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International Aviation Leadership Development Program and Organizational Effectiveness

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Background

- Aviation Management Certificate Program—Brazil
- What is the value of leadership development for organizations?
- How does leadership development influence organizational effectiveness and performance?







Organizational Leadership Development

- Great understanding on the value on individual leaders' skills and behaviors.
- Systemic leadership development within organizations remains largely unexplored.
- Leadership development critical to maximizing organizational effectiveness.
- Develop collective leadership to address complexity and needs of today's organizations.





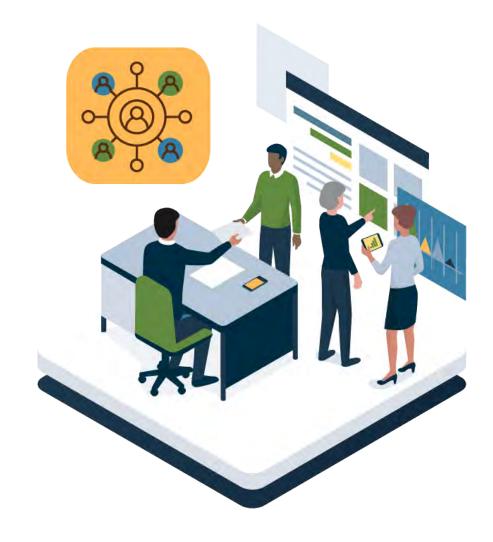






Organizational Effectiveness

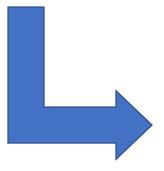
- Ability to survive, deliver to its purpose and remain fiscally viable
- Accomplished through efficient and reliable processes, human capital, and ability to adapt to external environment
- Non-financial aspect of organizational performance focusing on *human capital* and resource acquisition and maintenance.





Purpose

- Exploration of managers and organizational leaders' perceptions of the contribution of a leadership development program to:
 - Organizational Performance
 - Competitiveness
 - Internal Reputation
 - Creativity and Innovation
 - Adaptability
 - Ability to Learn



Organizational Effectiveness



Methodology

- Qualitative approach
- Semi-structured interviews
- 15 executive managers and leaders in the Brazilian airline industry
- Semi-structured interviews regarding a 14-month LDP specifically designed for aviation professionals
- Triangulation validated the consistency of coding and interpretation of codes completed by three (3) researchers.



Results

Value

Worth & perceived strength gained from knowledge offered to LDP

Career

Relationship between being selected for the LDP and career promotion

Programmatic

 Perceived sense of accomplishment and prestige of participating in the LDP

Organizational

 Distinct divide between internal and external organizational impacts and skills within organizations as well as capacity of an organization.



Collective Leadership

- Advance leaders and leadership
- "We need...more strategy focusing on people; of them is the LDP

Human Capital Management

- Human resource strategy of performance management
- "Mission is to redesign the whole map of the company...this requires a focus on people."

Relational Wealth

- Improved knowledge creation and maximization of collaboration
- "They learn from others in the class to help us design our company.



Human capital & collective leadership capacity

Necessity for competitive advantage and sustainability

Globalization

 Impact of social capital in organizations through exchange of ideas occurring between international organizations

Organizational strategy

 Vital component to organizations aimed at enhancing organizational effectiveness and performance



QUESTIONS?