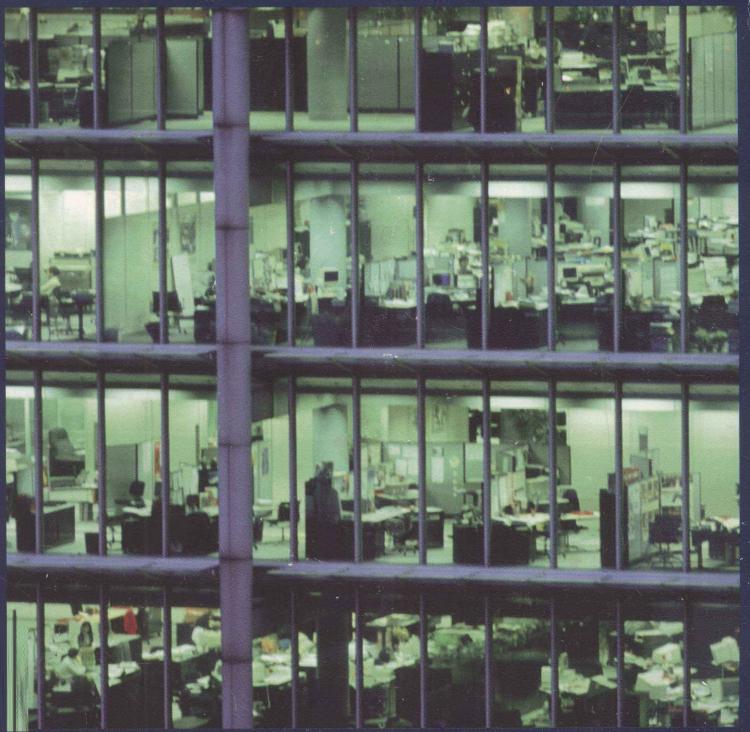
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Management is evolving into a highly exciting and diverse profession. Managers are the people charged with getting things done in today's society—a society that has been molded by the success of the management profession. The world faces many new challenges, and those challenges will be met, at least in part, by managers.

Managers must respond to a changing society by keeping informed on the developments in the field. The articles that have been chosen for Annual Editions: Management 98/99 comprise a cross section of the current writing on the subject, with a few selected classics. This collection addresses the various components of management, with emphasis on the functions of planning, organizing, directing, controlling, and staffing. Readings have been chosen from a wide variety of publications, including The Harvard Business Review, Inc., Vital Speeches, and Business Week.

This publication contains a number of features designed to make it useful for people interested in management. These features include a topic guide for locating articles on a specific subject and a table of contents with abstracts that summarize each article, highlighting key ideas in bold italics. Also, new to this edition are selected World Wide Web sites that can be used to further explore the topics. These sites will be cross-referenced by number in the topic guide.

This volume is organized into seven units, each dealing with specific interrelated topics in management. Each unit begins with an overview that provides the necessary background information that allows the reader to place the selections in the context of the book. Important topics are emphasized, and challenge questions address major themes. Also, at the end of each unit are short classic cases and exercises that are designed to implement and expand on the general topic of the unit easily and effectively.

This is the sixth edition of Annual Editions: Management, and I hope that it will be one of a long line of books addressing the evolution of management. This collection, I believe, provides the reader with the most complete and current selection of readings available on the subject. We would like to know what you think. Please take a few minutes to complete and return the postage-paid article rating form at the back of the volume. Any book can be improved, and we need your help to improve Annual Editions: Management.

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B. LEADERSHIP

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Management style is important when attempting to lead and manage. But, one style does not fit all organizations, managers, people, subordinates, situations, or employees. To be effective, an organization must be flexible.

19. Seekers and Scalers: The Future Leaders, Randall P. White, Training and Development, January 1997. Who are the best role models for leaders going to be in the future? This article has some interesting and surprising ideas.

