

# **Building a Learning Strategy**

# A step by step guide to creating a learning strategy to create energy and impact

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## Do you ask yourself these questions?

- How widely are people using what they learned in a training programme or other intervention?
- How well aligned and integrated are our learning & development people, strategies, activity, content and processes with those of the organisation?
- To what extent is the purpose of training achieving an appropriate balance of output to meet the intent of the organisation?
- Is learning & development, training, talent development and other development initiatives working to the organisation agenda?
- Is learning opportunity provision cost-effective? Is it wasting money?
- To what extent is training effective?
- How sustained are improvements in performance?

*This Master Class will provide you with the answers to these questions in a timely and cost effective manner.* 

"Neville has supported us through a significant change in shaping our learning strategy with first class coaching and strategic thinking." Head of L&D – Financial Services Organisation

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- Ensure a well considered and pragmatic approach to determining the right learning & development strategy for your organisation.
- Utilise a framework of consideration that explores alignment, integration, governance, efficiency, effectiveness and sustainability.
- Reflect on the balance of the PERC of learning & development for your organisation.
- Build on your strengths.
- Complete a relevant the thorough strategy template to take back to your organisation.
- Use the outputs to enhance credibility and perception of the contribution of learning & development to your organisation's success.
- Relate strategy to operational excellence and impact.



#### How can I apply this to my organisation?

- We offer a one-day workshop with no minimum number of participants.
- The workshop is practical and hands-on, built around current best practice thinking.
- Participants receive exercises, templates, practice, and input focused on building a Learning Strategy for their own organisation.
- Topics covered include:
  - AIGEES framework
  - PERC (I) focus and balance
  - $\circ$  Method and media review
  - Organisation needs
  - Dealing with agendas
  - Implementation planning
  - Working with focus groups
  - o Involvement, ownership, responsibility and accountability
  - o Organisation design
  - Operational support
  - o Impact analysis and perception management
- By the end of the day, participants will be able to apply the tools and techniques to the review and/or building of their own learning strategy.

#### What difference will this make?

Individuals will be...

- Clearer on the potential of learning
- Better motivated
- Understand the context of learning in their daily challenges
- Committed to learning & development to improve performance
- Recognising the positive intent the organisation has to help and develop them
- Taking ownership for managing their own issues, performance and development

#### Teams will...

- Be more aware of support
- Have improve access to learning
- Have a stronger sense of identity with the organisation
- Take ownership for their own issues, performance and development



The organisation can expect...

- Improved organisation alignment and integration in the way in which learning is used and involved in creating value for the organisation
- Improved governance and reduced people risk
- Greater efficiency and reduced costs with better returns on their investment in learning & development
- Improved focus
- Reduced staff turnover
- Improved performance
- An improved bottom line

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#### Who Do I Contact?

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