1000 Points of Light

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Abstract

This session will delve into the application of W. Edwards Deming’s 14 Points for Management to the pharmaceutical industry. In the first half of the session, Dr. Bill Bellows, a member of The Deming Institute Board of Directors, will provide a primer on Deming’s 14 Points and the philosophy behind them.
Agenda

- Thinking Together…
- W. Edwards Deming
- Insights
- Macro & Micro System Models
- InThinking & Reflexive Organizations
- Modes of Thinking
- Present State Organizations
- Future State Organizations
Increase individual awareness on thinking (InThinking)

Evolve the way we work together

Evolve the way we learn together

Evolve the way we run our organizations
Tank Engines and Rocket Engines

AGT1500

RS68
Part Management

CORDLESS DRIVER DRILL
Model 6011D

Note: The switch and other part configurations may differ from country to country.
Resource Management

Ownership

Proactive

Reactive

"Mine"

"Ours"
Resource Management

Proactive – applying effort while “good,” “OK,” “well,” or “correct” is happening

Reactive – applying effort after “bad,” “not OK,” “sick,” or “incorrect” happens
Resource Management

“An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure”

“A stitch in time saves nine”

“Every dollar we invest in high-quality early education can save more than $7 later on”
Macro System Model

*(Part Work)*

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W. Edwards Deming
W. Edwards Deming
1900 - 1993
11 February 1989

Dear Professor Fox,

I thank you for your kind invitation to speak to your classes. It would please me. I should be interested not only in your classes but a session with your teaching in the schools of business, engineering and psychology.

It is necessary for survival that a change of state take place from the economics of rugged individualism, win, lose, to another kind of economics, which I characterize as cooperation, win win, everybody win—not equally, but everybody win.

I wonder how many schools of business perpetuate the present system of management which has leveled off and led us to destruction. Changes must be made in the school system. The so-called merit system in business, government, and education, and the grading of children from toddlers on up through the university will for survival be abolished.

These thoughts form part of the content of my 4-day seminars, list enclosed.

The problem is to find a date. I have not a day in 1989. Some Tuesday in 1990 might be possible. You must tell me what you think would be good dates. I could come in the morning and stay through the day. You could not possibly pay me my fee. I would do this as a public service, which is the motive behind my teaching—42 years now at New York University, and 5 years at Columbia University. I remain with appreciation.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

W. Edwards Deming, Ph.D.
Consultant in Statistical Studies

To Professor Douglas M. Fox
Western Connecticut State University
Ansell School of Business
Danbury, Conn. 06810
Powell, WY, 1904 - 1918
Yale and Beyond, 1928-1993
Deming and Toyota

“There is not a day I don't think about what Dr. Deming meant to us. Deming is the core of our management.”

These glowing words were spoken at the 1991 Deming Prize ceremony by Shoichiro Toyoda, president of Toyota Motor Corp.
Deming’s 14 Points

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Insights
Perception & Thinking

“What we see depends on what we thought before we looked.”

Myron Tribus
New Cuyama, California
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Perception & Thinking

“How the world we perceive works depends on how we think.
The world we perceive is a world we bring forth through our thinking.”

H. Thomas Johnson

Source: (article) A Different Perspective on Quality, Johnson, 1997
Alligators

What is the leading use of alligator skin in the United States today?
Arnold Palmers
Time Management

How much time is spent discussing parts which are good and arrive on time?
Time Management
Addition

$1 + 1 = 2$
Addition

\[ \text{Apple} + \text{Apple} = \text{Apple} \]

\[ \text{Measuring Cups} + \text{Measuring Cup} = \text{Measuring Cup} \]
Addition?
Addition?

$1,000$

$1,500$

$-10,000$
Addition

“You think because you understand one you must understand two, because one and one makes two. But you must also understand and.”

Donella Meadows
Satisfaction

How important is customer satisfaction?
Expectation Management

Value

Disappointment

Expectation
How did you do on the test?

My commitment
Professor
Me
Other students
My energy

My grade
How did we do on the test?

