

15.316 – Universe Within

Monday, June 6 Outline

8:30

1. What makes an effective team? Think about teams you have been on that worked well and worked poorly. (15 min).
2. Introduce egg drop exercise (15 min).
3. Team construction (1 hr).
4. Testing (15 min).

10:30 Working Break

Discuss why the teams worked well/poorly. Each team prepares one overhead for sharing.

11:15

Discussion of team performance.

12:00 Lunch

1:00 Leaders and Teams

1. Team theory – GRPPI model, TeamWorkTeam, etc. (30 min).
2. 40-minute excerpt from 12 O’Clock High.
3. Discussion of movie: diagnosis, relating, visioning, inventing/implementing (30 min).

3:00 Break

3:30 Leadership / Visioning

1. Visioning: Leaders create purpose? Arm bending exercise (15 min).
2. Values – it’s your first day. What would you say to the troops? How would you like people to work together? (30 min).
3. Get in summer groups and list bullet points of what they want as team goals and norms. Fill out Lotte’s form on what makes a good team. Arrive at 5-10 bullet points that they can carry with them all summer. (20 min).

5:00 End of Day