Becoming the Employee of Choice: Finding Your Best Fit

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The Employment Landscape

Between 13,000 & 14,000 licensed audiologist

 BLS estimates that by the end of this decade there will be over 20,000 audiologist job openings

How many Au.D. programs?

Average class size?







BRAND – TRAITS, ATTITUDE & ATTRIBUTES – CULTURE – EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT

- Your Brand
- The Best
 Organizations Hire for
 Attitude
- Collective Attitude Defines Culture
- Great Culture Drives Employee Engagement









Creating YOUR Brand

Starts with the resume

Be more prepared than the next candidate

Project the Attributes & Traits that all employers look for







Skills & Traits

 Skills are reflected in your experience, training & education and they can be acquired or developed

 Traits are reflected in your attitude & behavior and are much more difficult than skills to acquire or develop

The Importance of Traits ("Hiring for Attitude")







Hiring for Attitude



Mark Murphy's recent 3-year study with 5,247 hiring managers from 312 organizations that included public and private companies – there were a total of 20,000 employees hired and they were tracked for unequivocal success, "jury's still out," and failure after 18 months







Results:

 46% of these hires FAILED in the first 18 months (9,200)

 19% were deemed to have achieved UNEQUIVICOL SUCCESS (3,800)

• 35% were pending- "jury's still out" - after 18 months (7,000)







19% of the Failures:

1,748 of 9,200

• Split pretty evenly between TECHNICAL COMPETENCE (1,012) & a catchall category-OTHER (736)

Is this surprising?







The Remaining 81% FAILURES:

- 7,452 FAILED New Hires
- 26% NOT COACHABLE
- 23%- LOW EQ
- 17%- NOT SELF MOTIVATED
- 15%- WRONG TEMPERAMENT







Traits that Matter when Hiring:

WORK ETHIC
COACHABILITY
EMPATHY (EQ)
SELF-AWARENESS (EQ)
PASSION
ENERGY
POSITIVITY
RESPECT









Where's your Passion?

- DHHS (Indian Health Services)
- VA
- Tele-health
- Traveling (Nursing Homes, Prisons)
- Developmental Learning/Treatment Centers
- Military
- Educational/Teaching/Research
- Hospital
- Private Practice
- ENT







Why should I come to work for you?

(Does he really expect me to ask that question?)







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