



Press Release

Survey Finds 80% of Workers Are Biding Their Time

How to Turn Passion Into Profession

Bel Air, Maryland, December 1, 2003: A survey conducted by the Society for Human Resource Professionals highlights that eight in 10 workers plan to look for a new job when the economy improves. Gerry Wienholt, Principal of PEP, Inc., believes our situation can improve without waiting on the economy. Wienholt's talents lie in identifying the connection between purpose, excellence, and passion to encourage enthusiasm for individuals as well as businesses.

Wienholt is a gifted speaker, leader and entrepreneur. His personal mission is to motivate and encourage the awakening and realization of dreams and success for all those who desire to discover their purpose. A resource right here in Harford County for over 15 years, he strives to share the secret for retention and results with local businesses and residents. Companies such as Comcast, McCormick Spice, Monumental Life, and Syscom have all benefited from his ability to relate the skills of communication, the importance of teamwork, and the power of the individual to dream and achieve.

"We do an evaluation at the end of every program, and the evaluations we get immediately from Gerry's presentations are always off the scale. People put plusses after the highest. But in my mind, the thing that really makes the biggest difference is whether people are taking that and putting it into their real lives, and I had a participant in one of Gerry's seminars who was a candidate for an international award for women. And after taking Gerry's seminar, she called me and said, 'This was very timely that I attended because I went back based on the things that Gerry outlined for us in the workshop and I rewrote my application for this award.'

I was really impressed, and about a month and a half later, I heard that she actually was the winner of that international award!"

Marlene Lieb, Director of Professional Development, Harford Community College, Maryland

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