Intercultural Awareness Profiler IAP

The IAP is the leading international cross-cultural assessment tool.

Designed by Fons Trompenaars, the IAP is unique as it measures both an individual's cultural values on 7 key cultural dimensions, and also the organization's corporate culture.

The 7 cultural dimensions

- 1. Universalism & particularism.
- 2. Individualism & communitarianism.
- 3. Specific & diffuse.
- 4. Neutral & affective.
- 5. Achievement & ascription.
- 6. Sequential time & synchronous time.
- 7. Internal direction & outer direction.

The IAP can be used

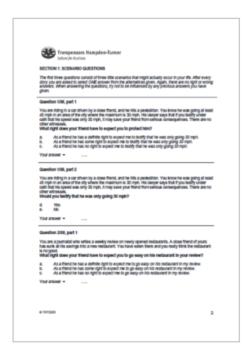
- as a means of identifying the similarities and differences between the candidate's values and the receiving hosts' values.
- · as a means of gaining a deep and nuanced understanding of the critical, cultural value dimensions most relevant to the successful implementation of the participant's mission in their new culture
- a means of determining assignee training and development needs, and identifying strategies/recommendations in order to bridge cultural differences.
- · as an input into the overseas candidate selection process

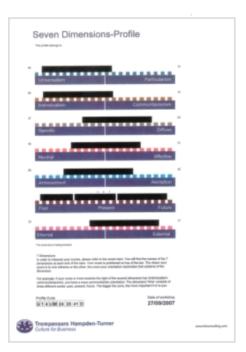


Intercultural Awareness Profiler [IAP]

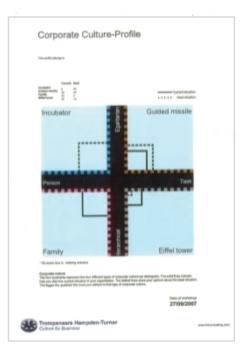
Intercultural Adaptability Profile [IAP - IGB/THT]

Questionnaires & Sample Report Form











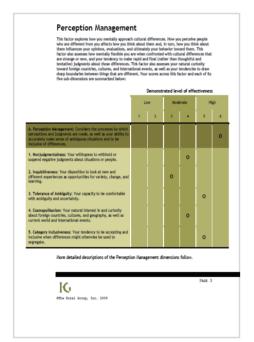
Global Competency Inventory [GCI]

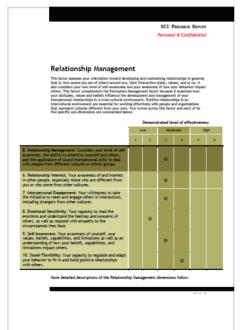
Operating globally requires that managers and leaders have the necessary competencies to achieve organization goals and maintain global competitiveness. Through their cutting-edge research into global competencies, our partners, the Kozai Group, have developed a comprehensive battery of tools for measuring global competencies, the GCI. The GCI is a set of self-scoring and 360-degree questionnaires aimed at determining the current competency levels among current and future employees involved in global work. The tool assesses 17 global competencies in three clusters: Cognitive-Perceptual Management; Relational Management; and Self Management. The GCI can be used:

- · as a means of assessing and comparing global competencies across industries, organization, cultures, and levels within the organization
- · as a means of selecting managerial level employees
- · as a means of determining current global competency levels
- · as a means of determining competency development needs
- · as an input into the overseas candidate selection process
- · as a means of assessing candidate-job fit
- · as a means of measuring GCs gained during an overseas assignment.

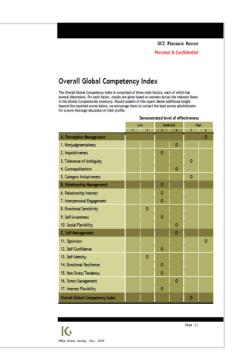


2 Global Competency Inventory [GCI]











Intercultural Effectiveness Scale [IES]

The IES is a Cross-cultural assessment tool aimed at junior staff. It measures the participants' ability to successfully work with culturally diversified groups in the global work environment.

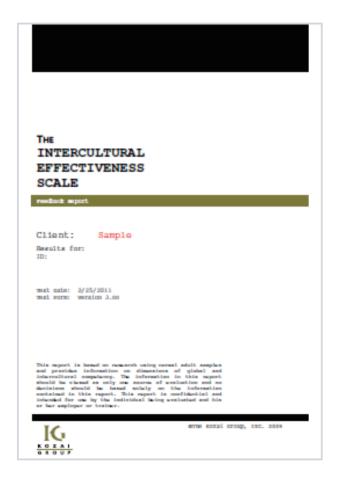
The Intercultural Effectiveness Scale (IES) was developed specifically to evaluate the competencies critical to interacting effectively with people who are from cultures other than our own. The IES focuses on three dimensions of intercultural effectiveness. The first dimension is Continuous Learning. This dimension assesses our interest in learning and general curiosity as well as our interest in better understanding ourselves. To appreciate and understand those who are different from us, we need to be willing and motivated to learn about them and their culture. In addition, to set a good foundation for interacting effectively with them, we also need to understand ourselves well, including our values, beliefs and behavioral tendencies.

