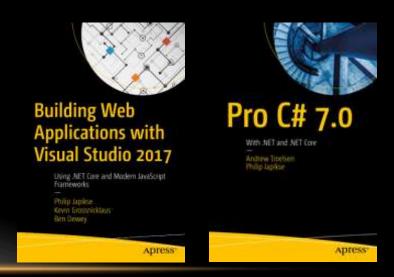
# LEADERS ARE MADE, NOT BORN

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# WHAT MAKES A LEADER

# LEADERS AREN'T BORN



# LEADERSHIP ISN'T MAGICAL



#### AND IT ISN'T EASY



# AND ITS NOT ALWAYS OBVIOUS



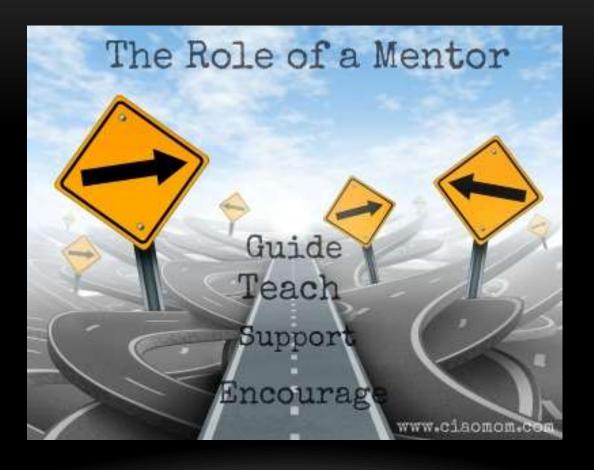
# THE ESSENTIALS

WHERE TO BEGIN?

