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The Secret Sauce of Conflict Management

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RESPECT

REFLECT

RESPOND

Agenda

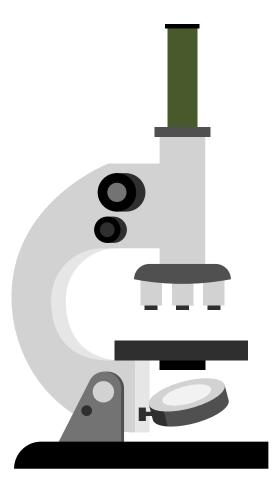
- Ingredients to managing and responding to conflict
 - Know What
 - Know Why
 - Know How
- Contact Points for support
- Resources





Know What

Know your context, your underlying needs and concerns



Type of conflict

Allocation of resources: Time, money, workforce

Roles and function: Unclear, not defined, not corresponding with change

Objectives: Conflicting, unclear, unrealistic

Structures and processes: Of units, of processes, of decisions, of criteria

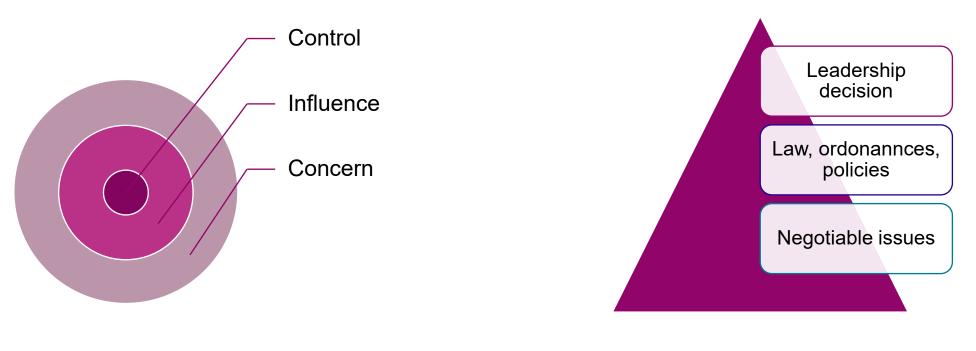
Interaction: Communication, behaviour



Understand the situation

Circle of Control / Influence / Concern

Level of conflict resolution



Ury 2016

Covey 2005

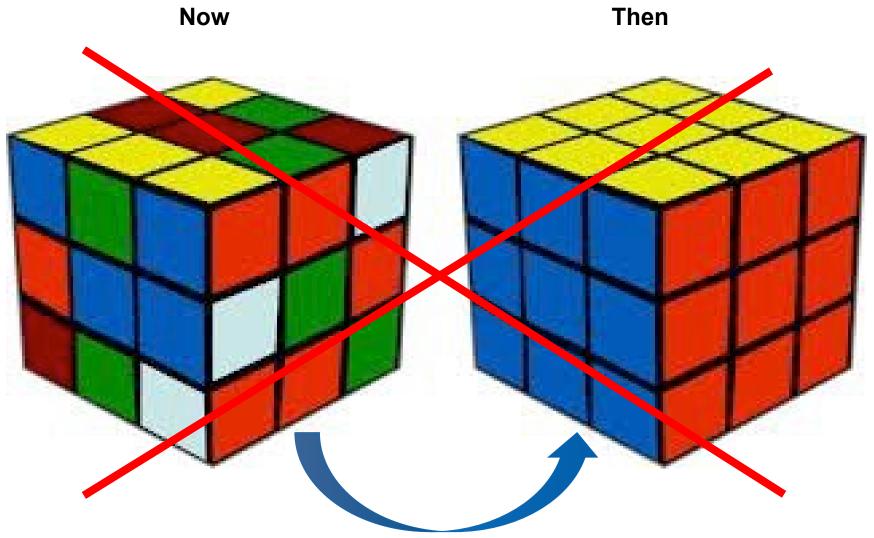
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Clarity gives you the direction how to proceed

- Lose-lose
- Win-lose
- Compromise
- Win-win



Realistic goal setting – considering partial, provisional, phases

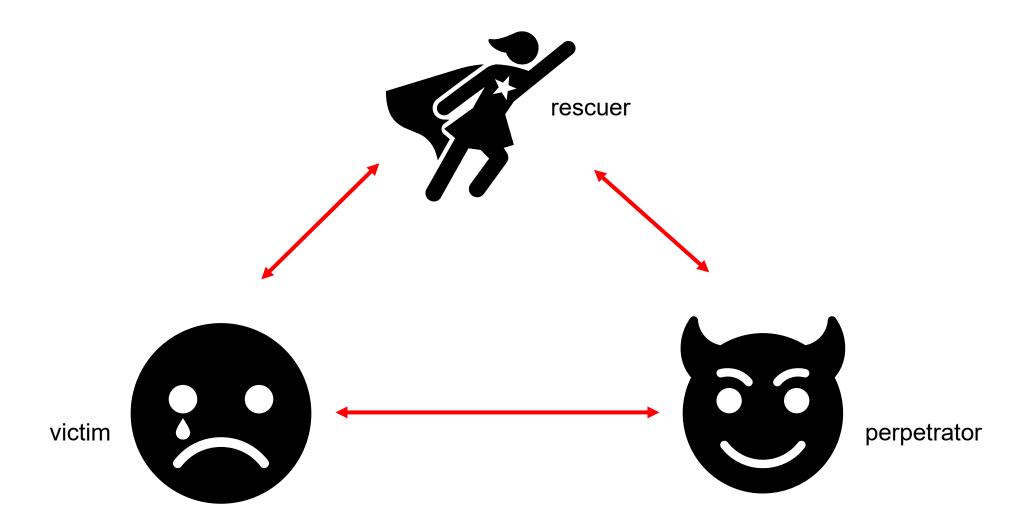






Know Why

Drivers for escalation: Blaming, shaming, demonizing, coalitions,...



