NEGOTIATION TRAINING AGENDA

SESSION 1

- INTRODUCTIONS
- NEGOTIATION ROLE-PLAY
- INTRODUCTION TO NEGOTIATION
 - Definition of Negotiation
 - Styles/Strategies: Competition & Collaboration
 - o Who's the Most Important Person in the Room?
- WATCH & DEBRIEF VIDEO SEGMENT OF NEGOTIATION
- THE NEGOTIATION PROCESS
 - o Preparation
 - How to develop interests, objectives & priorities
 - Understanding and enhancing your BATNA
 - Establishing a goal and plan for reaching the goal
 - o Relationship-Building
 - What research shows regarding relationship building
 - How to enhance your relationships
 - o Information Gathering & Exchange
 - What research shows regarding information gathering & exchange
 - How to communicate effectively
 - Intention does not equal perception
 - Problem-Solving / Bargaining
 - WATCH & DEBRIEF SEGMENTS OF NEGOTIATION VIDEO
 - How to claim value / competitive negotiation:
 - The importance of creating ranges
 - Pros & cons of putting the first number on the table
 - How to respond to aggressive first offers/demands
 - How to conduct a concession strategy
 - The midpoint point effect & use of reciprocity
 - How to close the process
 - How to create value / collaborative negotiation:
 - What are interests/needs?
 - How to conduct a needs assessment
 - Using communication skills to create value

SESSION 2

- REVIEW & OVERVIEW
- EXERCISE: THE ULTIMATUM GAME
- DISCUSSION OF COMMUNICATION TECHNIQUES & EXERCISE
- PSYCHOLOGICAL PRINCIPLES IMPORTANT TO A NEGOTIATOR
 - o Winner's curse
 - Reactive devaluation
 - Sense of fairness
 - o Overconfidence
 - Loss aversion
 - Selective Perception
- INFLUENCING TECHNIQUES
 - Reciprocity
 - o Consistency
 - Similarity
 - Authority
 - o Scarcity
 - The use of apology
- HOW TO DEAL WITH A DIFFICULT NEGOTIATOR
- IDENTIFYING YOUR SOURCES OF POWER IN NEGOTIATION
- REVIEW: HOW TO PREPARE FOR NEGOTIATION- the use of the Negotiation Preparation Worksheet
- PREPARATION & PRESENTATIONS OF OWN/REAL STRUCTURED NEGOTIATIONS
- CLOSURE & DISCUSSION