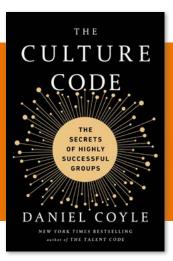




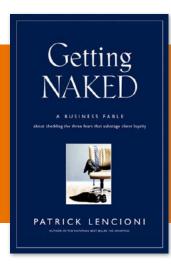


The Xenium Book Club has been going strong since 2012. Every month, we meet to discuss a new book related to business, human resources, leadership, or personal growth. We see our club as a way to connect with employees in other departments, keep open minds, learn new ideas and promote discussion of these topics and concepts as a group. Together we read, together we grow. Below is a list of all the books we have read since we began in 2012.



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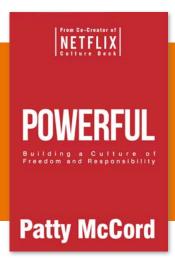


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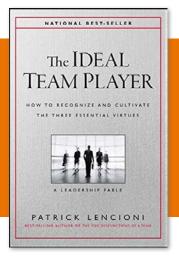
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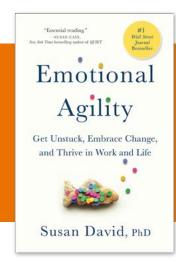


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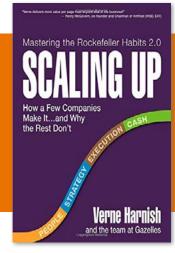


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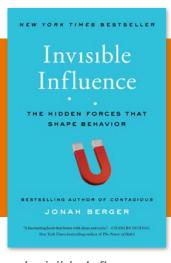
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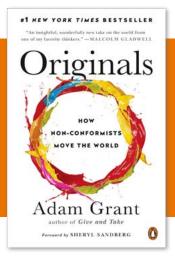


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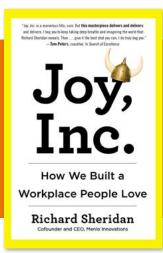


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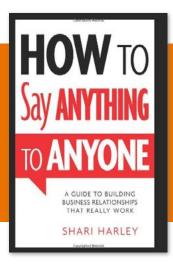
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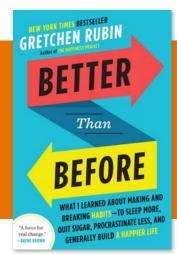
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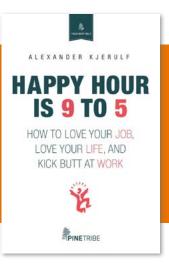
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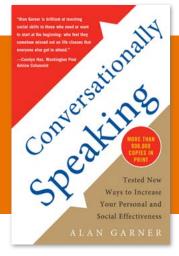
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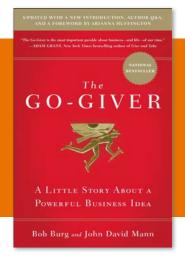
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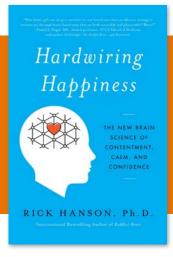
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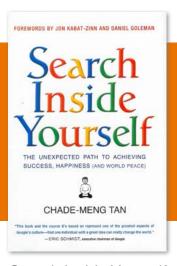
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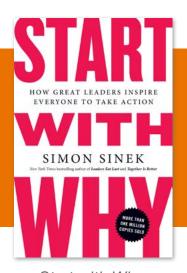


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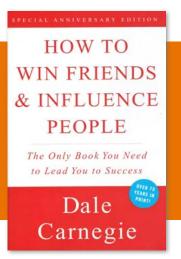
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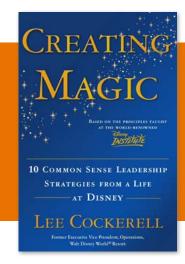


