



COMPLEMENTARY TRAINING MANUAL FOR USERS

SKILL DEVELOPER:

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NAME OF THE SKILL:

Critical thinking: Using logic and reasoning to identify the strengths and weaknesses of alternative solutions, conclusions or approaches to problems.

COMPETENCES:

- Analysis of facts
- Forming judgements
- Evaluation of factual evidence
- Systematic and inquisitive approach
- Analytical reasoning
- Problem solving skills

OBJECTIVES:

- Question facts and evidence (WHY)
- Discover reasons and motives
- Question / challenge the validity and veracity of opinions
- Looking for facts that disprove claims

OUTCOMES:

- Making a difference to a person's career
- Better prospects for employees to get a job
- Higher positions in a job with more responsibility
- Independent thinking
- Better identification of problems
- Being able to gather information
- Evaluating all evidence
- Considering solutions

- Choosing and implementing

INFO ABOUT THE EXPERT:



Joerg Steegmueller is a passionate educator, leadership Coach/Consultant, speaker and telecoms entrepreneur, who was born and grew up in Germany and lives for many years in Dublin, Ireland. He graduated from University of Karlsruhe with an M.Sc in Computer Science & Computer Engineering. After graduation he worked as an engineer and consultant in the information

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Joerg is the founder of The Inspiring Leadership Academy, a training company providing training and coaching to businesses. Problems with employee unhappiness, customer dissatisfaction and inconsistent company culture can in most cases be solved by enhancing the leadership skills on all levels in the organisation.

The Inspiring Leadership Academy helps companies and organisations who realise the importance of real leadership to increase revenue and lower cost through having happy employees and customers that are raving fans.

HOW TO IMPROVE THIS SPECIFIC SKILL:

- Link to the podcast:
 - <http://lacjum.8p.pl/fs2022/IO1/pod/5/2.mp3>

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