Strengths and High-Performing Teams





3:00 p.m. EST

Website Tech Tips and Reminders



Please mute your microphone unless presenting.



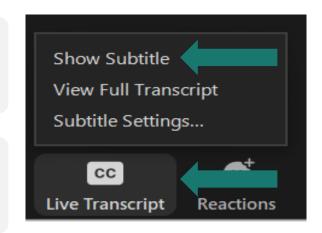
Chat function on bottom of screen is available – and presenters will see questions posted.



This event is being recorded. Recordings are posted on CLARB's "In the Know" page for members.



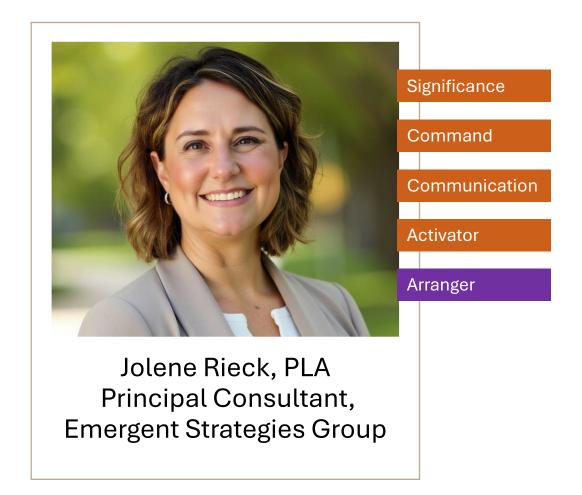
Closed captioning is available. To enable this feature on a computer, click "Live Transcript" and "Show Subtitle." For users on a phone or tablet, captioning will be enabled automatically.



Presenters



Veronica Meadows, CAE Chief Strategy Officer, CLARB



Agenda

01

Benefits of focusing on strengths

02

Strengths at CLARB

03

Small Group Activity

Introductions

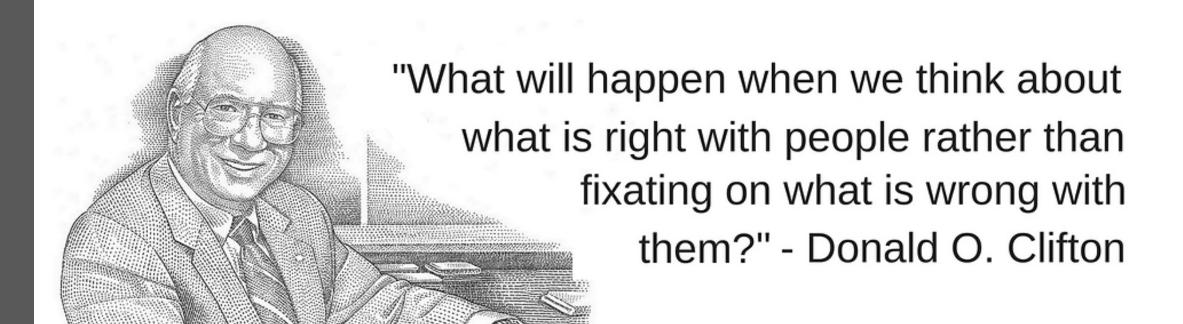
- Name, company, role, jurisdiction
- Share an instance where you have applied a strength to overcome a challenge or reach a goal





Benefits of Focusing on Strengths

Jolene Rieck, PLA
Principal Consultant, Emergent Strategies Group



Talent x Investment

= Strength

Talent is a natural way of thinking, feeling or behaving

Investment is time spent practicing, developing skills and building a knowledge base

Strength is the ability to deliver consistent, near-perfect performance in a specific task



Why Use Strengths?





Individual Benefits

We know from research that people who use their strengths:

- Are happier
- Are more confident
- Have higher levels of self-esteem
- Have higher levels of energy and vitality
- Experience less stress
- Are more resilient
- Are more effective at developing themselves and growing as individuals

Individual Benefits of Applying Strengths at Work



HIGHER ENGAGEMENT LEVELS



INCREASED JOB SATISFACTION



BOOSTED WELLBEING



ENHANCED PRODUCTIVITY



EFFECTIVE GOAL ACHIEVEMENT

Employer Benefits

- Higher employee engagement
- Positive workplace relationships
- Improved customer service
- Stronger employer reputation
- Increased innovation and creativity
- Boosted productivity
- Reduced turnover





How Can You Help Your Teams?

- Don't assume that employees know their strengths.
- Find ways to apply strengths in a team setting to achieve common goals.
- Use team meetings to help team members deepen their understanding of the strengths.
- Help employees align their greatest talents to the expectations and responsibilities of their roles.
- Incorporate strengths into performance and professional development conversations.
- Create a community of strengths advocates and champions to act as internal experts who help everyone in the company use his or her strengths.





