

Managing Knowledge - The Trousers of Reality: Volume 2

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This is the second volume of the Trousers of Reality series. It suggests that we are living through a pivotal point in human social evolution. We are dealing with tremendous scientific advances, financial upheaval and the artificial polarisation of ideologies. It proposes that society is at a decision nexus about how we use the advances in science and technology: whether to impose competition, compliance and control or whether to encourage collaboration, creativity and understanding.

It explores Neuroscience and advises that open ended pragmatic, minimal process, people based methodologies - methodologies such as NLP and Agile - are in a prime position to apply the findings of neuroscience into daily life, project management and interpersonal communication.

Another aspect of the book deals with knowledge workers and the positive impact that an understanding of the basics of neuroscience should have on the way they are treated in the workplace.

The book is written to allow readers to appreciate the issues and the advances without an needing to understand of the deep mathematics, the complex psychology and the medical terms. The author contends that the message of neuroscience is clear and a working knowledge is achievable by everyone.

There are internet links and other information sources proffered throughout the book for anyone who wishes to delve deeper.

The first part of the book discusses recent discoveries in neuroscience and epigenetics and their implications in understanding human behaviour.

The second part of the book discusses where these discoveries intersect with epistemology, logic and philosophy and what that tells us about consciousness and communication.

The third part of the book looks at how we can use this knowledge to train our creative and critical faculties to connect to what we find fulfilling.