a role which has contributed to its loss of authority as an institution that claims to represent society as a whole it is theorised that this in turn has led to the insecurities of the existing political order and the rise of populism this book will be of great interest to students and scholars of political economy public policy political theory economics and sociology

## **The Political Economy of State Intervention**

2009

this handbook focuses on organizational well-being in its widest sense and is concerned with reviewing the factors which are associated with ill health as well as those which promote positive health and well-being in it leading international scholars focus on the key issues around measuring well-being and individual and organizational factors

## **The Oxford Handbook of Organizational Well-being**

2014-02-28

the contributions in creating healthy workplaces include a number of interventions that relate the efforts undertaken by researchers and organizations together to reduce stress and improve the mental and physical health of employees through positive change initiatives those

working in the field of occupational stress have received criticism that too much emphasis has been placed on negative issues and that positive initiatives have been largely ignored with the growing influence of the positive movement this book explores the implications of using a positive approach as opposed to a stress management one and compares the types of interventions they each require from a positive perspective there is a need to understand the characteristics of healthy thriving and flourishing people and organizations this book explores the implications of using a positive approach as opposed to a stress management one some of the interventions described in creating healthy workplaces target individuals and their attitudes and behaviours others target workplace relationships work units and the wider organization outcomes such as reduced occurrences of smoking obesity depression elevated blood pressure accidents and workplace injuries presenteeism absence and staff turnover are reported the factors associated with the success of these interventions are identified and advice is given as to how interested individuals and organizations might proceed to develop worksite interventions on their own

## **Creating Healthy Workplaces**

2002

this document highlights some of the basic issues in the field of prevention and promotion in mental health with special reference to the evidence base it is hoped that the information given here will assist in wider utilization of appropriate and effective interventions on prevention and promotion towards reducing the burden of mental disorders and in enhancing the mental health of populations

## ***Prevention and Promotion in Mental Health***

2000

total quality management tqm reengineering the workplace of the twenty first centuryâ the 1990s have brought a sense of urgency to organizations to change or face stagnation and decline according to enhancing organizational performance organizations are adopting popular management techniques some scientific some faddish often without introducing them properly or adequately measuring the outcome enhancing organizational performance reviews the most popular current approaches to organizational changeâ total quality management reengineering and downsizingâ in terms of how they affect organizations and people how performance improvements can be measured and what questions remain to be answered by researchers the committee explores how theory doctrine accepted wisdom and personal experience have all served as sources for organization design alternative organization structures such as teams specialist networks associations and virtual organizations are examined enhancing organizational performance looks at the influence of the organization s norms values and beliefsâ its cultureâ on people and their performance identifying cultural levers available to organization leaders and what is leadership the committee sorts through a wealth of research to identify behaviors and skills related to leadership effectiveness the volume examines techniques for developing these skills and suggests new competencies that will become required with globalization and other trends mergers networks alliances coalitionsâ organizations are increasingly turning to new intra and inter organizational structures enhancing organizational performance discusses how organizations cooperate to maximize outcomes the committee explores the changing missions of the u s army as a case study that has relevance to any organization noting that a musical greeting card contains more computing power than existed in the entire world before 1950 the committee addresses the impact of new technologies on performance with examples insights and practical criteria enhancing organizational performance clarifies the nature of organizations and the prospects for performance improvement this book will be important to corporate leaders executives and managers faculty and students in organizational performance and the social sciences business journalists researchers and interested individuals

## **Organisational Interventions for Work Stress**

1997-04-02

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