# Respect



#### BE A MENTOR



#### HAVE A MENTOR



## CROSS TRAINING IS KEY



#### DON'T REACT - ACT



#### TIME BOX EVERYTHING



# BEWARE OF HIPPOS



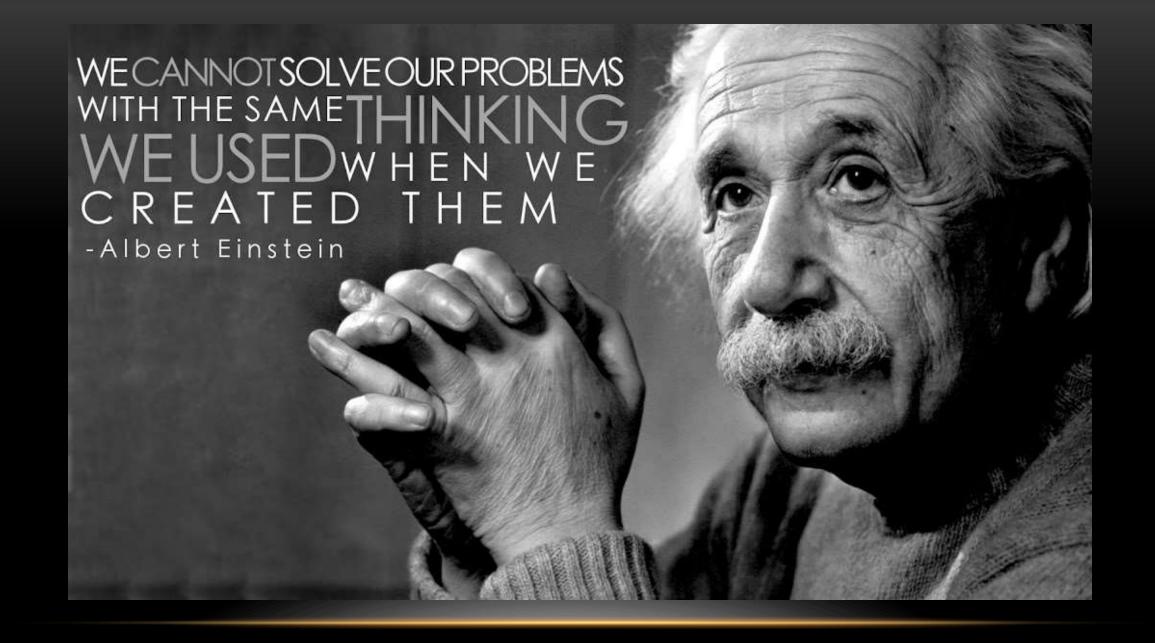
# CHANGE

#### ANTICIPATE CHANGE

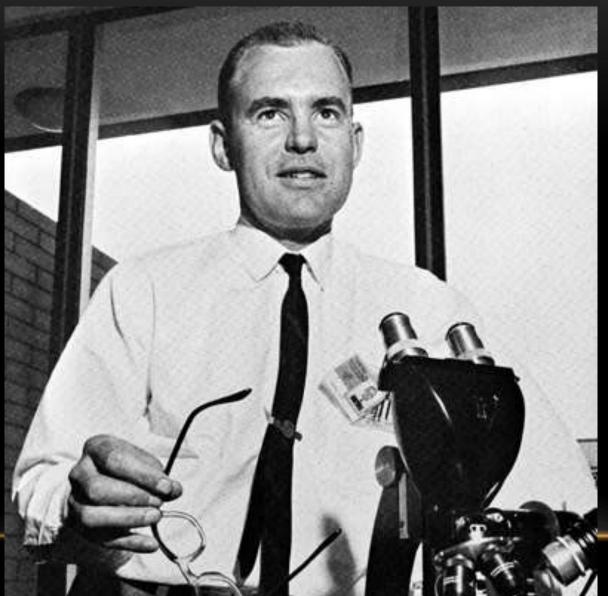


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# DON'T UNDERESTIMATE THE RATE OF CHANGE



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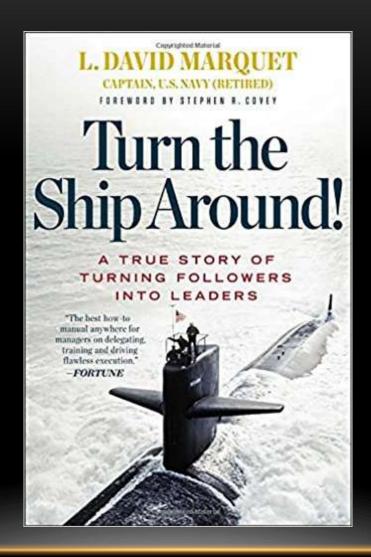
#### EMBRACE CHANGE



