



# Purposeful Leadership & ESG

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# Agenda



- 1. Mindful Leadership what have we done?
- 2. Purposeful Leadership
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- 3. ESG
  - Definition
  - What type of leader are you? What type of leader to you want to be?
  - Set your Intentions!
- 4. How do we start?



# Mindful Leadership Summary

- Know yourself to understand other and better lead.
- We have different realities.
- Be aware of your thoughts, and regulate your emotions.
- Walk together through change.
- Be aware of your values, they may evolve as you grow.
- Don't force it, if you are not a people-person, acknowledge it and hire someone who is.





# Mindful Leadership: What type of leader are you now and then?

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What are your 3 to 5 personal values as a leader?

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**Reflexion:** 

Think about one of your last actions, projects or big decisions you made as a leader OR your general behaviour as a leader. What are / were your main points of reflection, analysis, concerns, pet peeves?

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**Set Intentions!** 

New Value(s)
New Behavior(s)

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**Reflexion Part 2:** 

Did those actions / thoughts match the values you mentioned in the first quadrant? What has changed? What would you like to keep / change / remove?



"If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more, and become more, you are a leader."

— John Quincy Adams.

# Purposeful (or transformational) Leadership

- Centered around a clear and inspiring sense of purpose
- Driven by a deep commitment to creating value for stakeholders and society at large.
- Purposeful leaders align their personal values with their organization's mission.
- Purposeful leaders go beyond profit-making and prioritize positive impact on people and the planet.

# **Key Elements of Purposeful Leadership**

#### **Clarity of Purpose**

Having a clear vision and understanding of the organization's purpose

#### Values-Driven

Aligning personal values with the organization's values

#### **Authenticity**

Leading with genuine passion and commitment.



#### **Empowering Others**

Fostering an inclusive and collaborative environment.

#### **Long-Term Orientation:**

Balancing short-term goals with long-term sustainable outcomes.

#### Freedom

Grasping your sense of freedom and the one of your team.

# **Your Company Values**



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# **Benefits of Purposeful Leadership**

#### **POSITIVE WORKPLACE CULTURE**

#### **Enhanced Employee Engagement**

Purpose-driven leaders inspire and motivate employees, leading to higher productivity and satisfaction.

#### **Attraction and Retention of Talent**

Organizations with purposeful leaders are more attractive to top talent who seek meaningful work.

#### **Innovation and Creativity**

Purposeful leaders encourage a culture of innovation, enabling organizations to adapt and thrive in changing times.

#### **Stakeholder Trust and Loyalty**

Purposeful leadership builds trust and loyalty among stakeholders, including customers, investors, and communities.

# Organizational Resilience & Sustainable Business Performance

Purposeful leaders helps organizations navigate uncertainties and build resilience > sustainable business practices, resulting in long-term success.

# Some data

Demand for organisations to provide more meaningful work is rapidly increasing and this is backed up by *Ernst & Young's* data which showed that :

84%

of employees feel it's 'very important' or 'important' for them to work for an organisation that positively impacts society.

**74%** of Gen Z (aged nine to 24),

**72%** of Millennials (aged 25 to 40)

**62%** of Gen X (aged 40 to 54)

are 'very likely' or 'likely' to leave their current employer for an organisation whose reason to exist has more meaning to them

# Tell us about you and your company?

Purposeful Leadership in Action



# **How to Start?**

**STRATEGIES FOR DEVELOPING PURPOSEFUL** 3 **LEADERSHIP IN YOUR ORGANIZATION** 

#### **Reflect on Personal Values**

Encourage individuals to explore their values and align them with their professional roles.

#### **Craft a Compelling Purpose**

Guide leaders in defining and communicating a compelling organizational purpose.

#### **Lead with Authenticity**

Encourage leaders to be genuine, transparent, and true to themselves. Closing the gap between what you say and what you do.

#### **Empower Others**

Foster a culture of empowerment and collaboration within the organization

#### **Continual Learning and Growth**

Encourage leaders to continuously learn, adapt, and improve their purposeful leadership skills.



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A JAPANESE CONCEPT MEANING "A REASON FOR BEING"





# Workforce of the future The competing forces shaping 2030

Step 1



Step 2



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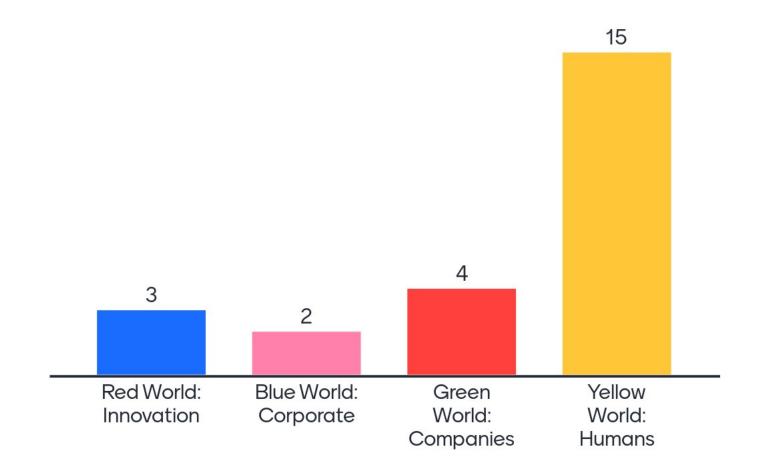
Innovation Rules

