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6 Ways To Protect Your Business From Getting Hacked ... Are You Doing All Of These?

1. Know your data AND your risk. What kind of data are you storing? Knowing your data can inform you of your risk, and when you know your risk, you can respond with a plan to secure that data.

2. Have backups. Losing data cripples businesses. Always schedule regular backups so you never have to worry about losing it.

3. Encrypt your data. Encryption helps to ensure that only those who have permissions can access and read your data.

4. Get better passwords. Most people use bad passwords or use the same passwords for every website.

Cybercriminals take advantage of this. Use strong passwords, two-factor authentication, and a different password for EVERY website.

5. Maintain defenses. Malware lurks in e-mails or unknown links on the web. It can harm your equipment, give hackers access to your data and hurt your business. Anti-malware software coupled with a firewall can help block these threats.

6. Educate. Your team can be your best defense. They should be educated on cyberthreats and what to do/not do when it comes to their “digital responsibility” within your company. *CPO Magazine, 6/12/2019*

projects. You become a micromanager who loses sight of the team and doesn’t play to the strengths of the experts you hired to carry the load. If you’re not delegating, projects move less efficiently and you miss important details.

You’re not thinking creatively. Because you miss crucial details, you lack perspective, and a lack of perspective makes it hard to think creatively, as research confirms. When a problem comes your way, you may not be able to solve it to the best of your abilities and you will end up creating a bigger problem.

Your business suffers. One person can only do so much, and one person cannot scale a business successfully. If you want your business to grow, you MUST hand over much of the responsibility to others. Your business must be able to run without you in the building. *Small Business Trends, 2/12/2019*

3 WAYS WORKING HARDER CAN SLOW THE GROWTH OF YOUR COMPANY

You’re not delegating. When you work too hard, it becomes easy to “take over”



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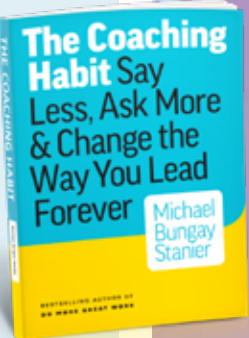
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Insider Tips To Make
Your Business Run
Faster, Easier And More
Profitably

The Coaching Habit: Say Less, Ask More & Change The Way You Lead Forever

By Michael Bungay Stanier

Do you coach your team? Do you coach them every day? In Michael Bungay Stanier’s *The Coaching Habit*, he gives you practical and accessible tools to turn coaching into second nature. Stanier has several methods to turn coaching into a real habit, from getting to the point in any conversation to understanding interpersonal issues.



It all comes down to asking the right questions, and Stanier has specific questions you should be asking: the Kickstart Question, the AWE Question, the Focus Question, the Foundation Question, the Lazy Question, the Strategic Question and the Learning Question — seven questions that will help you become a better coach.

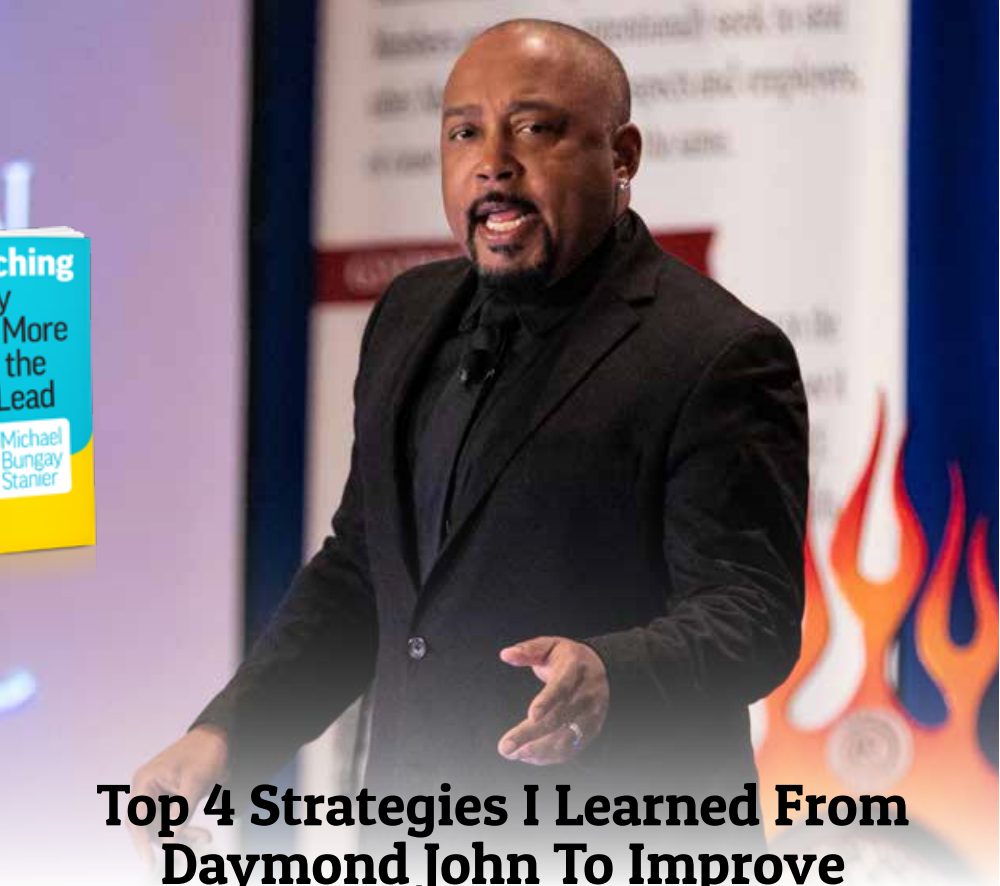
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Top 4 Strategies I Learned From Daymond John To Improve Leadership And Grow My Business

This past June, I got to hear the one and only Daymond John speak at a small private event. You may know Daymond as a successful entrepreneur who has appeared on the hit ABC show *Shark Tank*. Best known as the founder of the clothing brand, FUBU, he is also the author of *The Power Of Broke* — an insightful look into his life and what he did to find success.

Daymond brought a lot of that insight to the room. While he had a lot of great things to say, there were four business strategies that really struck a chord with me — strategies any business can learn from to improve.

INVEST IN PEOPLE This is the most important thing for a business to realize, as Daymond put it. He talked about how he (and the Sharks) invests in people, not companies. Think about it: companies come and go. In fact, most companies will go. On the other hand, people learn from their experiences (good and bad), and they grow. Putting your people first is what gives companies staying power. Your team matters, and your clients matter, and you should make every effort to ensure they know that.

DON’T BE REACTIVE — BE RESPONSIVE A lot of businesses are reactionary. This was

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