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This "landmark, must-read book" (Tom Peters) shows professionals--from lawyers and sales executives to management and financial consultants--how to create broad-based, profitable, and lasting relationships with their clients.

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Finally, the book that all professionals frustrated with fleeting client loyalty and relentless price pressure have waited for -- the first in-depth, client-tested guide to developing lasting business relationships. What separates extraordinary professionals from ordinary ones? Why are some professionals always drawn into their clients' inner circle of advisers, while others are employed on a one-shot basis and treated like vendors? Based on groundbreaking research, Clients for Life sets forth a comprehensive framework for how professionals in all fields can develop breakthrough relationships with their clients and enjoy enduring client loyalty. Drawing on insights from extensive interviews with both leading CEOs and today's most prominent client advisers, Jagdish Sheth and Andrew Sobel debunk the conventional wisdom about professional success -- "find a specialty, do good work" -- as hopelessly inadequate in a world where clients have unlimited access to information and expertise. The authors replace these tired conventions with an innovative blueprint, supported by over one hundred case studies and examples drawn from consulting, financial services, law,

technology, and other fields, for how you can evolve from an expert for hire -- a commodity -- to an extraordinary adviser. Riveting portraits of both exceptional contemporary professionals and legendary advisers such as Aristotle, Thomas More, Niccolò Machiavelli, and J. P. Morgan reveal how great client relationships are achieved in practice. Readers will learn, for example, to develop selfless independence, which tempers complete emotional, intellectual, and financial independence with a powerful commitment to client needs; to become deep generalists and overcome the narrow perspective caused by specialization; to systematically build lifelong trust; and to cultivate the power of synthesis -- big-picture thinking -- that is so highly valued by clients. Acclaimed by leading management thinkers, Clients for Life clearly illustrates the most important attributes and strategies of extraordinary client advisers and shows how you can use them to enrich your own relationships. It provides sophisticated professionals with the tools and insights they need to reap the rewards of lifetime client loyalty.

A Practical Guide to Providing Passionate Client Leadership Harvard Business Review Press

The Mom Test is a quick, practical guide that will save you time, money, and heartbreak. They say you shouldn't ask your mom whether your business is a good idea, because she loves you and will lie to you. This is technically true, but it misses the point. You shouldn't ask anyone if your business is a good idea. It's a bad question and everyone will lie to you at least a little . As a matter of fact, it's not their responsibility to tell you the truth. It's your responsibility to find it and it's worth doing right . Talking to customers is one of the foundational skills of both Customer Development and Lean Startup. We all know we're supposed to do it, but nobody seems willing to admit that it's easy to screw up and hard to do right. This book is going to show you how customer conversations go wrong and how you can do better.

Smart Calling McGraw Hill Professional

Name any industry and more likely than not you will find that the three strongest, most efficient companies control 70 to 90 percent of the market. Here are just a few examples: McDonald's, Burger King, and Wendy's General Mills, Kellogg, and Post Nike, Adidas, and Reebok Bank of America, Chase Manhattan, and Banc One American, United, and Delta Merck, Johnson & Johnson, and Bristol-Myers Squibb Based on extensive studies of market forces, the distinguished business school strategists and corporate advisers Jagdish Sheth and Rajendra Sisodia show that natural competitive forces shape the vast majority of companies under "the rule of three." This stunning new concept has powerful strategic implications for businesses large and small alike. Drawing on years of research covering hundreds of industries both local and global, The Rule of Three documents the evolution of markets into two complementary sectors -- generalists, which cater to a large, mainstream group of customers; and specialists, which satisfy the needs of customers at both the high and low ends of the market. Any company caught in the middle ("the ditch") is likely to be swallowed up or destroyed. Sheth and Sisodia show how most markets resemble a shopping mall with specialty shops anchored by large stores. Drawing wisdom from these markets, The Rule of Three offers counterintuitive insights, with suggested strategies for the "Big 3" players, as well as for mid-sized companies that may want to mount a challenge and for specialists striving to flourish in the shadow of industry giants. The book explains how to recognize signs of market disruptions that can result in serious reversals and upheavals for companies caught unprepared. Such disruptions include new technologies, regulatory shifts, innovations in distribution and packaging, demographic and cultural shifts, and venture capital as well as other forms of investor funding. Years in the making and sweeping in scope, The Rule of Three provides authoritative, research-based insights into market dynamics that no business manager should be without.

