

Understanding Group Politics: People, Power and Perceptions In the Political Jungle

Group politics arise whenever people with different goals and limited resources come together. It's like watching foxes, birds and elephants compete for access to water. No wonder we call some people 'political animals!'

Why are group politics important?

If you work, play, or volunteer in a group setting, you deal with group politics. When there are multiple goals, and not enough resources to achieve them all, the animals come out to play. To reach your goals, you have to tame your own and your colleagues' inner animals.

Who is this session right for?

If you want to achieve your goals at work, in your community organization, or with any group of people while staying true to yourself, ***Understanding Group Politics*** is right for you. If your organization's members have personal or professional goals that don't completely overlap, ***Understanding Group Politics*** can help.

What Can I Expect? ***Understanding Group Politics*** is available in 2 formats:

Half- Day Workshop The workshop covers why politics exist, important skills for mastering the game, and explanations of each animal type from the scorned office shark to the admired elephant matriarch. You will learn specific tips for taming each animal using a simple 4-step model. Practice your skills in role plays and take home a workbook that will help you to tame your own jungle denizens. Attendees receive one free 30-min follow-up coaching call with the presenter.

Condensed 45-minute seminar In this condensed session we focus on why politics exist, what the animal types are, and the basic model for taming them.

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