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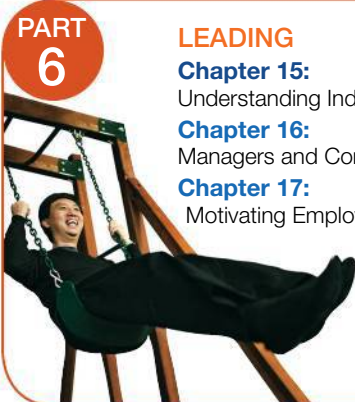
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Preface

You've made a good decision! You're taking a college course ... maybe more than one. Although you may sometimes feel like you're wasting your time being in college, you're not. Yes, it's expensive. Yes, it's even sometimes hard. But what you're doing now will pay off in the long run. In a survey of job seekers, a whopping 92 percent said that a major disadvantage in competing for jobs was not having taken college courses. But that's not what you'll face because you *are* enrolled in a college course—the course for which you've purchased this book.

Key Changes to the 12th Edition

Between the two of us, we've taught for more than 50 years, so we personally understand the challenges of getting a classroom of students engaged and enthusiastic about coming to class! What worked exceptionally well for us was showing students that management isn't just some dry, boring subject that you learn about in a book but something vital that real people do in organizations every day. That's why we've always incorporated “real” managers into our textbook. Students can see how managers actually use the theories and approaches discussed in the chapters. And it's the only principles textbook that presents management from the perspective of the people who actually *do* management. Our real-world approach has been so popular that we gave it a “different spin” this time by asking our real managers to comment on realistic manager scenarios specifically written for each chapter. We think these will help get students excited about studying management and provide many avenues for class discussion. After many discussions about how we could make our book better reflect the realities of today's environment, here are some of the main changes we've made in the 12th edition:

- Chapter opener spotlighting a real manager at work in a real organization
- End-of-part Management Practice designed to give students a chance to “practice” management using:
 - A Manager's Dilemma—a realistic dilemma a manager might face for which students must decide how to resolve the dilemma
 - Global Sense—additional material on global issues that face managers and for which students research and discuss the implications
 - Continuing Case on Starbucks—a comprehensive case that addresses important aspects from each part in the text and for which students have several questions to answer
- Developed realistic chapter topic-relevant scenarios that our “real” managers address
- Set up decision making and change as a separate part
- Moved control material to planning part
- Placed the managing operations material in a module

Chapter-by-Chapter Changes

Chapter 1 Management and Organizations

- new chapter opener
- new “Leader Who Made a Difference”
- new discussion on social media and its importance to manager's job
- “real” manager scenarios
- updated examples
- new ethics dilemma
- new end-of-chapter cases

Chapter 2 Understanding Management: Constraints and Challenges

- new chapter opener
- new discussion on economic inequality
- “real” manager scenarios
- new “Leader Who Made a Difference”

- updated examples
- new end-of-chapter cases

Chapter 3 Managing in a Global Environment

- new chapter opener
- new material on problems in European Union and eurozone
- “real” manager scenario
- updated “Leader Who Made a Difference”
- several new examples
- new ethics dilemma
- one new and one updated end-of-chapter case

Chapter 4 Managing Diversity

- new chapter opener
- “real” manager scenarios
- updated statistics
- new “Leader Who Made a Difference”
- several new examples
- new ethics dilemma
- one new and one updated end-of-chapter case

Chapter 5 Managing Social Responsibility and Ethics

- new chapter opener
- “real” manager scenarios
- updated statistics
- new examples
- new ethics dilemma
- one new and one updated end-of-chapter case

Chapter 6 Managers as Decision Makers

- new chapter opener
- new examples
- “real” manager scenario
- updated “Future Vision” box
- updated “Leader Who Made a Difference”
- updated statistics
- new material on design thinking
- new ethics dilemma
- one new and one updated end-of-chapter case

Chapter 7 Managing Change and Innovation

- totally revised chapter opener
- new examples
- “real” manager scenarios
- updated “Future Vision” box
- updated “Leader Who Made a Difference”
- new data points box
- new material on design thinking
- revised ethics dilemma
- updated team exercise
- one new and one updated end-of-chapter case

Chapter 8 Foundations of Planning

- new chapter opener
- “real” manager scenarios
- new ethics dilemma
- one new end-of-chapter case

Chapter 9 Strategic Management

- new chapter opener
- new and updated examples
- “real” manager scenarios
- new “Leader Who Made a Difference”
- new material on design thinking as a competitive advantage
- new ethics dilemma
- two new end-of-chapter cases