Corporate is king



Humans come First

# In which world would you belong?



# Transitioning to ESG



create positive impact and drive long-term success

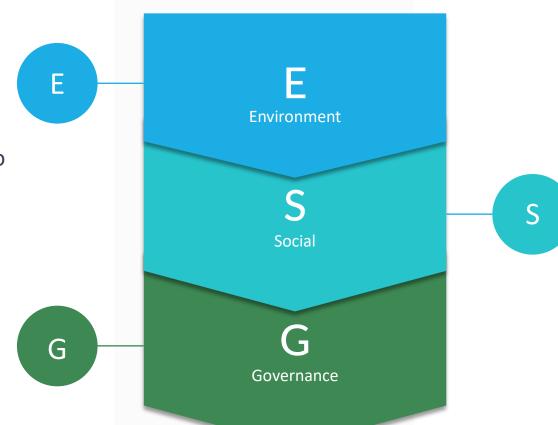
# The Three Pillars of ESG

# Organization's impact on the environment

- climate change, resource consumption, pollution, and waste management.
- → adopting sustainable practices to minimize their environmental footprint.

# Structure and effectiveness of an organization's governance systems

- Strong corporate governance, ethics, transparency, and accountability (reporting)
- → effective leadership, risk management, and board diversity in ensuring sound governance practices



# Organization's impact on society and stakeholders

- Employee well-being, diversity and inclusion, human rights, community engagement, and product safety.
- → Fostering positive workplace culture & social outcomes and addressing societal challenges.

### And More...

#### Organization's impact on the environment

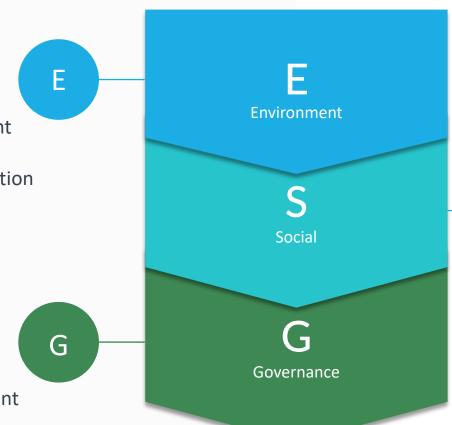
- Carbon foot print
- Energy efficiency
- Waste management & Water usage
- Pollution & Resource conservation

#### Organizations are evaluated based on:

- Minimizing their environmental footprint
- Adopting sustainable practice
- Contributing to environmental preservation and conservation

#### **Organization's systems & Structure**

- Board composition and effectiveness
- Executive compensation
- Shareholder rights
- Transparency & Accountability & Risk management
- Adherence to legal and regulatory requirements
   Organizations are evaluated based on:
- Corporate governance practices & Integrity
- Alignment of their decision-making processes with the best interests of stakeholders.



# Organization's Interaction and impact with society and stakeholders

- Employee well-being and labor practices
- Diversity and inclusion
- Human rights
- Community engagement
- Product safety
- customer satisfaction

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## Organizations are evaluated based on:

- Social Responsibility
- Ethical practices
- Contributions to societal well-being.

# The Significance of ESG



- ESG is crucial driving sustainable business practices, stakeholder value, and long-term success.
- Discuss the benefits that organizations can derive from focusing on ESG, such as:
  - Enhanced reputation and brand value.
  - Improved risk management and resilience.
  - Increased access to capital and investment opportunities.
  - Attraction and retention of talent.
  - Strengthened relationships with customers, investors, and communities.

#### Natural alignment between purposeful leadership and ESG

#### **Purposeful leaders:**

- are well-positioned to drive ESG initiatives within their organizations.
- can embed ESG considerations into their decision-making processes
- champion sustainability



## How to start

- Why would you want to use ESG?
- Creation of a committee within the company and / or Hire an ESG specialist
- Lead with purpose and Integrate ESG as part of your culture
  - What are you already doing?
  - Pick your reporting style: StartMeasuring and Reporting
  - Start with small initiatives and then go big
  - Include ESG as an item on board agenda



Conduct a materiality assessment



Develop an ESG policy



Identify ESG risks and opportu-nities



Engage with stakeholders



Set Targets and measure progress



Integrate ESG into decision-making





QUESTIONS? I HOPE NOT, BECAUSE TIME IS PROBABLY UP.