The second dimension is **Interpersonal Engagement.** It evaluates our interest in understanding various peoples and places in the world and developing actual relationships with people who are different from us. Developing positive relationships with people who are not like us depends in large part on our interest in learning about and from them. The more we learn about the world around us, the various peoples, their backgrounds, the issues they face, and so forth, the more we are able to interact with people who are different from us.

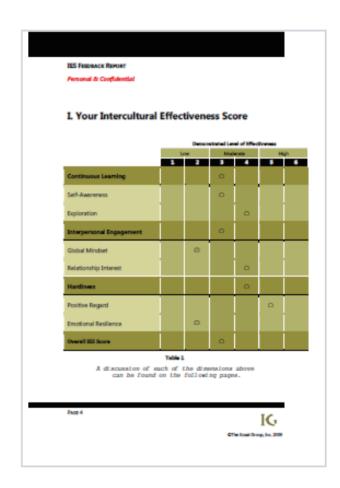
The final dimension is **Hardiness**. Interacting with people who differ from us culturally entails psychological effort. This effort, in turn, always produces varying levels of stress, uncertainty, anxiety and sometimes fear. To interact effectively with those who are different from us requires an ability to cope with these psychological and emotional stresses. Coping can be accomplished by having a natural resilience to stress and also by better understanding the nature of the differences. Understanding differences increases our confidence, enables us to find more common ground, and decreases the psychological effort involved when interacting with people who differ from us.



3_2 Intercultural Effectiveness Scale [IES]









WorkPlace Big Five Profile 4.0™

The CentACS Workplace personality tool is a personality assessment tool based on the Big Five Model of personality. The Big Five Model is the dominant model for studying personality and consists of five critical dimensions which account for major individual differences in personality: Need for Stability, Extraversion, Originality, Accommodation, and Conscientiousness

The Big Five is one of the few personality models that is valid across cultures, and research has shown clear links between overseas assignment success and certain Big Five clusters of traits. The Workplace Big Five Profile enables executives to understand how ingrained behavior patterns affect his or her management style, and also builds an awareness of automatic behavioral tendencies.

It can also be used:

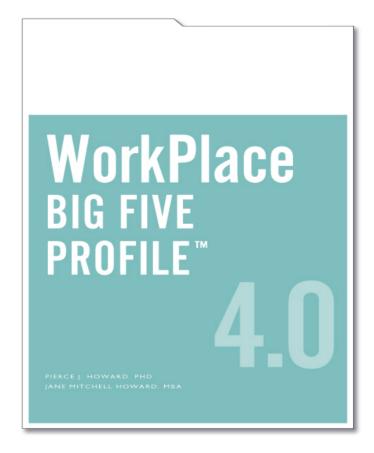
- · as a means of determining assignee training and development needs
- \cdot as an input into the overseas candidate selection process
- · as a means of assessing candidate-job fit
- · for self-analysis purposes



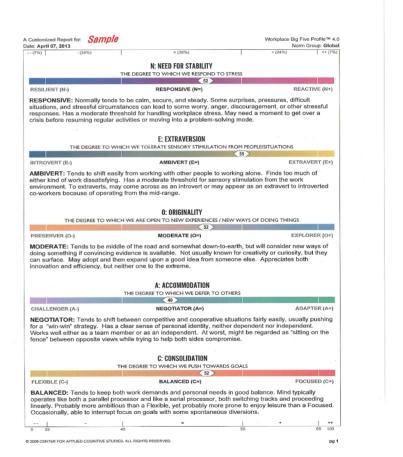
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WorkPlace Big Five Profile 4.0™

【Trait Report】



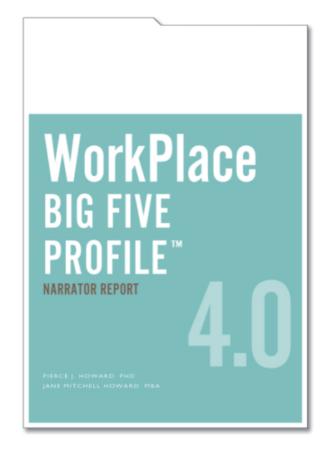
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WorkPlace Big Five Profile 4.0TM

[NARRATOR REPORT]







Leadership Practices Inventory LPI

The LPI is a 360 degree leadership tool which measures people on five key leadership practices.

In 1982, Professors Jim Kouzes and Barry Posner set out to discover how exactly ordinary people achieve great things. To do this, they focused on people at their "personal best" at leading others. They reviewed more than 12,000 "personal best" case studies, analyzed more than a million survey questionnaires, and interviewed more than five hundred individuals. From this research, Kouzes and Posner were able to identify certain practices common to extraordinary leadership achievements. At their best, leaders at all levels exhibit five distinct practices which vary very little from industry to industry, profession to profession, and culture to culture. The five practices are: Model the way, Inspire a shared vision, Challenge the process, Enable others to act and Encourage the Heart.

