Ch 1 Introduction and Exceptional Managers

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- What is Management?

- Pursuit and achievement of Org. goals with and through people, effectively and efficiently, by integrating their work and output.
 - Pursuit=
 - Achievement= Once you achieve your pursuit
 - Goal= Aim; future intention
 - "With People"= at your level or above
 - "Through People"= using subordinate, or people below you to get the work done
 - Efficiency= number of steps it takes to get there; goal is to use minimal amount of steps to get there
 - Effectively= getting what you want

- What is an Org?

An organized body of people with a particular purpose

- Types of Org.

- 1. For Profit Make money by offering goods and services GM, UPS, Apple
- 2. Non-profit is a business that has been granted tax-exempt status by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) because it furthers a social cause and provides a public benefit Red Cross, United way
- 3. <u>Commonweal</u> Offer standardized public services without attempting to make a profit Political Parties, Military, FD and PD

- Why study Mgmt.?

- 1. Ascertain how other Orgs. work to coordinate our work processes with theirs - vendors, customers, competitors, investors
 - Vendors=
 - Customers= do online shopping as well as brick and mortar; how do I take my product/service to customers?
 - Competitors= we need to know what they are up to
 - □ Need to drop or match prices
 - Investors= family, friends, or Venture Capitalists

□ Need to care about investors
 2. How to relate to and interact with your supervisors, subordinates, and peers within your dept.
 3. How to relate to employees in other depts.
 4. How to manage yourself.
■ Time management (work, school, etc)
■ Behavior
Career goals
 Companies look for how people manage or handle a crisis
★- Levels of Management in an organization:
 3 levels of Management
 Top Mgmt LT focus and decisions, establish objectives and goals, policies, strategies, knowledge of outside environments,
☐ Focus: how to get from point A to Z
□ Need to know cultural norms- with employees and customers
□ Follow and abide policies provided
Middle - Implement policies, develop plans to achieve goals, coordinate the activities of the front line mgmt.
☐ Responsible for the plans of an annual basis sales increase
 Front/First line - Day to day activities, ST operating decisions, guiding, leading and directing the activities of the non-mgmt. employees.
□ Work as "watchdogs"
☐ Do the day-to- day activities
☐ Make short term decisions (ex: which driver will take that route)
☐ Guide people that report to them
 4 Levels of Workforce
Non-Mgmt. or hourly - do the work as directed.
□ Non-salary
□ Essentially report to supervisors
■ Functional Manager - Responsible for one specific activity, e.g., CFO
□ Responsible for 1 function

■ General Mgr - Responsible for several activities, e.g., CEO

- Responsible for all functions in organization
 Staff Function support the operations, Acctg., HR, Rand D
 - □ Works as a support function; does not technically help with the production of the goods/services
 - ☐ Example: Human resources
- Line Function Actually involved in the production of the goods and or services

*- Principal Functions of Mgmt - POLC (Henri Fayol)

- o 1. Planning Set Goals and how to achieve them
- o 2. **Organization** Resources needed, people and their abilities, tasks
- o 3. Leading Motivating, Directing, influencing, training to achieve goals
 - Assigning the right tasks
 - Coaching them on what their responsibilities
 - Training them on what to do and not do
- o 4. Control Monitor performance, take corrective action
 - Anticipating what might happen and take corrective steps/alternatives to make sure the work isn't hampered

Roles of Managers:

- o 1. Interpersonal interaction with people in and out of the Org.
 - a. Figurehead show people around, develop goodwill,
 - ☐ Ex: Queen of U.K. creates policies/laws
 - □ Parliament= Enforces policies/laws
 - b. Leadership Responsible for the actions of subordinates, training, controlling, motivating, disciplining
 - c. Liaison Develop outside alliances with other orgs and governments
 - ☐ Can form an alliance with competitors for benefit of all corporations within the industries

o 2. Informational -

- a. Monitor gather information from variety of sources
- b. Disseminator Inform the people appropriately within the org
 - □ Info should flow from top to bottom
- c. Spokesperson Inform people outside the org

Reason to have one is to share accurate info; no room for interpretation

o 3. Decisional -

- a. Entrepreneur Encourage, innovate, initiate
- b. Disturbance handler handle problems within and outside the org.

Ex: Our people/employees working with outside people/customers

- c. Resource allocator Determine how best to use company resources, allocate
- d. Negotiator Inside (staff, salary), outside (contracts, Govt.)

- Skills Required to Manage -

- o 1. Technical Ability to perform one's job
- o 2. Conceptual (cognitive) Analyze, ascertain
- o 3. Human Ability to work with and relate to people

- Challenges Managers Face Today:

- o 1. Managing competitive advantage
 - a. response to customers
 - ☐ How to cater to the needs of my customer?
 - b. Innovation
 - c. Quality
 - d. Cost and price through efficient mgmt.
- o 2. Managing Diversity Women, ethnicity, age, sub-culture
- o 3. Globalization Products, customs, procedures, labor, culture, currency
- o 4. IT Speed, variety, decision making
- o 5. Ethical standards
- o 6. Sustainability meeting the needs of present w/o compromising future
- o 7. Personal fulfillment work vs home life

Ch 2 Management Theory

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- Theories of Management:

1. Classical Viewpoint -

- A. Scientific Management Taylor and Gilbreths
 - He evaluated every aspect of a job and timed it

★■ Taylor's 4 principles:

- 1) Evaluate job by studying each part of the job
- 2) Carefully select workers with right abilities for the task
- 3) Give workers training and incentives for doing the tasks the right way -bonus, differential pay
- 4) Constantly review methods, ease the methods used by the workers to complete tasks.
- Biggest Contribution: Started time and motion study basis of Industrial Engineering

Gilbreths:

- Further modifications through filming the jobs, reviewing the methods, eliminating wasted motions.
- Developed Pre-determined time standards for each element of the job.
 - They broke up elements of each task into motions (reach, grasp, transport, release, back) and timed each element/motion
- B. Administrative Management Fayol and Weber
 - <u>Admin Mgmt.</u> Emphasis on entire organization and management Henri Fayol Planning, Organizing, Leading, Controlling (POLC)

Fayol's 14 principles -

- 1) Division of work specialization, skill and efficiency developed through repetition
- 2) Authority ability to direct the work of others
- 3) <u>Discipline</u> Policies and rules that guide work behavior
- 4) Unity of Command One boss
- 5) <u>Unity of Direction</u> All in a group working on the same plan to reach company goals
- 6) Subordination of individual interests
- 7) There are times you will have to give up your interests for company's interests
- 8) Remuneration financial (money you make; salary) and non-financial (benefits) compensation based on merit
- 9) <u>Centralization</u> Major decisions done at the top, minor, day-to-day done lower down
- 10) Scalar Chain Pyramid Org. Structure
- 11) Order Clean, tidy, safe, well-lit workplace
- 12) Equity application of policies equally to all
- 13) Stability in tenure minimize employee turnover
- 14) Initiative ability to create and innovate
- 15) Esprit de corps fellowship and loyalty in the org. and teams
 - People working cohesively
- Weber In USA Bureaucracy is alleged to be slow, inflexible, impersonal, laborious. In Germany during Weber time, bureaucracy considered rational, efficient,