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- Encouraging E-mail, Limiting Liability—http://www.cesoft.com/ solutions/old/email2.html—This site, though from a commercial organization, provides valuable information on the use of e-mail in the workplace, summarizing issues that both employers and employees must be aware of when an organization allows employees Internet access.
- 7. Krislyn's Favorite Advertising & Marketing Sites—http://www. krislyn.com/sites/adv.htm—This extensive list of Internet sites includes information on marketing research, marketing on the Internet, demographic sources, and organizations and associations. The site also features current books on business management and marketing.
- 8. NBS-Organization and Management Theory—http://www.nbs.ntu. ac.uk/staff/lyerj/list/hromt.htm—This is part of Ray Lye's Human Resource Management Resources on the Internet. It provides annotated links to an array of documents, studies, and other resources on the theory and practice of the learning organization.
- P2INFO Publication—http://www.ased.pnl.gov:2080/p2info/ resource/pr8u253.htm—Starting from this page, which examines

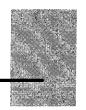
- the application of the Deming management method to pollution prevention, you can search by category or resource type to explore a variety of management functions in the real world.
- 10. Sheffield University Management School—http://www.shef.ac.uk/ uni/academic/l-M/mgt/research/research.html—The Current Research page of this British management school will lead you to information on a broad array of real-world management issues. Such links include the economics, finance, and management of technological change, labor economics, and industrial relations.
- 11. What's New from the Perspective of Competitive Advantage http://mijuno.larc.nasa.gov/dfc/whatsnew.html—Read the many articles, consider the various points of view, and click on the links suggested in this site to explore important business-related theories and issues such as cost management and living systems theory and design. Extensive bibliographical information is provided by Edwin B. Dean, who has organized this site.

Planning

- 12. American Civil Liberties Union: Workplace Rights—http://www.aclu.org/issues/worker/campaign.html—The ACLU provides this interesting page on workplace rights in its "Campaign for Fairness in the Workplace." Briefing papers on workplace issues cover such privacy issues as lifestyle discrimination, workplace drug testing, and electronic monitoring.
- American Psychological Association Books—http://www.apa.org/ books/homepage.html—Search this site to find references and discussion of important workplace issues for the 1990s and beyond, including restructuring and revitalization of businesses.
- 14. Fortune—http://mouth.pathfinder.com/fortune/1998/980112/ int.html—What features make a company a desirable employer? Fortune magazine discusses the characteristics of the "100 Best Companies to Work For." This page leads to many other Fortune articles and resource sections, including Smart Managing and Small Business.
- 15. Innovation in the Workplace—http://www.cs.tcd.ie/courses/ 2ba6/best967/dukej/index.html—This page aims to provide insight into what the future holds for employers and employees. It points you to books and other resources about such topics as "Teleworking."
- 16. What You Can Do in Your Workplace—http://www.kidscampaigns.org/Start/101workplace. html—Browse here to learn about how employees, employees' families, society in general, and management can help a company become more family-friendly. It provides useful hints and guidelines as well as suggestions for related books and other publications.

Organizing

17. National Center for Policy Analysis—http://www.public-policy.org/ ~ncpa/pd/pdindex.html—This organization's archives are indexed here by subject. Links lead you to interesting materials on a variety of topics that affect managers—immigration issues, affirmative action, regulatory policy, among them.



- 18. Sympatico: WorkPlace—http://www.ntl.sympatico.ca/Contents/ Business/Careers/workplace/what.html—This Canadian media site, "Workplace," provides a "GripeVine" for complaining about work and finding solutions to everyday career problems, "HomeBase" for learning how to work from home effectively, and more.
- 19. U.S. Department of Labor—http://www.dol.gov/—Browsing through this site will lead you to information about the Department of Labor and to a vast array of labor-related data and discussions of issues affecting managers, such as the minimum wage. It presents statutory and regulatory information, and more.
- 20. Work and Organizational Psychology, Stockholm University http://www.psychology.su.se/units/ao/ao. html—Explore topics related to job design and other management organizational concerns through this site presented by the Swedish university's Department of Psychology A/O division.

