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Agenda
Session #1

Welcome & Introductions - 30 mins
- Session Objectives
- Small Group Introductions

Module 1 – Strengthening Your Approach - 45 mins
- Hedgehog & Flywheel Concepts
- SWOT Analysis

Module 2 – Refining Your Strategy - 45 mins
- Strategy on a Page
- SMART Goal Setting
- 2x2 Prioritization Matrix

30 Minute Break

Module 3 – Understanding Issues - 45 mins
- Root Cause Analysis
- Fishbone Diagrams / The 5 Whys

Wrap Up - 15 mins
Agenda
Session #2

Welcome - 15 mins
○ Recap & Reflect on Day 1
○ Workshop 2 Objectives & Terminology

Module 1 - 45 mins
○ Scenario planning
○ Pest Analysis

Module 2 - 45 mins
○ Contingency Planning
○ Business Continuity Planning

30 Minute Break

Module 3 - 45 mins
○ Succession Planning
○ 9 Box - Action Plan

Wrap Up - 15 mins
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Zoom
Chat
Reactions (thumbs up, applause, etc.)
Breakout rooms
Additional Guidance for Zoom

● Mute your microphone when not speaking to prevent echoes/background noise. Video uses more Zoom bandwidth.

● All voices matter and everyone will be given an opportunity to speak. Please make room for the quieter people.

● When possible, keep remarks brief so we cover the material as scheduled.

● Use Zoom’s Chat function for questions/comments. Hover the mouse near the bottom of the Zoom window to display Zoom buttons.

● The moderator may ask you to give a “thumbs up” reaction at some points.

● There will be a “parking lot” for items that we would like to return to later.

● This presentation, along with additional resources / templates, can be found on the following site: http://www.rainforesttrust.org/capacitybuilding/
Survey Highlights

Almost 80% have a defined or measured strategic plan

How would you rate the maturity of your organisation’s strategic planning function?

14 responses

- 5 - OPTIMISED: 35.7%
- 4 - MANAGED/MEASURED: 14.3%
- 3 - DEFINED: 7.1%
- 2 - REPEATABLE: 42.9%
- 1 - INITIAL:
Survey Highlights

Some key components are not yet in written form

Does your organisation have the following plans in writing?

- Strategic Plan
- Contingency/Scenario Plan
- Business Continuity Plan
- Disaster Recovery Plan
- Succession Plan
- Risk Management Plan
Strategy - A Definition

A set of guiding principles that, when communicated and adopted in the organization, generates a desired pattern of decision making to achieve the organization’s objectives.
Alignment through Strategic Planning

What?
• Provides management roadmap to align organization’s activities to achieve specific goals
• Guides management discussions and decision making
• Help determine resource and budget requirements

Why?
• It establishes a direction for your organization
• It helps your organization focus so you can develop the right goals and help everyone focus on meeting those goals
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By the end of the Strategic Planning Day 1 Workshop, you will be able to:

Understand basic tools and frameworks used to create and strengthen a Strategic Plan.

- SWOT Analysis
- SMART Goals
- Your “Hedgehog” Concept
- 2x2 Prioritization Matrix
- The 5 Why’s & Fishbone Diagrams (Root Cause Analysis)
By the end of the Strategic Planning Day 2 Workshop, you will be able to:

Understand advanced concepts used to strengthen your Strategic Plan:

- Scenario Planning
- Contingency Planning
- Business Continuity
- Pest Analysis
- Succession Planning
- 9 Box Action plan
Breakout Group #1 - Introductions – 10 mins

1 - In your breakout group, please share your name, where you are located, your organization, and the mission & vision for your organization.

- **Vision** - *A description of the world as it would exist if the organization were to succeed in achieving its grandest aspirations.*
- **Mission** - *A succinct expression of an organization's essential reason for existence or core purpose.*

2 - Time allowing, please share one of your organization’s major objectives or goals for the next year.
Module 1: Strengthening Your Approach
-Confronting the Brutal Facts w/ a SWOT Analysis
-Strengthening Your Focus with the Hedgehog & Flywheel Concepts
Going from Good to Great
Confronting the Brutal Facts - SWOT Analysis

**STRENGTHS**
- Advantage
- Capabilities
- Assets, people
- Experience
- Financial reserves
- Value proposition
- Price, value, quality

**WEAKNESSES**
- Disadvantages
- Gap in capabilities
- Cash Flow
- Suppliers
- Experience
- Areas to improve
- Causes of lose sales

**OPPORTUNITIES**
- Areas to improve
- New segments
- Industry trends
- New products
- New innovations
- Key partnership

**THREATS**
- Economy movement
- Obstacles faced
- Competitor actions
- Political impacts
- Environmental effects
- Loss of key staff
- Market demand
Exercise - SWOT Analysis

Instructions

- **Strengths**: Characteristics of a business which give it advantages over its competitors.
- **Weaknesses**: Characteristics of a business which make it disadvantaged relative to competitors.
- **Opportunities**: Elements in a company's external environment that allow it to formulate and implement strategies to increase profitability.
- **Threats**: Elements in the external environment that could endanger the integrity and profitability of the business.

