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## Breakout 4: Creating a Customer-Focused Sales Culture

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#### Why Build a Customer-Focused Sales Culture?

Competition Regulatory M&A

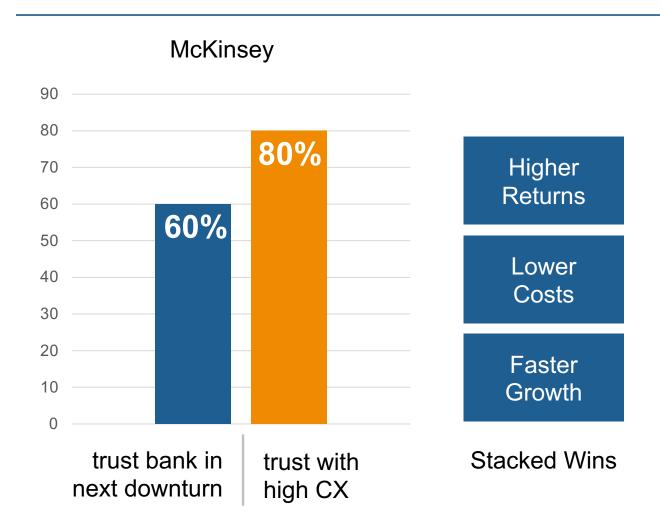
Cybersecurity Succession Trust Technology

"Digital channels are functionally correct but emotionally devoid."

- Accenture



#### Why Build a Customer-Focused Sales Culture?



- Attract, Grow & Retain Talent
- Gain & Retain Customers
- Increase Products per Household
- Nurture Small Business
- Grow the Leadership Pipeline

Right thing to do!



#### What Is Your Bank's Focus?









#### How ... Develop 3 Critical Conversations



1: With Customers (Skillset)



2: With Themselves (Mindset)

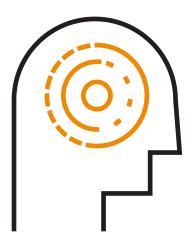


3: With Their Coach

You Must Address All Three







## Right Mindset



#### Sales Culture: What Is Selling?

How would most people complete this statement?

Selling is...

#### **Definition:**

Selling is identifying and filling needs people have and creating value for them.



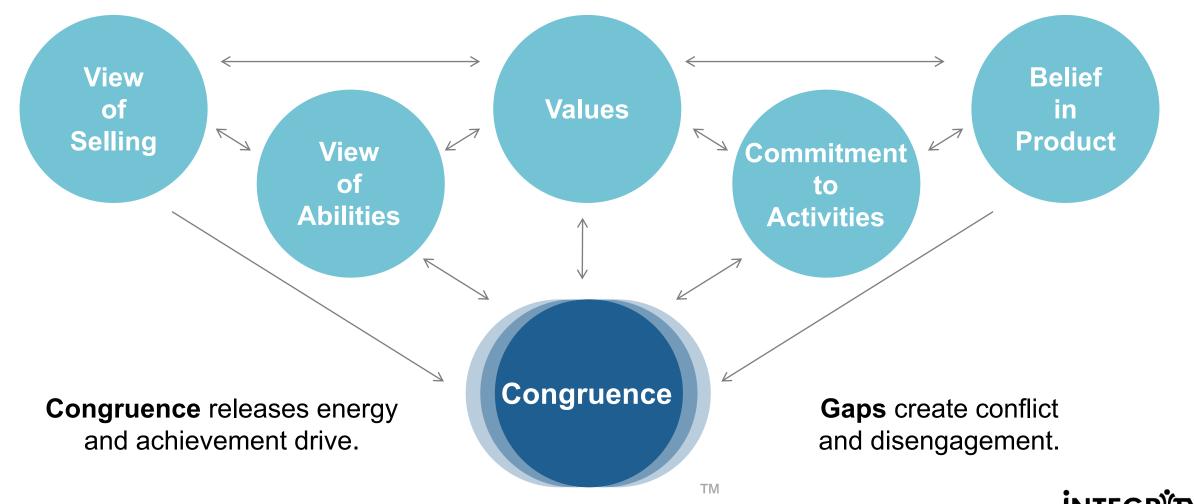
#### Align Your Selling Culture with Core Values

- 1. Truth, respect and honesty provide the basis for long-term, loyal customer relationships.
- 2. Selling is not something you do to people; it is something you do for and with them.
- 3. Understanding wants or needs precedes an attempt to offer a solution.
- 4. Gaining a commitment is a victory for everyone.

Our behaviors and actions are guided by our values.



#### Mindset: Sales Congruence







# Right Skillset



#### **Skills to Develop**



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What Skills – When – Internal or Vendor – Objectives

**Implement** 

**Conversation Model** 

Process to Identify Needs

**Common Language** 

Planning Skills

Relate to Communication Styles

Cross-Selling Skills

Asking for Referrals

Product Knowledge

Sustain

**Leadership Support** 

Manager Coaching

Train New Hires

**Measurement** 







# Leadership/ Coaching



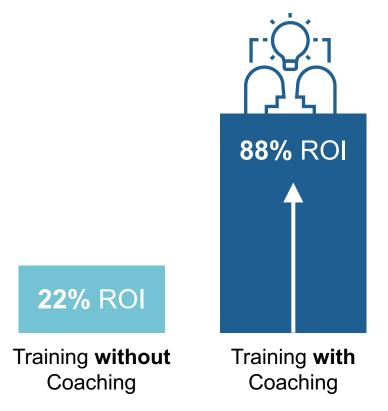
#### The Business Case for Coaching

#### **Employees Who Have Received Coaching:**

- Outperform peers by 27%
- Are significantly more engaged [+25%], apply more discretionary effort [+18%] and are substantially less likely to leave [+25%]
- The impact extend to direct reports; discretionary effort increases by 16%, promotability by 11%
- Senior leaders most effective at developing other leaders show superior business management capability and greater ability to get business results by a factor of 1.5

- Sales Executive Council, Gallup

#### **Coaching Quadruples Training ROI**



Source: Ventana Research



As a leader, you develop

loyal and satisfied employees

who create

loyal and satisfied customers.







## Results



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6x

6X increase in loan applications, increase in products-per-customer from 1.3 to 3 within two years

80

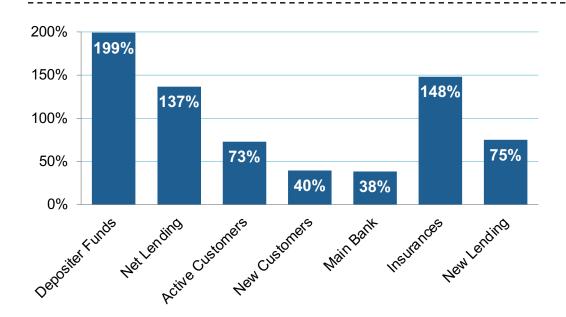
NPS from the low 60s to the high 80s in less than 1 year

23%

23% decrease in employee turnover, etc.

	Assets (MM)	Loan Volume (MM)	Deposit Volume	Households	Services Per HH
% Change	22%	26%	22%	7%	11%

"The proof is in the success metrics. Every metric – assets, loan volume, deposit volume, households and services per household – are up."



- Credit Life Sales increased by 36%
- Credit Disability increased by 20%
- GAP increased by 119%
- Extended Warranty increased by 328%
- Participants qualified for team incentive for the first time in 6 months
- Teller referrals increased by 300%





# Questions



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