## FACILITATE CHANGE



#### FACILITATE CHANGE



# MANAGE CHANGE



# CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT

FAIL FAST



# PRACTICE, PRACTICE



# EXPAND YOUR BOUNDARIES



# PERSONAL TRAITS

#### LISTEN



#### **BE HONEST**

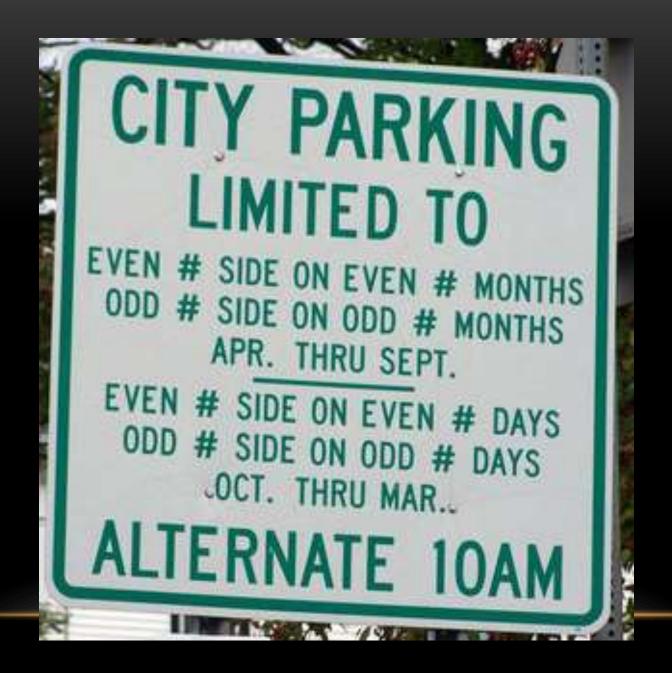


# FULLY DISCLOSE EVERYTHING (THAT YOU CAN)

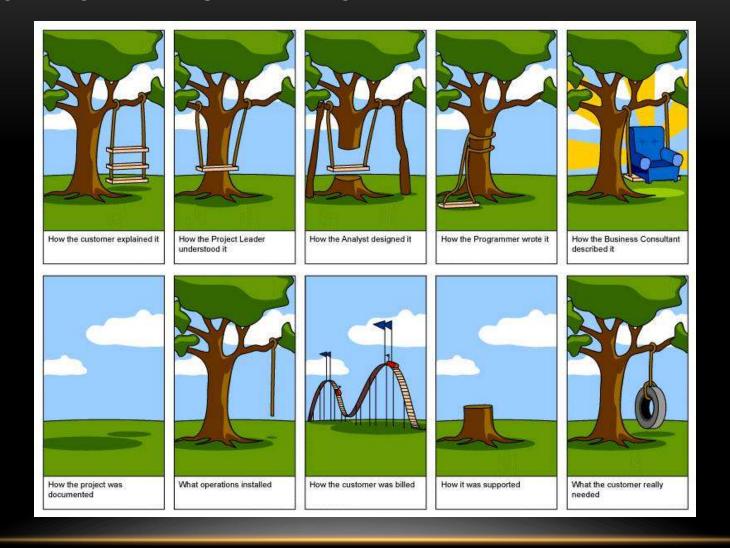




#### BE CLEAR



#### GET EVERYONE ON THE SAME PAGE



## BE AGILE IN YOUR COMMUNICATIONS



# **ENGAGE**



# LEADING TEAMS

## UNDERSTAND YOUR TEAM



#### MANAGE DOWN



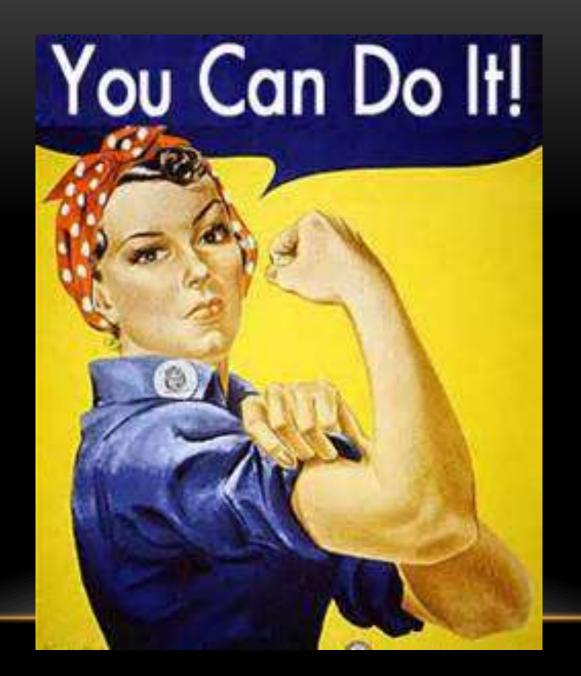
#### REMOVE ROADBLOCKS



# COACH



#### **ENCOURAGE**



# ENABLE



## **USE POWER WISELY**



#### LEAD FROM THE FRONT – DON'T ABANDON YOUR TROOPS



"Let us understand the situation we're goin' into battle against a tough and determined enemy...

This I swear: When we go into battle, I will be the first one to set foot on the field, and I will be the last to step off." – Lt. Colonel Hal Moore

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