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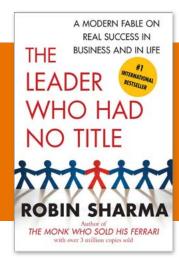
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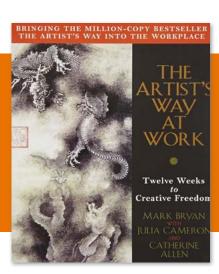
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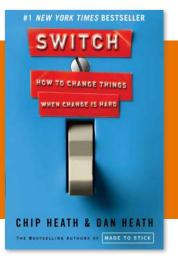
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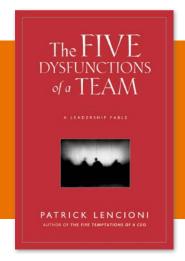
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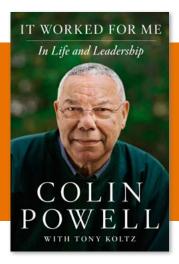
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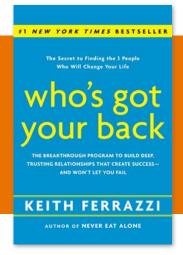
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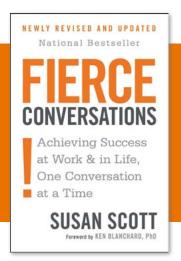
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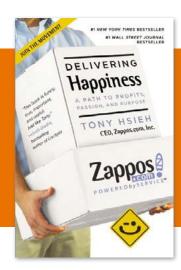
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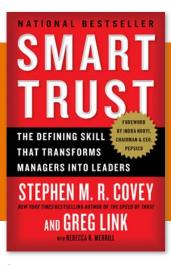
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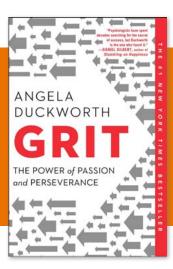
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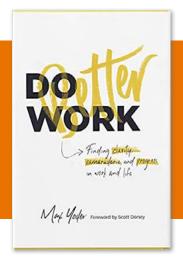
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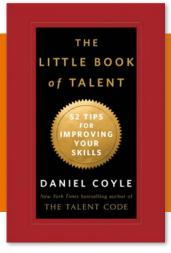
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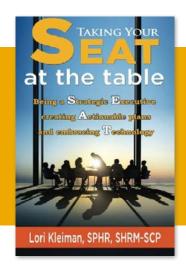
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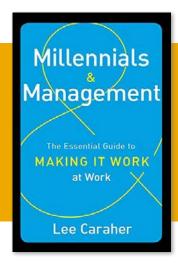
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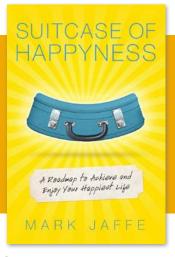
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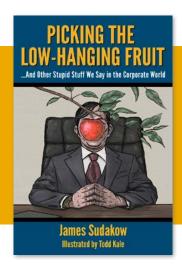
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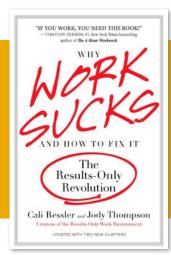
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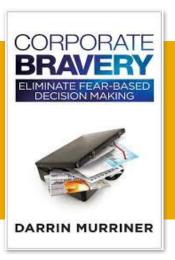
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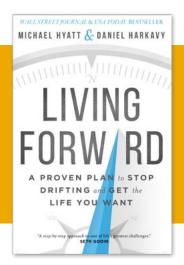
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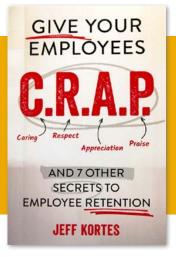
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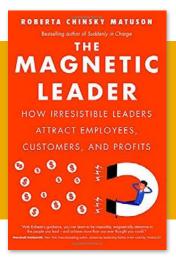
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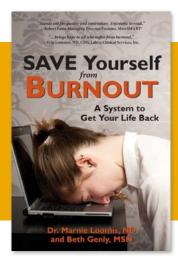
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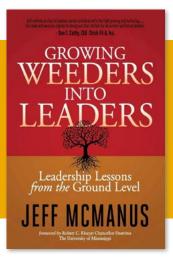
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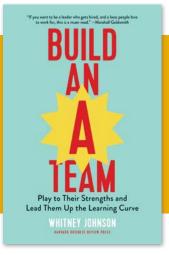
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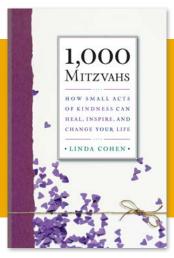
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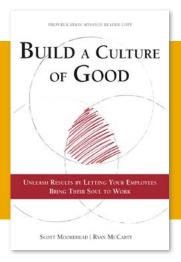
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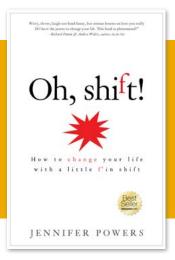
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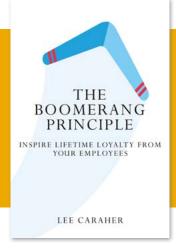
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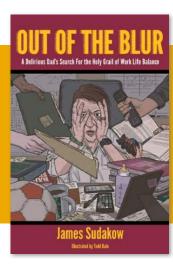
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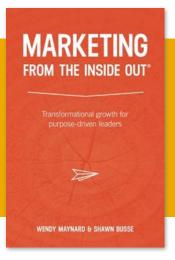
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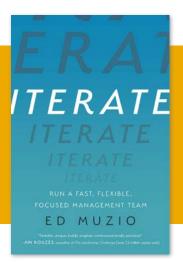
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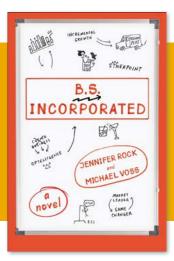
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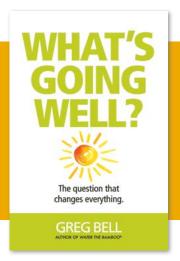
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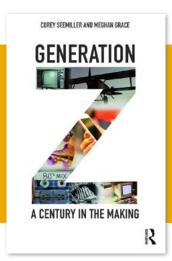
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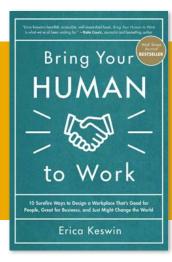
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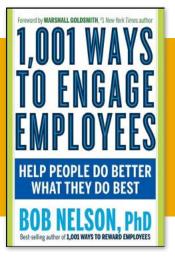
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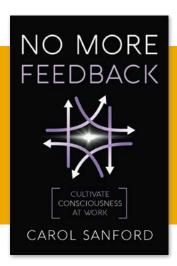
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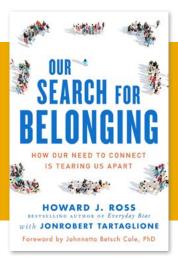
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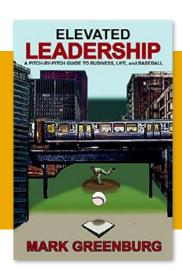
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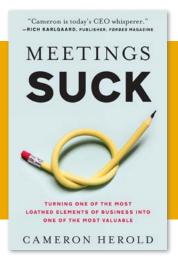
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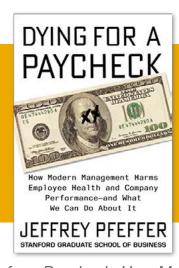
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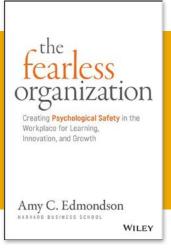
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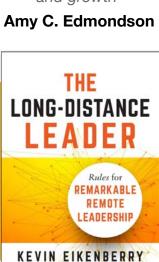


