Staff Retention and Engagement

Drew Carter, CEO of Whistle, looks at the changing workforce, the myths of employee engagement, and new ways to better engage and retain your staff.



Program Details

Tuesdays, February 6, 13, 20, 27 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. CT Live Streamed

SESSION 1 | February 6

UNDERSTANDING 5 GENERATIONS OF STAFF: WHAT'S DIFFERENT AND WHAT'S THE SAME IN ENGAGING AND RETAINING YOUR PEOPLE

- The changing composition of the US workforce
- The dynamics of 5 generations working side-by-side
- Millennials vs. Gen Z employees, expectations and beyond
- What Millennials and Gen Z want employers to know
- 5 concepts to address the needs of the modern workforce

Gain a better understanding of the experiences influencing each generation, the dynamics important to each and specific engagement considerations that can be applied immediately.

SESSION 2 | February 13

BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE 101: USING THE SCIENCE OF PEOPLE TO CREATE A MOTIVATING, ENGAGING WORKPLACE

- · Brief history and context
- · Behavioral phenomena review
- The Newman behavior motivation model
- Motivation deep dive
- Practical applications of behavioral science to banking

Walk away with a better understanding of behavioral science, the influences and biases of the workforce and practical approaches to deal with those biases.

SESSION 3 | February 20

EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT MYTH BUSTING: COMMON MISUNDERSTANDING IN ENGAGEMENT AND WAYS TO AVOID THEM

- Why do staff leave?
- What HR thinks vs what employees think.
- Mixed Signals in incentive programs
- · Failed incentive programs
- · Retention efforts mistakes
- Insights and best practices

Learn more on why staff stay or leave an organization and common pitfalls of incentive and retention programs.

SESSION 4 | February 27

RECOGNITION AND REWARDS: HOW TO EFFECTIVELY CREATE AND EXECUTE EFFORTS THAT ENGAGE AND KEEP YOUR STAFF

- 12 Commandments of Influential Employee Rewards and Recognition
- · The challenges of points programs
- The underside of rewards catalogs and gift cards
- · The importance of timing
- Philanthropy
- Reward cadence
- The Travesty of branded merch
- Best Practices in rewards and recognition driving engagement and retention

Leave with a thorough understanding of recognition and rewards best practices and specific tools to utilize in retaining staff.



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