

Leadership Books Worth Reading

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What Makes a Great Organization:

- *Good to Great* by Jim Collins
- *Drive* by Daniel Pink
- *Five Dysfunctions of a Team* by Patrick Lencioni
- *The Talent Code: Greatness Isn't Born. It's Grown. Here's How* by Daniel Coyle

What Makes a Great Leader:

- *Managing the No-Profit Organization* by Peter Drucker
- *The Tipping Point* by Malcolm Gladwell
- *True North: Discover Your Authentic Leadership* by Bill George
- *Mistakes Were Made (but not by me)* by Carol Tavris & Elliot Aronson
- *Leadership and Self-Deception: Getting out of the Box* by Arbinger Institute
- *Start with Why* by Simon Sinek

How to Manage Conflict and Have a Great Outcome:

- *Crucial Conversations* by Grenny, Patterson, and McMillan
- *The Speed of Trust: The One Thing That Changes Everything* by Stephen M.R. Covey

For Women Leaders:

- *Lean In* by Sheryl Sandburg
- *How Remarkable Women Lead: The Breakthrough Model for Work and Life Book* by Geoffrey Lewis, Joanna Barsh, and Susie Cranston
- *Executive Presence: The Missing Link Between Merit and Success Kindle Edition* by Sylvia Ann Hewlett

Mindfulness Practice:

- Jon Kabat Zinn — has several books on mindfulness practice and meditation
- *Declutter Your Mind: How to Stop Worrying, Relieve Anxiety, and Eliminate Negative Thinking (Mindfulness Books Series Book 1)* by S.J. Scott (Author), Barrie Davenport (Author)
- *Resonant Leadership: Renewing Yourself and Connecting with Others Through Mindfulness, Hope and Compassion* by Richard Boyatzis (Author), Annie McKee (Author)
- *The Happiness Advantage* by Shawn Achor

Change Management:

- *Who Moved My Cheese* by Spencer Johnson
- *The Heart of Change: Real-Life Stories of How People Change Their Organizations* by John Kotter
- *Leading Change: An Action Plan from the World's Foremost Expert on Business Leadership* by John Kotter