

Invitation from ASQ Innovation Division July 21, 2022



DATE:

Thursday, July 21, 2022

This is a virtual meeting via WebEx. Log-in information will be provided on the registration confirmation email.

Time:

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm PDT (check website to confirm times)

Cost: Free for ASQ members and non-members

To register for this meeting and obtain the WebEx link and sign-in information, click <u>here</u>.

Attendance at this meeting earns 0.5 RUs toward ASQ recertification.

NOTE: Be sure to use the same email address to join the virtual meeting as you use when registering to receive the RUs. You must register for the event and join virtually to receive RUs.

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Leading Innovation Culture Transformation



Bryan W. Mattimore Cofounder and "Chief Idea Guy" Growth Engine Company

"If strategy eats culture for breakfast' (as management guru Peter Drucker once said) ...then have your company's values for lunch!" -- Bryan Mattimore

Changing the company's culture to promote innovative thinking and risk taking is one of the greatest challenges an organization's leadership can face. So, how do you do it? Well, it's NOT by posting "inspirational" posters or slogans in the elevator, building special creativity rooms, subsidizing free food at the cafeteria, or setting up a ping-pong table in every department.

This presentation will highlight - after 25 years of consulting on scores of successful innovation culture change initiatives - two surprisingly simple innovation frameworks that have been shown to repeatedly bring innovation success and culture change to any organization.

First, it is important to agree to and evangelize - daily - the company's values. Values are a concrete example of what is important in the company, giving permission to every employee, when combined with practical programs and tactics, to be more creative, take more risks, and adopt an innovative, growth mindset. Second, promote an innovation framework that encourages "pockets of passion," where teams at all levels will be established and reinforced with real-world examples.

<u>About the presenter:</u> Bryan W. Mattimore is Cofounder and "Chief Idea Guy" of the Growth Engine Company, a 20-year old innovation and creativity training agency based in Connecticut. In his marketing consulting career, Bryan has managed over 200 successful innovation projects, leading to over \$3 billion in new sales for one-third of the Fortune 100 companies. Bryan's three best-selling books on ideation and innovation process include Idea Stormers, How to Lead and Inspire Creative Breakthroughs and 21 Days to a Big Idea. A cum laude graduate of Dartmouth with a major in psychology, he is also an innovation and marketing instructor for Caltech.