My commitment
Professor
Me
Other students
My energy

Our grade
Macro System and Micro System Models
Given a piece of wood that will be cut into 2 pieces, how many lines will be drawn across the top face before the cut is made?
Cutting Wood
Micro System Model

Part Production
- Step 1
- Step 2
- Step N

Assembly
- Degrees of FIT
- Sub-Assembly 1

Final Assembly
- Degrees of FIT
- Product Assembly

Part A
- Degrees of GOOD

Part B

Part O

Part P

Steps:
1
2
N
Examples of Process Management

- **Hole Diameter**
  - **MIN**: 25
  - **MAX**: 20

- **Page Count**
  - **20**
  - **25**

- **Outer Diameter**
  - **MIN**: 100 FT
  - **MAX**: 0 FT

- **Distance from the Door**
  - **0 FT**
  - **100 FT**
InThinking & Reflective Organizations
Trip Report

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| motivated, on the floor     | front office manager, someone    |
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| communication, attentive     | dictatorial, unattentive, individualistic |
| thinkers, enjoy working,    | behavior, punitive, quota-data-  |
| part of the solution (not   | gathers, on a time clock,         |
| the problem), self-         | “go with the flow” type people,   |
| inspection of process or    |                                          |
| product, enjoy the people   |                                          |
| they work with, smiling     |                                          |
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Micro System Model (Team Work)

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- **Categories**
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  - Good/Bad, Up/Down

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Taguchi’s Quality Loss Function

"Loss to Society"

Lower Specification Limit

TARGET (desired value of parameter)

Upper Specification Limit
Reform & Transform

- Reform(ation) (Physical Change)
  - Process Change
  - Change in Requirements
  - Relocation
  - Renaming
  - Rephrasing

- Transform(ation) (Mental Change)
  - From Observer to Participant
  - From Witness to Participant
  - From Part to Part Of
  - From Spectator to Spect-Actor
Present State

Reflexive Organizations
Resource Management

Activity

Proactive

Reactive

Ownership

"Mine"

"Ours"
Future State

InThinking Organizations
InThinking

The concept of “InThinking” derives from “awareness of our own thinking and the assumptions we make in how we act when we allocate resources, where thinking is defined as “a way of reasoning.” Fundamental to resource allocation is whether our activities are proactive or reactive, and whether the resources involved belong to the enterprise (“ours”) or to one's own department, function, district, part, etc. (“mine”).
In Thinking invites an individual to learn to perceive the patterns of interdependencies surrounding him or her and to reason and judge with new insight and thereby engage in the activities of *Purposeful Resource Management* and *Purposeful Resource Leadership* across their enterprise.
Resource Management

Activity

Proactive

Reflexive

Ownership

"Mine"

"Ours"

Proactive

Purposeful

"Ours"
Present State

- Driving Change
- Focus on Reformation (Reforming)
- Reducing Cost, Waste, Inventory, Variation, etc
- Talk about “Working Together”
- Striving for “Zero Defects”
- Striving for “Zero Waste”
- Striving for “Satisfaction”
- Continuous Improvement
- Using Metrics for Alignment*

*without a thinking transformation
Future State

- Leading Transformation
- Use of Reformation and Transformation
- Resource & Relationship Management (Striving for Balance)
- Thinking & Learning Together - Then Working Together
- Managing Customers’ Expectations
- Continuous Investment
- Using InThinking for Alignment
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System of Profound Knowledge

The outside view. The layout of profound knowledge appears here in four parts, all related to each other:

- Appreciation for a system
- Knowledge about variation
- Theory of knowledge
- Psychology

A Map of Theory

Aim of this chapter. The prevailing style of management must undergo transformation. A system can not understand itself. The transformation requires a view from outside. The aim of this chapter is to provide an outside view - a lens - that I call a system of profound knowledge. The system of profound knowledge provides a lens. It provides a map of theory by which to understand the organizations that we work in.

New Meaning

The first step. The first step is transformation of the individual. This transformation is discontinuous. It comes from understanding of the system of profound knowledge. The individual, transformed, will perceive new meaning to his life, to events, to numbers, to interactions between people.

Transformation

Once the individual understands the system of profound knowledge, he will apply its principles in every kind of relationship with other people. He will have a basis for judgment of his own decisions and for transformation of the organizations that he belongs to.

Optimization

One need not be eminent in any part nor in all four parts in order to understand it and apply it. The 14 points for management (*Out of the Crisis*, Ch. 2) in industry, education, and government follow naturally as application of this outside knowledge, for transformation from the present style of Western management to one of optimization.

“All that we have comes from people who are responsible only to themselves.”

W. Edwards Deming