Model the way. Effective leaders are good role models. They are clear about what they believe in, their values, and about their guiding principles. However, eloquent speeches about values are not enough. Leaders need to stand up for what they believe in. They need to practice what they preach. They show others by setting an example. Leaders know that although their position that gives them authority, it is their behavior that earns them the respect of their people. It is the consistency of words and deed that gives a leader credibility and in many ways, credibility is the foundation of leadership. People will not believe the message unless they believe in the messenger. However, in order to stand up for your beliefs, you have to first know what you stand for. To model a way, you first need a clearly articulated set of beliefs & values to model.

Inspire a shared vision. While the future is uncertain, leaders look forward to the future. They are like explorers going into unchartered territory. Explorers depended on their compasses to set direction. Leaders depend on their dreams. Leaders passionately believe that they can make a difference. They envision the future by imagining exciting and ennobling possibilities. But visions seen only by the leader are insufficient to mobilize and energize. Leaders need to enlist others in their dreams. They need to gain commitment from others and forge a common sense of purpose. They breathe life into ideal and unique visions of the future through vivid language, metaphors, and images.



Leadership Practices Inventory LPI

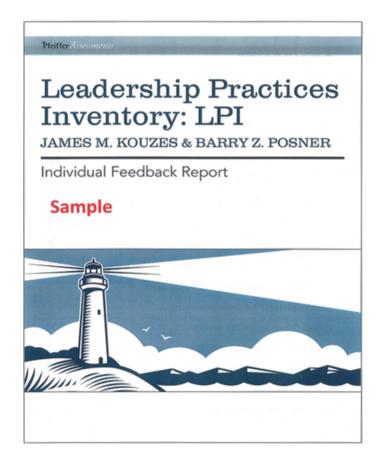
Challenge the Process. The work of leaders is change. The status quo is unacceptable to them. Leaders search for opportunities by seeking innovative ways to change, grow, innovate, and improve. Leaders venture out into the unknown. They are great learners. They know that change involves risk and risk has uncertain consequences, so they treat the inevitable mistakes and failures as learning opportunities. They are willing to take risks in order to find new and better ways of doing things. They constantly generate small wins and learning from mistakes. Extraordinary things don't get done in huge leaps forward. They get things done one step at a time.

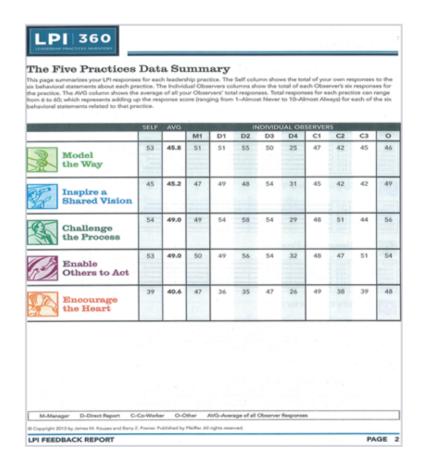
Enable others to act. Leaders know they can't do it alone. To make a dream a reality requires team effort and this requires trust and strong relationships. Leaders foster collaboration by promoting cooperative goals, involving others in plans, and building trust. Leaders promote a sense of team camaraderie and cohesion. They understand that mutual respect is what sustains extraordinary efforts. Leaders also strengthen others by sharing power and information, and by giving others credit. They assign challenging tasks to their staff but support them with the tools and help they need to be successful and help clear obstacles in their path.

Encourage the heart. Achieving excellent results in organizations is hard work. The climb to the top of the mountain can be arduous and steep. People may become exhausted, frustrated, and disenchanted. They may be tempted to give up. Leaders encourage the heart of their members to carry on. To enhance hope and determination, leaders recognize contributions by showing genuine appreciation for individual excellence. They express pride in the accomplishments of their team, celebrate victories, and make people feel like everyday heroes.

5_3 Leadership Practices Inventory LPI

Sample of LPI Report



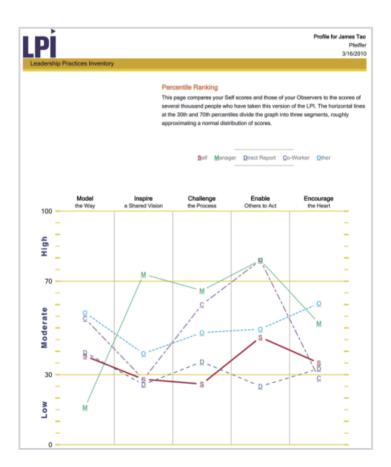




5_4 Leadership Practices Inventory LPI

Sample of LPI Report





Diversity Icebreaker

The Diversity Icebreaker measures participants on three key personality factors: Human relationship orientation, Task orientation and Creativity orientation.

As its name implies, this assessment tool is used at the beginning of training sessions to help break the ice. Based on their responses to the DI, participants are sorted into three groups and given different colors.

DIVERSITY ICEBREAKERS (HUMAN FACTORS)