How You Do... What You Do: Create Service Excellence That Wins Clients For Life Harvard Business Press

TELL YOUR CLIENTS WHERE TO GO! is ideal for client-facing professionals who want to captivate their clients and catapult their careers. The perspective is relevant to any industry, but indispensable for people in marketing and communications agencies. This book also provides valuable perspective for clients. Not only will it help them interact with their agencies, but it will guide them to more passionately and proactively lead their own clients including their managers, trade customers and consumers. For agency people and clients alike, this book is a perfect training tool for new professionals and a great refresher course for experienced practitioners.

The Snowball System John Wiley & Sons

#1 NEW YORK TIMES AND WALL STREET JOURNAL BESTSELLER Pay brand-new employees \$2,000 to quit Make customer service the responsibility of the entire company-not just a department Focus on company culture as the #1 priority Apply research from the science of happiness to running a business Help employees grow-both personally and professionally Seek to change the world Oh, and make money too . . . Sound crazy? It's all standard operating procedure at Zappos, the online retailer that's doing over \$1 billion in gross merchandise sales annually. After debuting as the highest-ranking newcomer in Fortune magazine's annual "Best Companies to Work For" list in 2009, Zappos was acquired by Amazon in a deal valued at over \$1.2 billion on the day of closing. In DELIVERING HAPPINESS, Zappos CEO Tony Hsieh shares the different lessons he has learned in business and life, from starting a worm farm to running a pizza business, through LinkExchange, Zappos, and more. Fast-paced and down-to-earth, DELIVERING HAPPINESS shows how a very different kind of corporate culture is a powerful model for achieving success-and how by concentrating on the happiness of those around you, you can dramatically increase your own. To learn more about the book, go to www.deliveringhappinessbook.com.

It Starts With Clients Infinity Pub

What Clients Really Want (And The S**t That Drives Them Crazy) is the essential insider's guide for advertising agencies on how account management can create great client/agency relationships. The first book on client/agency relationships to be written an ex-client, this book gives a true insider's guide as to how account management can stop client/agency relationships from breaking down and take those relationships from good to great. In this step-by-step guide you will discover: What simple actions you can take today to generate great relationships with your clients. How to gain a deeper understanding of the pressures your clients face and why this is so important. Practical day-to-day advice on how to master positive relationship building behaviours. The strong re-occurring themes that cause client relationships to fall apart and how you can avoid them by applying; oThe 9 essential behaviours to prevent damage to the client/agency relationship. oThe 5 essential behaviours to take your client/agency relationships from good to great. "This will be gold dust for client-servicing professionals... it's a great reminder of what you need to do to build a brilliant relationship with your clients and how to be a true partner. It's so important that you get to know them and care for their business and this book shows you what you need to do." Rick Kumar, Owner & Director, Moda Consult (Specialist Recruitment for Creative Agencies)"

How Savvy Professionals Win All the Business They Want John Wiley & Sons

Keeping clients for a lifetime isn't just about the money. It's also about giving clients what they need and want, so they feel happy with the relationship and themselves. Likewise, it's about creating career satisfaction, stability and joy for you, which translates into success for a lifetime. This engaging and accessible book explores what it takes to win someone's business long-term and get you on your way to finding your own lifetime clients! Includes details on how the author made over \$100K by keeping one massage client as well as an exclusive interview from Sports Massage legend, Benny Vaughn. Includes free online resources and several special offers from the author and others.

