DEALING WITH CONFLICT

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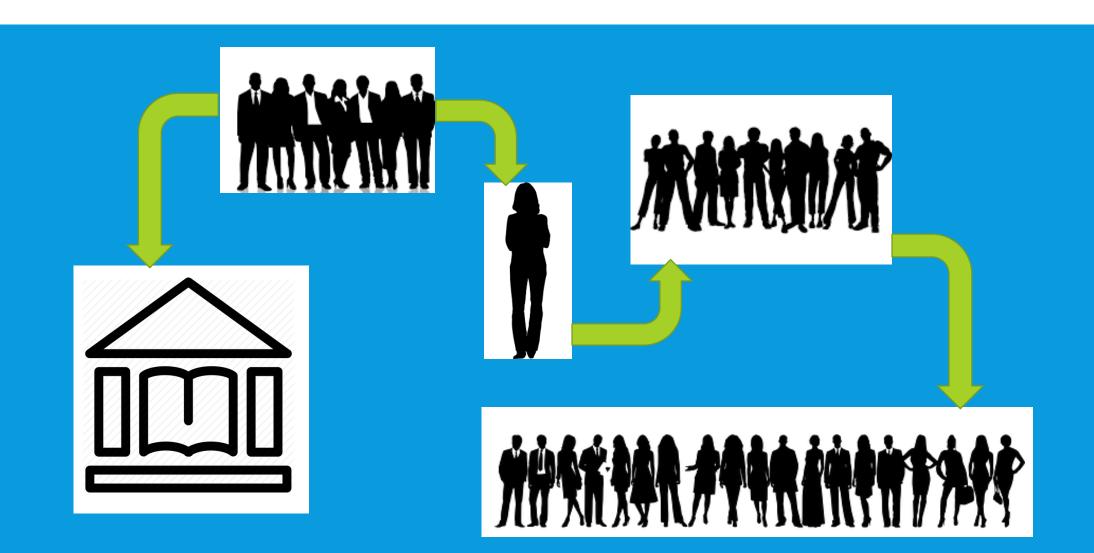
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AGENDA

- Dynamics of the Library Team
- Differences between Good and Bad conflict
- Types of conflict
- Ways to defuse and move past conflict



WORK DYNAMICS OF THE LIBRARY TEAM



CONFLICT - GOOD OR BAD

BAD CONFLICT

- Avoidance
- Self-protection
- Complaining Rather Than Managing Conflict
- Acceptance
- Discipline



GOOD CONFLICT

- Agree to learn from conflict
- Be creative
- Be flexible
- Be responsive
- Encourage idea sharing
- Look for win-win situations
- Listen



UNDERSTANDING CONFLICT

- Internal
- Interpersonal
- Behavioral
- Situational
- Perspective
- Communication



Internal

Interpersonal





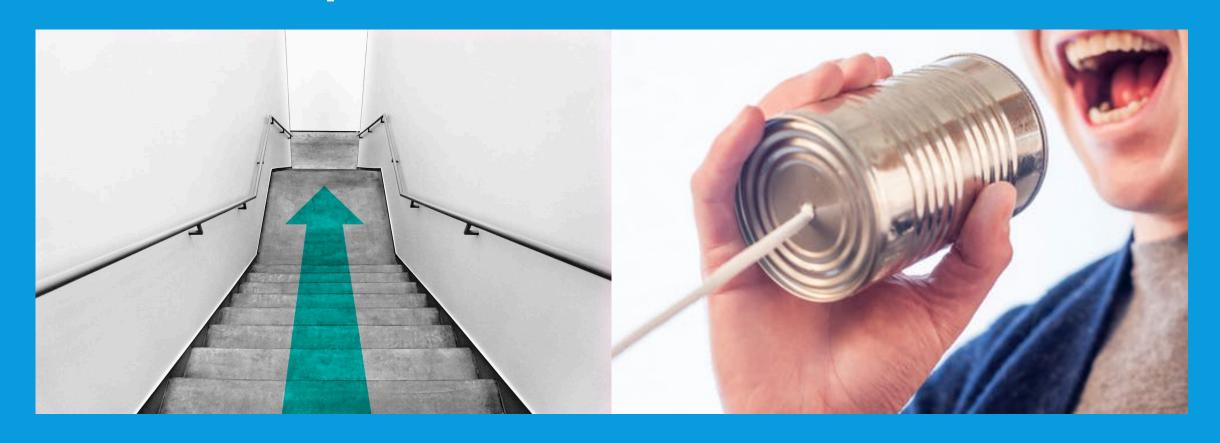
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DEFUSING CONFLICT

And moving beyond

REFRAMING CONFLICTS



CONSEQUENCE OF CONFLICT



RESOLING CONFLICT BY LISTENING

L – Listen

Don't talk. Unhappy people need to be heard before you can help

A – Apologize

Don't excuse or admit guilt, but sincerely apologize for the misunderstanding

5 – Solve the problem

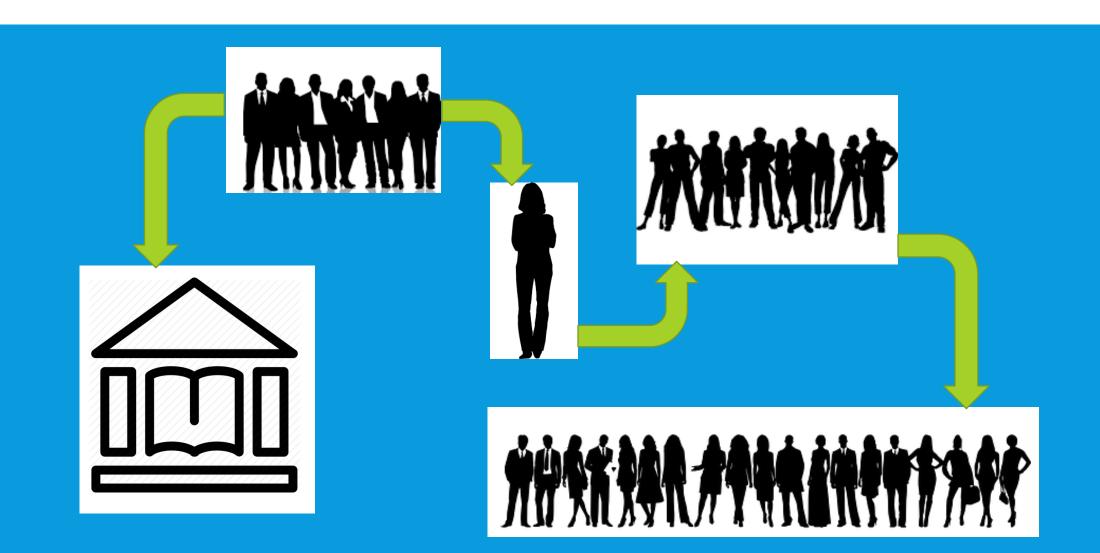
Provide an immediate response. Work together with the person to find a solution

T-Thanks

Sincerely thank the person for this opportunity, for their patience, for allowing you to serve them better

IN CONCLUSION ...

IMPORTANT REMINDER



TIPS FOR TRANSFORMING CONFLICT

- 1. Conflicts are a natural part of life
- 2. Treat conflict as an opportunity
- 3. Be aware of your initial reaction to conflict
- 4. Choose your approach



TIPS FOR TRANSFORMING CONFLICT

- 5. Listen and learn
- 6. Discover what's important
- 7. Respect each other
- 8. Be creative



QUESTIONS?

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