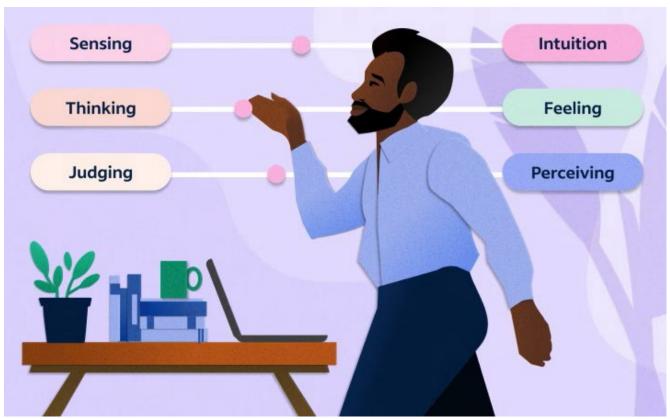


CLARB Use of Strengths

Veronica Meadows, CLARB Chief Strategy Officer



Different Types of Assessments



- Myers-Briggs
- DISC
- 16 Personality Factors Questionnaire
- Gallup StrengthsFinder

What is the StrengthsFinder Assessment?

A personal development tool developed by Gallup which provides an individual with their "Top 5" strengths. There are 34 different strength themes that are divided into four leadership domains - Strategic Thinking, Relationship Building, Influencing, and Executing.

A strengths-based team is a group of imperfect but talented contributors who are <u>valued for their</u> <u>strengths</u> and who <u>need one another to realize</u> individual and team excellence.



Understanding the Leadership Domains

Executing

 Knows how to make things happen

Influencing

 Knows how to take charge, speak up, and make sure the team is heard

Relationship Building

 Can build strong relationships that can hold a team together and make the team greater than the sum of its parts

Strategic Thinking

Helps teams
 consider what
 could be. Has
 the ability to
 absorb and
 analyze
 information that
 can inform
 better decision making

Strengths Within the Leadership Domains

Executing

- Achiever
- Arranger
- Belief
- Consistency
- Deliberative
- Discipline
- Focus
- Responsibility
- Restorative

Influencing

- Activator
- Command
- Communication
- Competition
- Maximizer
- Self-assurance
- Significance
- WOO

Relationship Building

- Adaptability
- Connectedness
- Developer
- Empathy
- Harmony
- Includer
- Individualization
- Positivity
- Relator

Strategic Thinking

- Analytical
- Context
- Futuristic
- Ideation
- Input
- Intellection
- Learner
- Strategic

How CLARB Uses Strengths







Team Building

Collaboration

Interviewing

CLARB Team Strengths-Board of Directors

			E	cecuti	ing							Influe	ncing	l			Relationship Building										Strategic Thinking							
Achiever	Arranger	Belief	Consistency	Deliberative	Discipline	Focus	Responsibility	Restorative	Activator	Command	Communication	Competition	Maximizer	Self-Assurance	Significance	λίνοο	Adaptability	Connectedness	Developer	Empathy	Harmony	Includer	Individualization	Positivity	Relator	Analytical	Context	Futuristic	Ideation	Input	Intellection	Learner	Strategic	
3	4						1																		5								2	
3	4						2										5								1									
	5							4															2							3			1	
																3		4	5				2	1										
1	5					3	2																									4		
	4										5					2												3	1					
							4											3		5					1				2					
					3														1		4			5	2									
	3										5							2														4	1	
	2												1				5								4								3	
5							4											1												2			3	
3																							5						4			2	1	
2							3																			1						-5	4	

CLARB Team Strengths-Staff

Exe	ecu	ting							Inf	luer	ncir	ıg					Relationship Building									Strategic Thinking							
3							2	4															5		1								
Achiever	Arranger	Belief	Consistency	Deliberative	Discipline	Focus	Responsibility	Restorative	Activator	Command	Communication	Competition	Maximizer	Self-Assurance	Significance	Woo	Adaptability	Connectedness	Developer	Empathy	Harmony	Includer	Individualization	Positivity	Relator	Analytical	Context	Futuristic	Ideation	Input	Intellection	Learner	Strategic
			3		2		4											5												1			
								2	4														3		1	5							
4	7						3					5	2																				
3							2											4	5						1								
							5				2								1				4		3								
5			3	1				2													4												
							2	Г															3			5				1		4	
3											4		1									5							2				
								2		4															1			3					5
											3					1	5			4				2									
1									4				5		2																	3	П
				3				1		2				4							5												П
					3		4		5																			1				2	П
								1										2				5			4		3						П

CLARB Results





Small Group Activity

Breakout Discussions



Reflect

- What achievements are you most proud of and why?
- How do you handle conflict?
- How do you motivate a team? How do you like to be motivated?
- What tasks come most easily to you?

Please share your thoughts!

Responses are requested by 12/1





Thinking and Acting Beyond Orthodoxy





December 4, 2024

3:00 p.m.

Learn more at www.clarb.org/leadershipdevelopment