The Two Word Miracle Dodd Mead

Filled with case studies and anecdotes, How to Talk to Customers demystifies the most critical aspect of customer service: conversations employees have every day with customers. In this must-have resource, Diane Berenbaum and Tom Larkin outline a proven system based on their MAGIC customer service training program. MAGIC, which stands for Make A Great Impression on the Customer, can help anyone become the type of communicator that makes their customers feel special. For more on this book, visit www.howtotalktocustomers.com

Your Clients for Life Lifestyles Press

Presents a marketing program that shows readers how to locate, land, and keep new clients

How Great Professionals Develop Breakthrough Relationships John Wiley & Sons

This Book Will Get You High Paying Clients for Life! If you've ever wanted to have clients who were totally awesome, who paid you a bunch of money

(and were grateful to do so) then you've come to the right place. This book will reveal, THE SINGLE MOST POWERFUL PROCESS I have ever used for myself, and my clients. It will help you sell your high-end premium products and services to people who want to buy them. Even better, it's delivered in a simple step-by-step format for you to use immediately. This is book one in the series > Selling Services: How to sell anything to anybody, How to Negotiate and How to Get Clients for Life You'll notice this first book is short and sweet. I could have made it 10,000 pages, and given you 8,000 strategies and techniques and selling skills for you to master. Blah, blah, blah. NOT HERE. Instead, we're going to get down and dirty. I've cut out all the fluff and hype and typical BS, so that you can get results - fast. For over a decade, I've been training and consulting entrepreneurs around the world to RE-STRUCTURE their businesses so they can have the time and money freedom they deserve. The secret: HIGH PAYING CLIENTS. In this book you'll learn: 1. Where to REALLY find high-paying clients (there's a surprise here that will transform your business) 2. How to design your OFFERS so that they are attractive to high-end clients 3. A proven STEP-BY-STEP process to CLOSE these premium clients 4. How to OBLITERATE any limiting beliefs you have that are currently holding you back -- and so much more! Here's my promise to you: The clients you wish you had are actually out there right now... just wishing and hoping and praying that someone JUST LIKE YOU would please - for the love of all that is holy - help them. So let's get started!

What Clients Really Want (and the St That Drives Them Crazy): The Essential Insider's Guide for Advertising Agencies on How Account Management Can C** Grand Central Publishing

How honesty, competency, and caring will make you rich Throw out the sales manual. Clients First is a two word miracle that can change your life. This book outlines a powerful path to riches that authors Joseph and JoAnn Callaway used to sell a billion dollars in real estate in just ten years—a feat never before achieved. Here, they explain the three keys to putting your clients first that helped them create one of the most successful realty firms in the U.S. Each of the three keys is important and can stand on its own. However, the success you can achieve when following the Clients First program can only be reached when all three keys are used in coordination. Explains how honesty ensures a strong client relationship Details the ways in which competency pervades all aspects of a client's perception of you Shows how being a caring individual can win over a client on a personal level Unlock your potential by putting these to use in your life and your business.

Do You Want to Keep Your Customers Forever? American Bar Association

Business is booming in Second Life, and many residents are earning big bucks in-world—and so can you. This unique guide walks you through what it takes to launch and run a successful Second Life business. Packed with insider tips from some of the metaverse's best-known entrepreneurs, it delivers the lowdown on SL business basics and shows you step by step how to succeed in popular business niches, from real estate and construction to fashion, gadgets, toys, entertainment, music, blogging and more.

Break Your Chains and Regain Your Sanity: How to Attract the Ideal Client, Create Mutual Respect and Feel Great Again About Your Business John Wiley & Sons

In three years Livingston helped the 17,000- employee strong Crossmark increase its sales revenues by 30 percent and add an additional 2,400 workers Livingston will promote the book on his busy speaking tour, which includes keynote addresses at several large consumer products information conferences Includes numerous on-the-street examples and case studies throughout the book

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Clients for Life John Wiley & Sons

Book Yourself Solid-now in paperback-is a complete instructional guide for startingn and growing a successful service business. It gives you simple, yet effective techniques for creating relentless demand and endless leads. It includes more than 200 proven marketing strategies for attracting new clients, earning more referrals, and building profitable, long-lasting professional relationships. If you want to take your service business to the next level, start here and Book Yourself Solid.

