## Personal Kanban & Covey Quadrants

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|            |                   |           |         |                            |  |  | Personal Kanban  |  | Covey Quadran                                    | is   |
| Hot lesues | Internal Projects | Recurring |         |                            |  |  | "Productivity system that's easy to get started with, only has two real "rudesigned to give you a simple, visual look at what's on your plate, what priorities are, and what you've accomplished."   | your                                       |  | Many people find that most of their activities fall into quadrant I and III.  Quadrant II is often under used. Yet, Quadrant II is exceptionally important because one must work both tactically and strategically at the same time. |

because one must work both tactically and strategically at the same time. Finding ways to expand Quadrant II activities is a common outcome from using this grid. Quadrant II is for long-term strategizing and development. Quadrant III is for time pressured distractions. They are not really important, but someone wants it now.

Quadrant IV is for those activities that yield little is any value. These are activities that are often used for taking a break from time pressured and

important activities.