

ADR LUNCHTIME SERIES

Appreciative Inquiry: A Change Process that Builds Upon the Best!

Are you interested in learning new ways to facilitate problem solving and change processes in your organization? Are you weary of wading through the muck and mire of understanding problems and the seemingly endless contemplation of all of the things that have gone wrong, why they went wrong, and how they went wrong? Appreciative Inquiry (AI) might be just what you are looking for! AI is a change process that searches for the best in people, their organizations and that which is relevant to them. AI is a "glass half full" approach that builds upon successes and desired future states and outcomes. Come imagine your desired future!

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