Power Relationships John Wiley & Sons

Beat the odds with a bold strategy from McKinsey & Company “Every once in a while, a genuinely fresh approach to business strategy appears” – legendary business professor Richard Rumelt, UCLA McKinsey & Company’s newest, most definitive, and most irreverent book on strategy—which thousands of executives are already using—is a must-read for all C-suite executives looking to create winning corporate strategies. Strategy Beyond the Hockey Stick is spearheading an empirical revolution in the field of strategy. Based on an extensive analysis of the key factors that drove the long-term performance of thousands of global companies, the book offers a ground-breaking formula that enables you to objectively assess your strategy’s real odds of future success. “This book is fundamental. The principles laid out here, with compelling data, are a great way around the social pitfalls in strategy development.” — Frans Van Houten, CEO, Royal Philips N.V. The authors have discovered that over a 10-year period, just 1 in 12 companies manage to jump from the middle tier of corporate performance—where 60% of companies reside, making very little economic profit—to the top quintile where 90% of global economic profit is made. This movement does not happen by magic—it depends on your company’s current position, the trends it faces, and the big moves you make to give it the strongest chance of vaulting over the competition. This is not another strategy framework. Rather, Strategy Beyond the Hockey Stick shows, through empirical analysis and the experiences of dozens of companies that have successfully made multiple big moves, that to dramatically improve performance, you have to overcome incrementalism and corporate inertia. “A different kind of book—I couldn’t put it down. Inspiring new insights on the facts of what it takes to move a company’s performance, combined with practical advice on how to deal with real-life dynamics in management teams.” —Jane Fraser, CEO, Citigroup Latin America

Get Clients Now! Templeton Foundation Press

An arsenal of powerful questions that will transform every conversation Skillfully redefine problems. Make an immediate connection with anyone. Rapidly determine if a client is ready to buy. Access the deepest dreams of others. Power Questions sets out a series of strategic questions that will help you win new business and dramatically deepen your professional and personal relationships. The book showcases thirty-five riveting, real

conversations with CEOs, billionaires, clients, colleagues, and friends. Each story illustrates the extraordinary power and impact of a thought-provoking, incisive power question. To help readers navigate a variety of professional challenges, over 200 additional, thought-provoking questions are also summarized at the end of the book. In *Power Questions* you'll discover: The question that stopped an angry executive in his tracks The sales question CEOs expect you to ask versus the questions they want you to ask The question that will radically refocus any meeting The penetrating question that can transform a friend or colleague's life A simple question that helped restore a marriage When you use power questions, you magnify your professional and personal influence, create intimate connections with others, and drive to the true heart of the issue every time.

A 28-day Marketing Program for Professionals and Consultants John Wiley & Sons

The financial planning profession is undergoing a transformation from the historical approach of transactions and straight asset accumulation to an integrated financial and life planning strategy for customers. *Your Clients for Life: The Definitive Guide to Becoming a Successful Financial Life Planner*

is a roadmap that financial planners can use to understand how to make the connection between financial planning and life planning. Its premise is that advisors of the future will need to deal more with money as an element of a client's life that cannot be viewed alone.

...*And the Clients Went Wild!* John Wiley & Sons

Mo Bunnell's comprehensive system will help you win more clients, build stronger relationships, and bring in more business. If you're good at doing something, and you need to connect with paying clients in order to keep doing it, this book is for you. There are more of us out there than you might think--from professionals like lawyers and consultants to big company account managers and freelancers of all stripes. And this book will teach you how to sell yourself without selling your soul. In *The Snowball System*, Mo Bunnell offers powerful and proven tools for business development.

Whether you are gregarious or introverted, whether you are a part of a small startup or a massive multinational, Bunnell's science-based system is effective and efficient, and easily adapted into your day-to-day work. With *The Snowball System*, you will not only succeed at growing your business, you'll learn to enjoy doing the activities that drive that growth. You'll be happier, and so will your clients.