



Time perception in leadership

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by day we are woken up by the alarm. The clock schedules our
daily routine. Punctuality at work is emphasized. Deadlines are
considered to be accomplished on time. The clock drives us to
undertake a certain amount of tasks during the day. In Western
societies time is considered as resource, which can be spent,
saved or lost. Thus, it represents a force, which drives our lives.
Timetables and calendars create the feeling of time pressure.
This phenomenon implies a big gap between the time an
individual lives and the one the same person feels inside like a
body clock. Hence, especially in task-oriented management,
issues concerning time occur. Furthermore, cultural
differences cause a variation of time perceptions. In fact, social
time, as a culturally determined interpretation of time, has a
great impact on business culture. On the one hand, the sense
of social time influences...



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