Directing

- 21. Frequently Asked Questions—Janzen Group—http://www. janzen-group.com/FAQ.html—This page addresses FAQs about alternative dispute resolution in business. It explains how arbitration differs from mediation, describes conflict management, and points to additional pages on such topics as business ethics.
- 22. NewsPage from Individual—http://pnp1.individual.com/—This site from Individual, Inc. provides daily business briefings and more in-depth stories of interest to managers. These links are related to such major fields as computing and media, banking and finance, health care, insurance, and transportation and distribution.
- 23. Teamwork—Decision Making—http://design.eng.clemson. edu/ht.docs/ psych499/decision/more_hindering.html—This page from Clemson University, entitled "Teamwork—Decision Making: Hindering Factors to Good Decision Making," provides helpful pointers to information on the Abilene Paradox, Groupthink, and team performance and decision making.

Controlling

- 24. Activity Based Risk Evaluation Model of Auditing—http://www.efs.mq.edu.au/accg/resources/abrema/index.html—Consult this page for information on the "Activity Based Risk Evaluation Model of Auditing." This Macquarie University site has links for a conceptual framework and applications of ABREMA. A glossary and interactive features are also provided.
- 25. Bill Lindsay's Home Page—http://www.nku.edu/~lindsay/— This site, Professor William M. Lindsay's home page, points you to a variety of interesting Internet sources to aid in the study and application of Total Quality Management principles.
- 26. Computer and Network Security Reference Index—http://www.telstra.com.au/info/security.html—Telstra provides this "Computer and Network Security Reference Index" for those interested in technology/security issues. It provides links to Web information sources, including commercial, educational, and government materials.

- 27. Implementation Stories—http://tql-navy.org/impstry/index.html— Start at this U.S. Navy page for access to a plethora of interesting stories and analyses related to Total Quality Leadership. It addresses such concerns as how TQL can improve customer service and affect utilization of information technology.
- 28. Internal Auditing World Wide Web—http://www.bitwise.net/ iawww/—This site provides valuable news, resources, events, and associations related to business auditing topics.
- 29. Office of Financial Management—http://www.doi.gov/pfm/ www_pfm.html—This site of the Office of Financial Management, in the U.S. Department of the Interior, describes its financial policy and procedures, financial reporting, management control program, accounting policy and systems, and auditing follow-up.
- 30. The Potential Downside of the National Information Infrastructure —http://www.annenberg.nwu. edu/pubs/downside/default.htm—Think your employer is snooping on you? Annenberg Senior Fellow Stephen Bates discusses the National Information Infrastructure. View this page for discussions of NII, including issues regarding privacy rights in the workplace.

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- 31. Electronic Frontier Foundation—http://ftp.eff.org/pub/Privacy/ Workplace/—This site from a nonprofit civil liberties organization provides links to articles, FAQs, and databases having to do with protections of privacy and free expression in the workplace. Such topics as drug testing and electronic communications privacy are explored.
- 32. MELNET—http://www.bradford.ac.uk/acad/mancen/melnet/index. html—MELNET, self-described as a "World Class Business Network," is a "virtual cooperative" for people looking to improve the way they do business. Through this interactive site, you can learn about such important topics as branding and examine the course of management in the twenty-first century.
- 33. School of Labor and Industrial Relations Hot Links—http://www.ssc.msu.edu/~lir/hotlink.htm—This page, created by the SLIR at Michigan State University, takes you to sites regarding industrial relations throughout the world. It has links from U.S. government and statistics, newspapers and libraries, and international intergovernmental organizations. With this level of access, you should be able to research virtually every labor-related topic.
- 34. U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission—http://www.eeoc.gov/—The EEOC's mission "is to ensure equality of opportunity by vigorously enforcing federal legislation prohibiting discrimination in employment." Consult this site for small business information, facts about employment discrimination, and enforcement and litigation.

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Managers, Performance, and the Environment

Management Classic (Article 1)
Managers and Management (Articles 2 and 3)
Management Skills, Roles, and Performance (Article 4)
The Environment (Articles 5-7)

The need for management has been recognized since the early days of civilization. The concepts of leadership, administration, and management have existed since at least before the time of Plato. Some of the early modern writers in management include Frederick W. Taylor, Elton

Mayo, and Mary Parker Follett. These people helped to establish the basis of modern management theory during the first part of the twentieth century.

Management has come a long way since the days of Taylor, Mayo, and Follett. The techniques and theories

