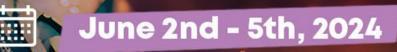


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Do You Know If Your BD, Capture or Proposal Career is a Fizzle or a Sizzle?

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So, What's a Fizzle vs Sizzle?



Fizzle



- Failure to plan your career "trapped" or "stuck" in your current role
- In an organization that doesn't support or provide pathways for growth
- Lack of training or training opportunities
- Environmental factors what Hinz Consulting calls "Rule 5s"

Sizzle



- Receiving increased opportunities that challenge your mind
- Seizing opportunities for growth and increased responsibility
 - Feeling better about yourself while at work





Hey wait! So, what do I do if...



l'm #TeamFizzle



& want help?

OR

l'm #TeamSizzle

not to lose it?

Answer:

Take control of your career!



The Traditional Career Path



BD Executive



Proposal Proposal

Manager

Responsibility (& Compensation)
Go Up Theoretically...

This is NOT the only way!



Alternative Career Paths...



Your career can be....

Agile, iterating over time, taking a calculated risk

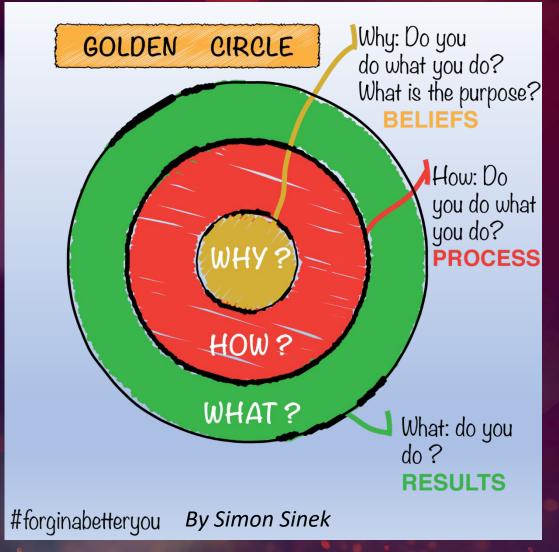


Pause, think, take different direction





And the Most Important Thing is...YOU!



- You must know and understand your Purpose
- Life first, then work
- Consider tradeoffs and accept the ones you want
- Surround yourself with strong mentors/advisors

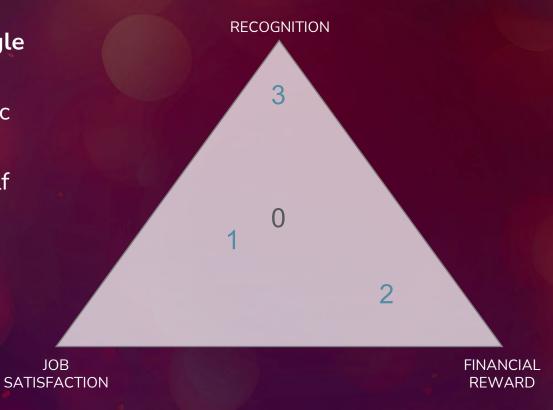


So, What do You do Next?



The Motivation Triangle

- Recognition = peer validation or extrinsic motivation
- Job satisfaction = self worth or *in*trinsic motivation
- Financial reward = compensation (money!)



The Process

- Rate each motivator
- Evaluate where you "lean"
- Analyze what that means for you
- What are you lacking and what do you have enough of?

Introspection – know thyself!

From <u>The Diagrams Book: 50 Ways to Solve</u> <u>Any Problem Visually</u> by Kevin Duncan



Make a Plan!

- Did the plan work?
- How did I do against my goals?
- What deltas or changes were there along the way that affected the outcome?

5. Measure

1. Introspection

Results

3. Plan

- Am I who I wish to be?
- Am I doing what I wish to be doing?
- Am I earning what I wish to be earning?
- Am I happy?



- Why am I the way I am?
- What makes me feel the way I do?
- What options are there available to me?
- What methods/support is there?

2. Analysis

- What changed along the way?
- What didn't I think of that I should have accounted for?
- Have I changed my mind or have my goals shifted?

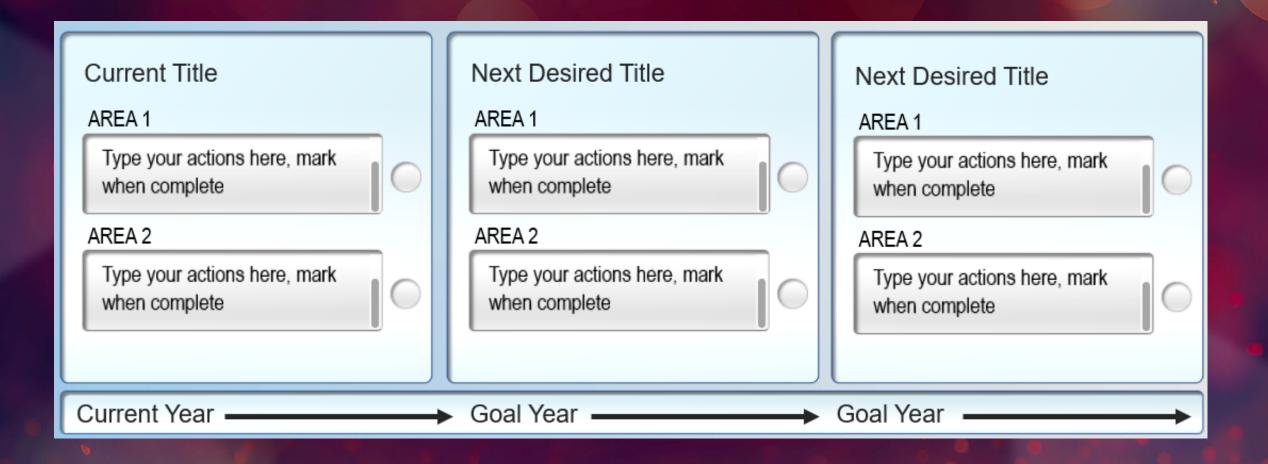
4. Execute

- Where do I want to go?
- What do I need to do to get there?
- How will I get there?
- Are there obstacles in the way I should prepare for?





Another Approach – Career Pathing







Career Pathing – what are some paths?

Proposal Professional

> Proposal Manager

Proposal Coordinator

Production

Non-Profit Management	Marketing	Project Management	Executive
	Publications	Membership	

Proposal [—] Operations	Proposal Manager	Senior Proposal Manager	Proposal Operations Manager
	Proposal Coordinator /Prompt Engineer	Senior Proposal Coordinator	Proposal Coordination Manager
	Graphic Artist/ Editor/DTP	Senior Level	Production Operations Manager

Consultant All of the Above

- Achieving career objectives
- Achieving career satisfaction
- Achieving opportunity
- Achieving new challenges
- Achieving financial objectives
- Positioning for 2nd, 3rd, 4th career





Remember to take the #TeamSizzle path you need....



- Purpose
- Understand that careers can take different paths
- Focus on YOU
- Build the plan, then execute









We're Here to Help!

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