Take 5 minutes to write down one to two components for each of the categories - strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats.

Would anyone like to share highlights from their SWOT with the group?

Did anything new emerge as you conducted the analysis?
Good-to-Great: The Hedgehog Concept

“The fox knows many things, but the hedgehog knows one big thing.”

-Ancient Greek Parable
The Hedgehog Concept
Overview

Your organization’s “hedgehog concept” sits at the intersection of these three circles.

1. What are you deeply passionate about? (that you love to do, and that absolutely reflects your values)

2. What can you be the best in the world at? (and, equally important, what you cannot be the best in the world at)

3. What best drives your resource engine? (In other words, what, if you do well, will both fulfill your mission AND generate a sustainable flow of resources that you can invest to increase your impact even further?)
Flywheel Concept

A flywheel is an incredibly heavy wheel that takes huge effort to push.

Keep pushing and the flywheel builds momentum, eventually turning itself and building additional momentum.

A flywheel is also a self-reinforcing loop made up of a few key initiatives.

Those initiatives feed and are in turn driven by each other, and build a long-term business.
DocuSign IMPACT Flywheel Example

Create mechanisms for employees and customers to make an IMPACT

- Fuel the Resource Engine
- Grow the Business
- Increase employee and customer loyalty
- Multiply our IMPACT
- Share the stories
Group Exercise via Padlet

Instructions

Go the following URL:

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Answer the following questions as indicated:

- What are you deeply passionate about?
- What can you be the best in the world at?
- What drives your sustainable resource engine?
Exercise Read-out
Share /Review (5 mins)

What were the key takeaways for you from these exercises?

Were there any insights?

Is there anything in your organization that you might approach differently?
Good-to-Great: The Hedgehog Concept

“All good-to-great leaders, it turns out, are hedgehogs. They know how to simplify a complex world into a single, organizing idea—the kind of basic principle that unifies, organizes, and guides all decisions.”

— Jim Collins
Module 2: Refining Your Strategy
- Strategy on a Page (SOAP)
- SMART Goal Setting
- 2x2 Prioritization Matrix
Strategy on a Page (SOAP)

Provides a simple, concise view of the strategy for stakeholders

Used to assess opportunities to determine if fit within strategy

Ensures focus on priorities and alignment with strategy

Concisely articulates on a single page the vision, goals and objectives
SOAP Review
What’s involved

1. **Strategy**
   - The SOAP sits at the organisational level and sets the goals and objectives for all activity at a high level.
   - Review / Refresh annually.

2. **Deliverables & Enabling Processes**
   - Each team or unit will define the key priorities and enabling processes their team will focus on to deliver on the strategy.

3. **Execution Plans**
   - Each team or unit will determine what activities they will do and ensure they ladder up to the SOAP (e.g., 90-day action plans, specific budgets, calendar of activities, etc.)
   - Update quarterly.
## Our Vision:
Our business as a force for good in the world.

## Our Mission / Purpose:
To bring the strength of DocuSign’s people, products and philanthropy to bear in creating stronger communities and a more sustainable planet.

## Our Values:
Profit & purpose go hand in hand.
The environment is a stakeholder in our business.

### Strategy on a Page (SOAP) Template

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<td><strong>Success Measures:</strong> Emission reduction %; Trees planted &amp; preserved</td>
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SMART Goal Framework

• **Specific:**
  Simple, Sensible, Significant

• **Measurable:**
  Meaningful, Motivating

• **Achievable:**
  Agreed, Attainable

• **Relevant:**
  Reasonable, Realistic, Results-based

• **Time-Based:**
  Time limited, Cost limited, Time sensitive
## SMART Goal Setting

### How to Use

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2 x 2 Prioritization Matrix

Once you have goals defined, come up with the activities to meet those goals and prioritize.

**Purpose:** Used in prioritizing activities (such as during brainstorming) to identify the highest impact activity relative to the effort.

