



### **IChemE Career Solutions Webinar Series**

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### **Series Overview**



Title of Webinar	Date	
Session 1 - Transferable Skills	11 <sup>th</sup> November 2020	
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Session 6 - Coaching, Mentoring and NLP	16 <sup>th</sup> December 2020	

Time: 6.30pm (UK time)

# Session 6 Agenda – Coaching, Mentoring and NLP



- 1. Benefits and differences between coaching and mentoring.
- 2. Coaching tools to support professional development.
- Neuro Linguistics Programming (NLP) as a tool to support new behaviour generation and professional development.
- 4. Questions and Answers.



# **Coaching vs. Mentoring**



Coaching is **complimentary** to mentoring, but they're not the same! Are you aware of the differences?

Both provide a **confidential space** to help you develop professionally and personally.



### **Coaching vs. Mentoring**







### Be brave enough to start a conversation that matters.

- 1. Attend events and **network**.
- 2. Browse LinkedIn.
- 3. Seek support from the IChemE.
- Find someone who's approach appeals to you and someone that you feel you will get along with – do your chemistry check.
- 5. Explain what you're trying to achieve with a mentoring/coaching relationship.
- You don't have to have 5/10 years mapped out like they ask in interviews. A good mentor/coach will help direct you on your journey and next steps.

### **Coaching and Mentoring**







Helps when your unconscious map of the world is not aligned with your conscious actions.

Helps identify your unique skills, talents, motivations and passions.

Provides an accountability partner to simply help you get things done and help you focus on high value activities.

Helps identify the obstacles that are making you feel stuck, help you declutter, overcome challenges and move forward in a way that is manageable and fun.



Helps in shifting mindset and new behaviour generation to place you in more resourceful states on demand to achieve more of your goals sooner.

Helps overcome your self-limiting beliefs, fears, and draw your attention, focus and energy to your unique value and the benefits to you of achieving your specific goals.

Helps improve interactions between yourself and other professionals making you more focused, useful and impactful in a professional and business environment.

Increase your self-awareness, develop a resourceful mindset, understand your behaviour and emotions to enhance your emotional intelligence and well-being.

### **Mentoring Benefits**



### **Benefits to Mentors**

- Creates opportunity for Mentors to share their experience and thus 'enriches' Mentors.
- Creates opportunity to be recognised.
- It provides an opportunity to do something fun and different to normal duties.

### **Benefits to Mentees**

- Provides professional affirmation.
- Reduces isolation.
- Provides meaningful learning experiences and an opportunity for personal and professional growth.

### **Benefits to Organisations**

- Improves integration of new employees.
- Increases communication, networking and openness/ transparency in organisations.
- Improves employee satisfaction.
- Enhances career development.
- Creates a learning culture.

### Ways to Cultivate a Coaching/Mentoring Culture







# **Coaching – Time & Energy Management**



Before committing to activities that take up your precious time and energy, do you ask yourself:

- 1) Why am I doing it?
- 2) Do I enjoy it?
- 3) Is it time to de-clutter and focus on high value actions?



## **Coaching – Values**



- Write down your values understand your why.
- Listen to your heart, not just your head.



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#### SAMPLE VALUES LIST

Accomplishment	34.	I
Accuracy	35.	I
Acknowledgement	36.	I
Adventure	37.	I
Authenticity	38.	I
Balance	39.	1
Beauty	40.	1
Boldness	41.	1
Calm	42.	I
Challenge	43.	I
Collaboration	44.	I
Community	45.	I
Compassion	46.	I
Comradeship	47.	I
Confidence	48.	I
Connectedness	49.	]
Contentment	50.	]
Contribution	51.	]
Cooperation	52.	]
Courage	53.	]
Creativity	54.	1
Curiosity	55.	I
Determination	56.	I
Directness	57.	I
Discovery	58.	I
Ease	59.	I
Effortlessness	60.	1
Empowerment	61.	1
Enthusiasm	62.	I
Environment	63.	I
Excellence	64.	I
Fairness	65.	I
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# **Coaching – Wheel of life**



- Boost your intrinsic motivation by focusing on your personal values.
- Score each of your values honestly.
- Identify the values which you have scored low.
- Understand why you have scored them low.
- Consider what you can do to increase the low score to find more balance.
- Focus on what's within your control.



# **Coaching – Comfort Zone**







# **Coaching – Managing & Overcoming Fears**



- Fear of Missing Out
- Fear of Rejection
- Fear of Inadequacy
- Fear of Uncertainty
- Fear of Being Found out
- Fear of Change
- Fear of Losing Control
- Fear of Being Judged
- Fear of Getting Hurt
- Fear of Failure
- Fear of Success



### Coaching – Managing your Inner Chatter, Self-limiting Beliefs & Emotions





- Have **better conversations** with yourself.
- Identify when your self-limiting beliefs are getting in the way by asking for advice or feedback.
- Identify when you are moving away from a resourceful state and intentionally bring yourself back to a resourceful state.
- Consider what behaviour is required to support your goals.
- Better reactions = better "you" friendly outcomes.