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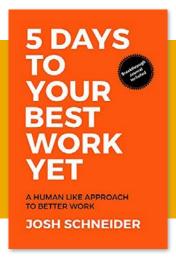
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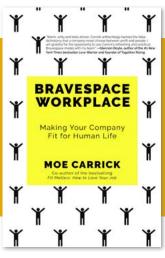
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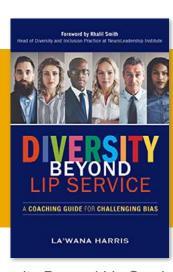
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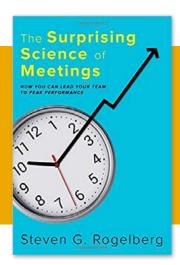
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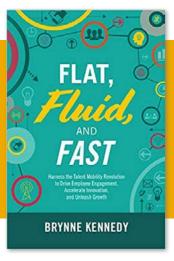
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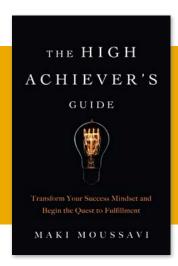
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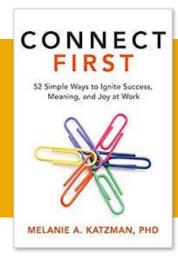
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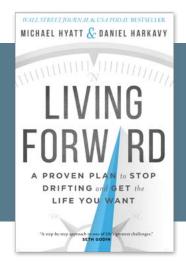


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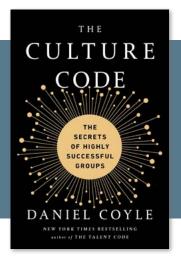
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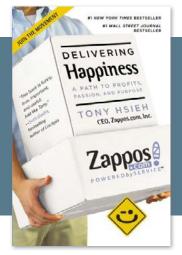
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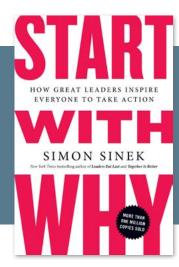
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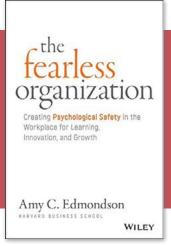


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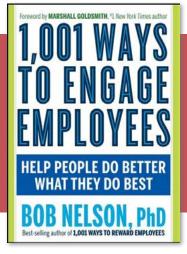
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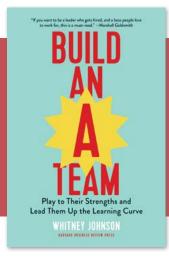
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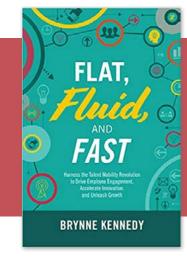
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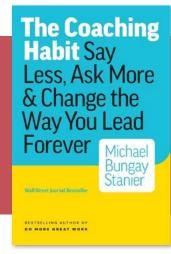
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