Share examples of activities in your organization from the “yes” (low effort/high impact) and “no” (high effort/low impact) quadrants in the padlet.

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Breakout #2 (15 mins + 5 minute Read-out)

Instructions

SMART Goals Exercise

● Take a moment to think of 1-2 goals for your organization in 2021.
● In the breakout group, as a group, chose 1-2 organization goals.
● As a group, apply the SMART goal framework to the chosen goals.

One volunteer from each breakout room will share one 2021 organization goal before and after applying the SMART goal framework in the main session.
Break Time!!
Be back in 30 mins.
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What did you do on your break?
Module 3: Understanding Issues
- Root Cause Analysis
- Fishbone Diagram & The 5 Whys
Root Cause Analysis

What are the 3 components?

Within an organization, problem solving, incident investigation, and root cause analysis are all fundamentally connected by 3 basic questions:

1. What’s the problem?
2. Why did it happen?
3. What will be done to prevent it from happening again?

Brainstorming tools used for root cause analysis include:

- Fishbone diagram
- 5 Whys
A Fishbone Diagram is a structured brainstorming tool using categories to explore root causes for an undesirable effect.
Fishbone Diagram

How to use it

1. Define a clear problem statement and put that in the fish head
2. Brainstorm possible categories related to the problem and put these in the boxes connected to the backbone of the fish
   Examples: people, environment or budget
   No specific number of categories are required
3. Brainstorm possible causes and put them in the ribs of the fish connected to the backbone
   Examples for people: lack of skill, not enough people
   No specific number of causes are required
4. Ask why (use the 5 Whys)
5 Whys

Root Cause Analysis

- Technique used to identify the root cause of a problem
- Usually part of process improvement
- Addresses the root cause of issues, otherwise the error will re-occur and cause more rework.

Problem Statement – There was a traffic accident?

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<td>Because he didn’t see it.</td>
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<td>Because there was a tree branch in the way.</td>
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<td>Why was the tree branch in the way?</td>
<td>Because the city gardeners did not trim it.</td>
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<td>Why didn’t the city gardener trim the tree?</td>
<td>Because they are on strike.</td>
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5 Whys

How to use it

1. Carefully define the problem statement
   - A poorly defined problem statement will not generate useful root causes
2. Ask “why” the problem happens
3. Continue to ask “why”
4. Write down the answers to the “why” questions
5. Continue until you define the root cause
Fishbone Analysis for Plastic in Ocean

Inadequate substitutes:
- Material not biodegradable
- Substitutes are expensive
- Substitutes are labour intensive

Economic:
- Material used to create plastic is cheap and readily available
- Cheap to manufacture
- Cheap to dispose than recycle/reuse

Indirect disposal:
- Micro-plastic from domestic products in dark water
- Water run-off from landfill

Inability to Reuse:
- Not all plastic can be reused
- Collection for reuse not provided

Politics & Regulation:
- Politics support not available to make a change
- Regulatory framework not available to incentivise good behaviour over bad behaviour.

Direct disposal:
- Disposal of fishing nets
- Barrage dumping
- Legal commercial and private shipping waste dumping in ocean
Breakout #3 (15 mins)

Instructions

Fishbone Diagram

As a group, identify a problem your organization is facing. Use the Fishbone Diagram brainstorming tool
- Define a clear problem statement
- Brainstorm categories related to the problem
- Brainstorm causes and use the 5 whys to get to root cause
- Pick 1 person from each breakout team to share when we regroup
Exercise Debrief/Wrap-Up

Please share fishbone exercise findings.

- Key Insights? Difficulties?
- Is there anything you might do differently with your organization?
- What other information would be helpful?
Workshop #1 Reflection
Putting it in to practice

- Additional Resources
- Highlights
- Implementation Plan
Additional Resources
Share / Review

Module 1
- The Hedgehog Concept
- Social Sector Hedgehog Concept
- The Flywheel Concept

Module 2
- Great Leaders start with Why

Module 3
- Goleansixsigma.com – what is a fishbone diagram
- Goleansixsigma.com – Grand Daddy of Quality Kaoru Ishikawa
- Mindtools.com

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### Key Takeaways

**Share / Review**

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What topics/tools do you think will be most valuable?

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What questions do you have?

As a result of this workshop, I will...
# 90-day Action Plan Template

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The table above is a template for a 90-day action plan. It divides the plan into three phases: 30 days, 60 days, and 90 days. Each phase is divided into sections for different departments: Strategic Planning, Fundraising & Comms, and IT. The sections are empty and can be filled in with specific action items for each department within each phase.
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Thank you.