Hostage of conflict dynamics - reaction on dynamics instead of action for needs feeling controlled by others, powerless, suffering







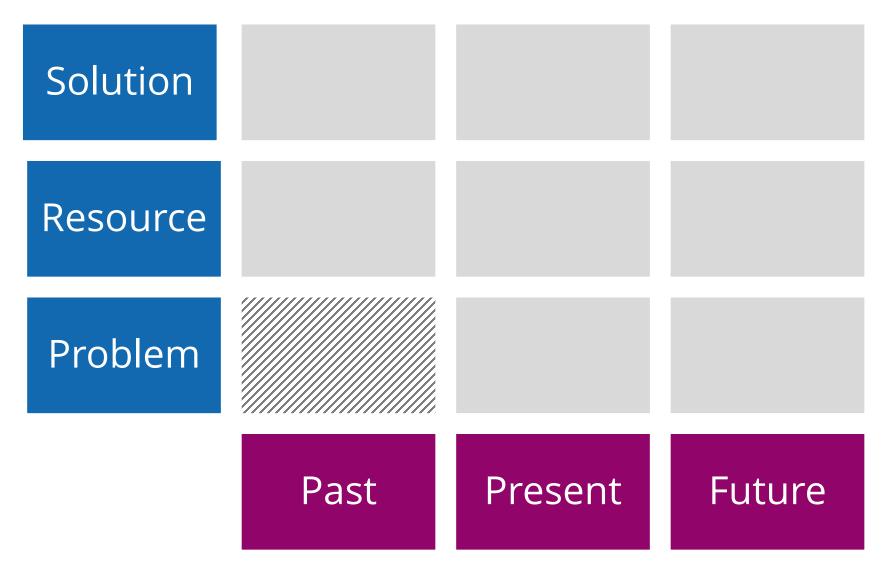
Know How

More than one perspective – importance of asking questions and talking about needs





Pick (any) structured approach to reflect, discuss, resolve





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Rieforth, Kuhlmann 2004

Get support in reflecting, preparing, managing conflict

Support when faced with inappropriate behaviour or conflict – Staffnet | ETH Zurich

ETH Zurich counselling and support points



Internal

Respect Office Clarification Office Students' Counselling & Coaching Centre

Threat and security management



External

Ombuds Reporting Office

Institute of Applied Psychology (IAP) – for employees



University groups

VSETH Student Helpdesk AVETH Counselling Staff Commission for technical and administrative staff ETH Zurich counselling and support points (continued)



Departmental contact points

D-CHAB: Counseling Helpdesk D-EAPS: VAME Help!desk D-GESS: Help!Point D-HEST: Trusted Intermediary D-HEST D-MATH: help@D-MATH D-USYS: USYS Helpdesk

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Co-funded services

Nightline Psychological Counselling Service



ETH Zurich enabling anonymous reporting



Organizational development

Statistics, but no case management



Whistleblowing Inappropritate Behaviour

Case management if allegations are reasonably substantiated



https://ethz.ch/staffnet/en/employment-and-work/consulting-andcoaching/support-inappropriate-behaviour-or-conflict.html

Shaping a positive and inspiring culture of collaboration at ETH Zurich together.

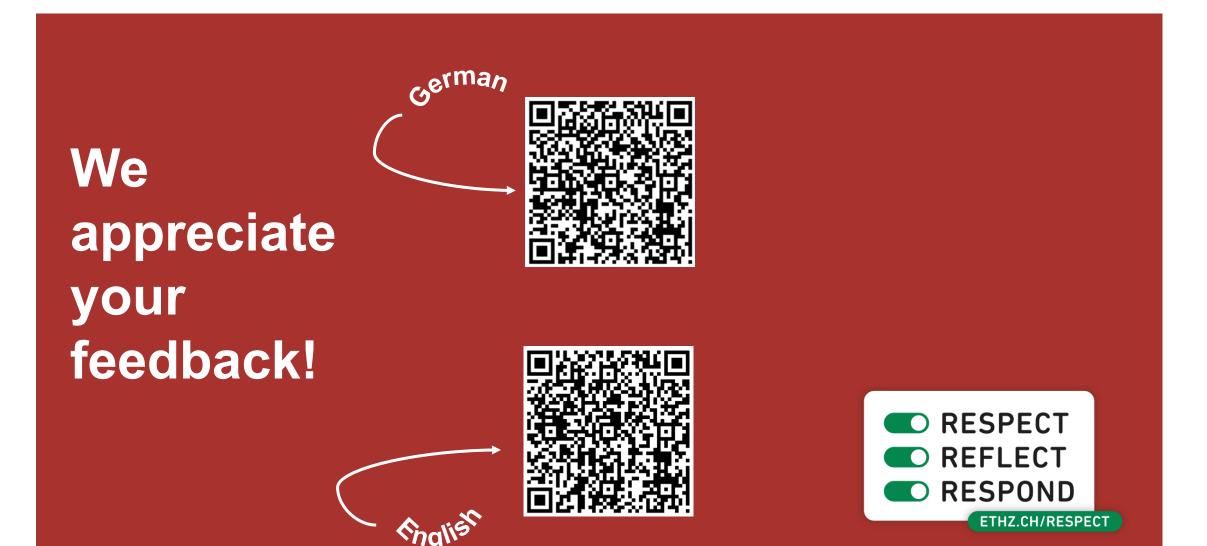
Live events, e-learnings, tips & tools and more:







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