



VIDEO SUMMARY:

Post Merger Innovation - Don't Just Integrate - Innovate!

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KEY TAKE-AWAYS:

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There is nothing bigger that can happen to an organization than M&A;

however, many do not take advantage of this opportunity to truly transform an organization.

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Historically, deals have been transactional,

meaning they focus on value capture and the short term (almost exclusively on cost synergies); we need to shift to transformative thinking and operating (this has begun to happen), which means focusing instead on value creation and the long term; in order to make this shift, we have to change not only our mindset, but also what we do.

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Culture and leadership are inherently linked because leaders influence their followers;

what feeds both is leadership skills and training.

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A way of thinking about this shift is also focusing not only on business continuity, but also on business opportunity.

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Plays (not playbooks) and becoming more Agile are the way to transform our thinking and practice and become more innovative.

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In practice, being more innovative and Agile looks like:

adopting Agile ways when dealing with uncertain revenue synergies, structuring teams in a cross-functional manner, using plays to come up with observations, ideas, and ways for delivering value.

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Plays create business breakthroughs because they operate from four vantage points,

fully taking advantage of both sides of the brain; the four are: systems, science, theater, and culture.



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