Chapter 10 Managerial Controls

- new chapter opener
- new and updated examples
- “real” manager scenarios
- new material on controlling for employee performance
- new material on global turmoil
- updated statistics
- updated end-of-chapter cases

Chapter 11 Basic Organizational Design

- updated chapter opener
- “real” manager scenarios
- updated statistics
- new “Leader Who Made a Difference”
- new ethics dilemma
- updated end-of-chapter cases

Chapter 12 Adaptive Organizational Design

- new chapter opener
- some new examples
- “real” manager scenarios
- new statistics
- one new and one updated end-of-chapter case

Chapter 13 Managing Human Resources

- new chapter opener
- several new examples
- new statistics
- new “Leader Who Made a Difference”
- “real” manager scenarios
- new ethics dilemma
- one new and one updated end-of-chapter case

Chapter 14 Managing Teams

- new chapter opener
- some new statistics
- new “Leader Who Made a Difference”
- “real” manager scenarios
- two new end-of-chapter cases

Chapter 15 Understanding Individual Behavior

- updated chapter opener
- new statistics
- new “Leader Who Made a Difference”
- “real” manager scenarios
- one new end-of-chapter case

Chapter 16 Managers and Communication

- totally revised and updated chapter opener
- several new examples throughout chapter
- new “Leader Who Made a Difference”
- new statistics
- “real” manager scenarios
- new discussion of town hall meetings
- one new end-of-chapter case

Chapter 17 Motivating Employees

- new chapter opener
- new examples throughout chapter
- new statistics
- “real” manager scenarios
- new information on cross-cultural top motivators
- new ethics dilemma
- one new end-of-chapter case

Chapter 18 Managers as Leaders

- new chapter opener
- some new examples throughout chapter
- new statistics
- “real” manager scenarios
- new ethics dilemma
- one new end-of-chapter case

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SPOTLIGHT: *Manager at Work*

Farmville. Cityville. Words with Friends. Mafia Wars 2.

These are some of the more popular online games created by Zynga that are available for free on Facebook, Myspace, and Yahoo!, as apps on iPads and iPhones, and on Zynga's own Web site.¹ Founded by CEO Mark Pincus (see photo) in 2007, Zynga (named after his late dog, Zinga) is one of the world's leading social game developers and one of the tech industry's most interesting companies. The company's goal is to "connect a billion people around the world through play." But how do you build a viable business getting people "to buy a bunch of things that don't exist?" You do it with highly skilled and talented employees who are guided by highly skilled and talented managers.

Although Zynga's employees are exceptionally creative in developing virtual games, in a completely different twist, they're also good at analyzing data. While sifting through data Zynga collects when people play its online games, product managers for a game called FishVille discovered something quite interesting. Players were buying "a translucent anglerfish at six times the rate of other sea creatures, using an imaginary currency people get by playing the game." So they quickly had company artists create "a set of similar imaginary sea creatures with translucent fins and other distinctive features." One difference—this time they charged real money for the virtual fish. Players snapped them up at \$3 to \$4 each. Although the vast majority of Zynga's game players never spend any real money on its games, some players—Zynga calls them "whales," the same name used for casino high rollers—spend hundreds or even thousands of dollars a month. Zynga's revenues in 2010 were nearly \$600 million, with profits of

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\$91 million; however, as global economic uncertainties persist, the company's revenues in 2011 reached more than \$1 billion but with a net loss of \$404 million.

Recently, Zynga's employees moved into their new San Francisco headquarters



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The company's goal is to

“connect a billion people around the world through play.”

building (nicknamed *The Dog House*), which is designed to look like one of its online games come to life. In the lobby is a Western facade reminiscent of its *FrontierVille* virtual world. Parked across from the receptionist's desk is a “Zyngabago, a white 1970s Winnebago emblazoned with a giant Z.” And then there's the “time travel tube, a tunnel of 20,000 programmable LED lights.” Like most other Silicon Valley startups, Zynga's home office employees

get to enjoy amenities such as a sports bar, Zen tea garden, wellness center, and coffee station. Such surroundings are needed to lure and retain talented employees who have their pick of companies to work at. So far, Zynga's attrition rate (a measure of how many employees leave a company) runs a little over 3 percent, while the “average Silicon Valley rate is 14 percent.” Pincus believes it's a good sign that employees like the company and the culture. And it's

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- 1.2 **Tell** who managers are and where they work.
- 1.3 **Describe** the functions, roles, and skills of managers.
- 1.4 **Describe** the factors that are reshaping and redefining the manager's job.
- 1.5 **Explain** the value of studying management.