

NEW RELEASE! CULTURAL/GLOBAL DIVERSITY & COMPETENCY

Open Mind, Open World: Improving Intercultural Interactions™

Almost 90 percent of top executives from 68 countries named cross-cultural leadership as their top management challenge for this century. Executives surveyed cited understanding customers across cultures as the greatest of all the global leadership challenges.

Source: Economist Intelligence Unit

Boost productivity by developing cultural capability and navigating today's global workforce

About the Program:

In a global economy, cultural misunderstandings can have an immediate, negative impact on business productivity. **Open Mind, Open World** provides a solid foundation for identifying and understanding basic cultural values and behaviors. Employees and managers gain insights, strategies and skills that help minimize cultural misunderstandings and strengthen interactions.

After completing the program, your managers and employees will be able to:

- Identify cultural tendencies that impact our interactions and effectiveness with global colleagues
- Identify and respond to situations involving intercultural dynamics
- Distinguish between effective and ineffective intercultural communication
- Use global awareness and the O.P.E.N. process to improve communication and productivity

The O.P.E.N. model involves four basic steps:

- **O** Observe the behavior
- **P** Prepare a response
- **E** Engage in communication
- N Notice the results

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Target Audience: All Employees Course Length: 1, 4 and 8 Hour and Self-Study Options Pricing: \$995 DVD Program & Print Materials Video Run Time: 32 Minutes



Cultural Competency - A global mindset and skill set that helps individuals, teams, and organizations understand, adapt to and leverage cultural differences & virtual complexity to maximize global results.

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