### 3. **Options** - this reviews

state.

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- options that are realistically available to you.
- 4. Way Forward here we select the best option for you and assess your commitment to working towards the goal.

Place yourself in the **successful future** and notice how each option makes you feel.

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SMART(ER) goal of what

you want to achieve or your

**Reality** - this is your present

1. Goal - this needs to be a

desired state.

## Coaching – SMART(ER) Goal Setting





# Have you set any goals recently?

Are they **SMART(ER)**?

# **Neuro Linguistics Programming (NLP)**



- NLP is sometimes described as the 'science of excellent communication'.
- This is where our thoughts (Neuro) are influenced by words (Linguistic) and are the drivers for follow-on actions (Programming).



### **Neuro Linguistics Programming (NLP)**



### **NLP Presuppositions/Principles**





### **NLP – Increasing Self-Awareness**





- Johari's Window: Uncover blind spots with advice and feedback.
- Understand your strengths and weaknesses and highlight improvement areas.
- Understand your **personal value proposition** and your **self-worth**.
- Identify your self-limiting beliefs.
- If you don't believe it, then the chances of others believing it and buying into you are low.

### NLP – Mindset Shift (Fixed to Growth)





### **NLP - Fixed Mindset**





- 1. I'm either good at it, or I'm not.
- 2. When I'm frustrated, I give up.
- 3. I don't like to be challenged.
- 4. When I fail, I'm no good.
- 5. If others succeed, I feel threatened.
- 6. My abilities determine everything.
- 7. More of the same rather than the best year yet!

### **NLP - Growth Mindset**



- 1. I can learn anything I want to.
- 2. When I'm frustrated, I persevere.
- 3. I want to challenge myself.
- 4. When I fail, I learn.
- 5. If others succeed, I'm inspired.
- 6. My effort and attitude determine everything.
- 7. Your best year yet instead of more of the same.



# NLP – Rapport, Communication & Emotional Intelligence



- Build rapport through improved communication.
- Handle conflict with difficult people.
- Communication Skills Verbal and Non-Verbal.
- Positive and Persuasive Language for improved negotiation skills and influence.
- Positive use of language can affect your behaviour and those you communicate with, and ultimately the outcome of the situation.



You can have brilliant ideas, but if you can not get them across, your ideas will not get you anywhere.

Lee Iacocca

 You have patterns, habits, strategies, programs for everything you do.

NLP – Recognising Patterns

- Some of these patterns serve you, others do not – resulting in unwanted outcomes.
- Identify which patterns are leading to unwanted outcomes and change them!
- Who put your patterns, habits, strategies, programs in place? You did!
- So who can change them? You can!
- One of the biggest benefits of NLP is raising awareness of the patterns, habits, strategies, programs have been running unconsciously and then use NLP techniques to change them for more desirable outcomes.





### NLP – Techniques





- 1. Anchoring
  - Intentionally recreating a resourceful emotion while associating it with physical action.
- 2. Belief Change
  - Taking a deep dive into selflimiting beliefs and understanding their negative implications.
- 3. Reframing Thoughts
  - changing certain emotions towards an optimistic outcome i.e. act on what you want rather than what you don't want.



### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Complete the table for better time and energy management.
  - a. List 5 things you are going to stop. Make a commitment to stop them!
  - b. List 5 things you are going to do less of. Make a commitment to **do less of them**!
  - c. List 5 things you are going to keep doing. Make a commitment to keep doing them!
  - d. List 5 things you are going to do more of. Make a commitment to **do more of them**!
  - e. List 5 things you are going to start. Make a commitment to start them!

No.	STOP	DO LESS	KEEP DOING	DO MORE	START
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### **Values Action Sheet**



### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

2. Make a list of 8 of your most important personal values.

#### SAMPLE VALUES LIST

1.	Accomplishment
2.	Accuracy
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4.	Adventure
5.	Authenticity
6.	Balance
7.	Beauty
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### **Wheel of Life Action Sheet**



### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 3. Complete the wheel of life for those 8 values.
- Identify areas of improvement from the wheel of life and incorporate these into your 2021 CPD plan.

### IMPORTANT

 Use this as an opportunity for reflection and a means to be more intentional going forward.





### Thank you for listening



# Don't forget to celebrate the little wins and be the best version of you – for you and your loved ones!