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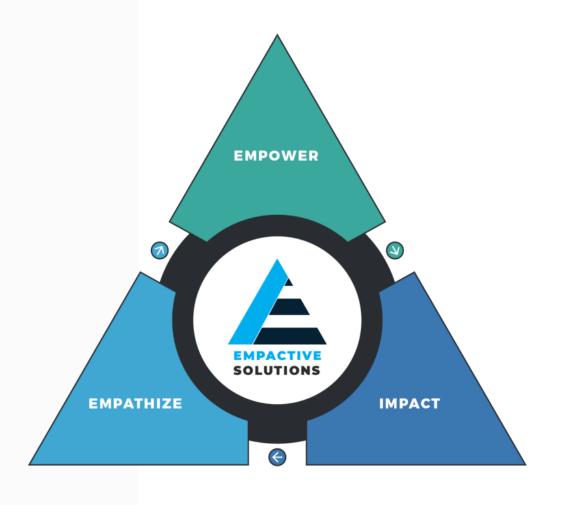
# Inspire your people, Drive your business!

NOT YOUR USUAL CONSULTING FIRM!
OUR FOCUS IS ON PEOPLE, CHANGE
& BUSINESS TRANSFORMATION



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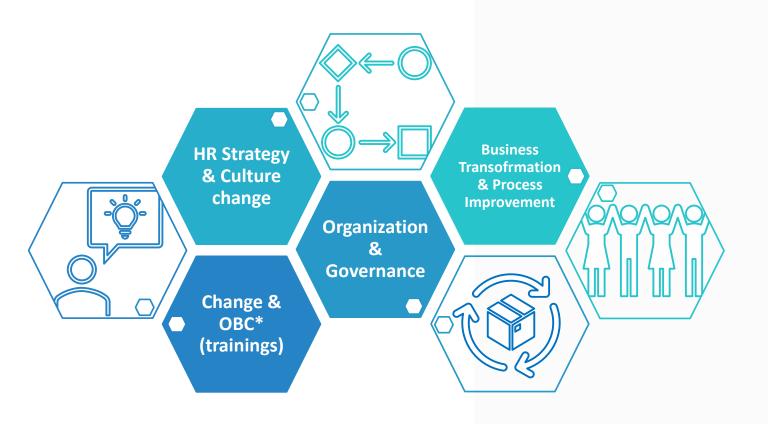
We guide businesses to implement sustainable practices by creating a people-centric environment. Alongside this, we transform their operating systems and processes, fostering and shaping this new environment.



Why? To ensure growth and financial prosperity but also to make our life a little more fun!



# How can we help?



- 1. **Need Assessment:** Understand together what are your company's and employees' needs.
- 2. Initiatives Design & Implementation:
  Solution dedicated to you and your employees which are based on strategic consulting, coaching, workshops and trainings.
- 3. Ad hoc workshops, coaching and training sessions implemented upon clients' needs.

#### Let's talk!

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<sup>\*</sup>OBC = Organizational Behaviour Change



# **Our Services**

- What's the change you want to see?
- What's the change your people want to see?
- What type of organizational models and behaviors need to change?
- What type of operational models & processes need to improve?
- Are you values and culture aligned?

#### **CHANGE**



- Leadership Change Transition
- M&A Transition
- Growth and Business development initiatives
- Management of technology implementation
- Tailored needed Change

#### **PEOPLE**



- Corporate culture assessment & Change
- Governance
- Organizational Behavioral Change
- Organizational design (strategies, goals and action plan)
- Trainings & Workshops

**Business Transformation** 

#### **PROCESSES**



- Operational processes alignment with strategic objectives & shared vision, mission and values.
- Business process reengineering (transformed and simplified)
- Trainings & Workshops



# Our Most Popular Workshops & Trainings



#### **Change & Processes**

- Change: Understanding & Succeeding
- North Star: Vision, Mission and Company's Values
- Managing People Performance
- Getting the grip of a new process
- A Task / Project? Deadlines& Ownership



#### **People Behaviors**

- Emotional Intelligence
- Transformational Leadership
- Team Cohesion & Building Teamwork
- Effective Communication,
   Feedback & Accountability
- Building a growth mindset
- Navigating change

# They trust us



















**AND MANY MORE!** 



# Why us?

Our Methodology has been proven successful. From the United States to Kenya, through Switzerland. From International Company to SMEs.

We understand the crucial need for **skills retention** and **long-lasting change**. So most of our programs are paired with a change strategy.

As long as you are committed to the change, we are confident to be able to guarantee change throughout your organization.

We put an extra focus on data and on the **measures for success** will be monitor throughout and we will adapt the strategy when deemed necessary.

Get in touch with us to learn more!

## Let's Start the Conversation

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