

Talent **Management**



# Practices, Challenges & Trends

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# Agenda

- Strauss Group Talent Management cycle
- Looking at the world around us
- Implications to Talent management
- Summarizing thoughts

Strauss Group's

# Talent management cycle



Our

# Talent Management Dilemmas

1. Talent management of **group of companies** with different products, locations, partnerships, stages in organizational life cycle
2. Who do we consider **talent**?
3. Meeting **organizational** needs as well as **individual** ones
4. In-depth process vs. an “easy to digest” one



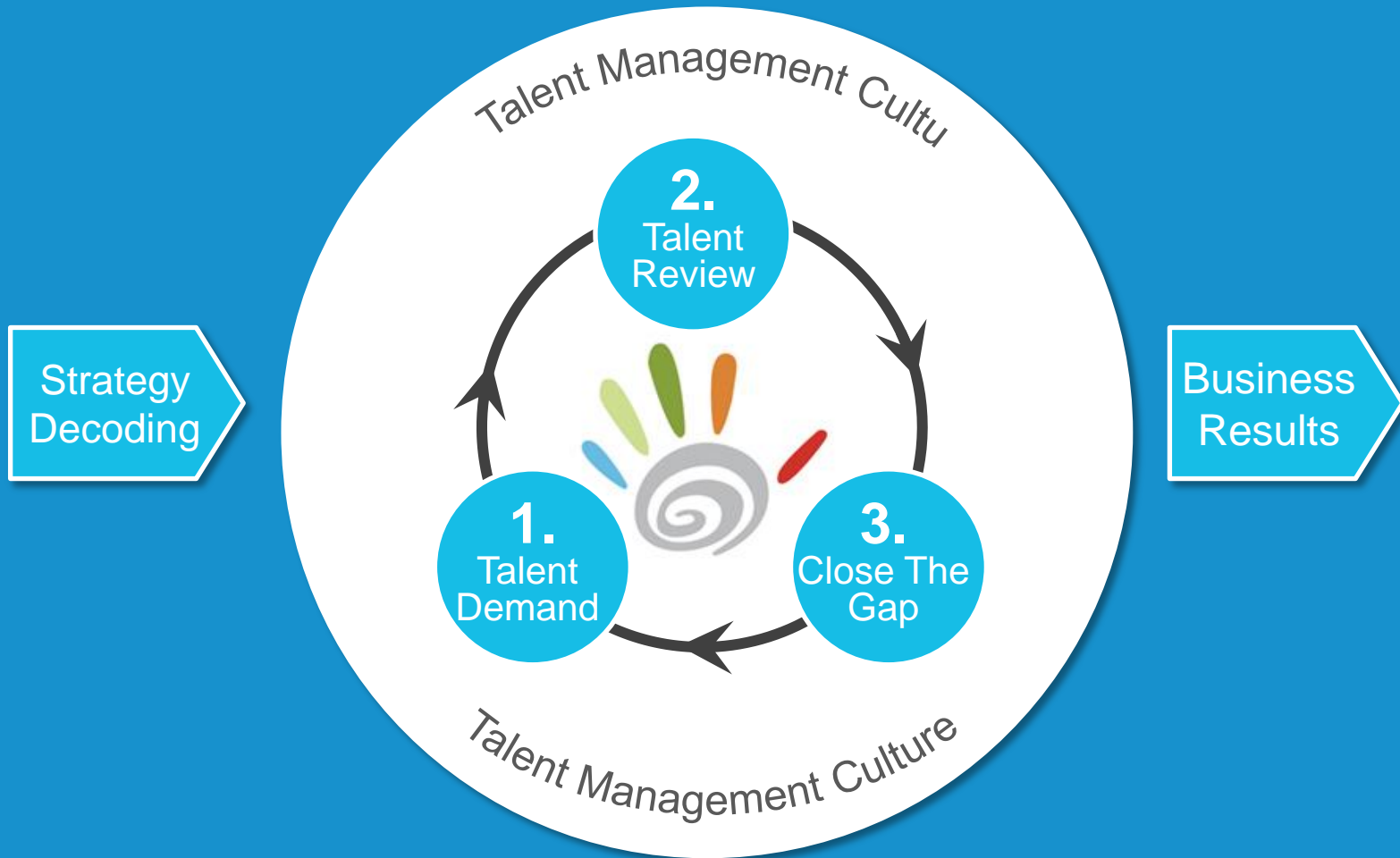
## Talent Management

# process goal

- Make sure we have the right **managers**
- in the right **roles**
- at the right **time**
- in order to execute Strauss current and future Business **Strategy**



# Talent Management



# what do we need?

Identifying the positions and competencies needed to support Strauss's business strategy

- What is the business strategy?
- What are the main challenges? The must wins?
- What is the performance needed from different populations within the group and the companies?
- What do we expect high level managers to do?  
In what way does this differ from their current performance?
- What are the critical positions & competencies?

# what do we have?

Assessment of Strauss human capital.  
Identifying strengths and development areas in  
current roles and assessing potential for future  
roles.

- What are the main strengths and areas for improvement for our top50?
- Who holds leadership potential?
- Which are the critical roles and who can assume them in the future?



# Close the gap

Developing leaders in order to ensure leadership excellence and continuity and supporting the strategic goals.

- What are the main risks?
- How can we mitigate them?
- What are the developmental needs, and accordingly, the needed development plans (both on the personal and group levels)?

# Looking from The Individual's Perspective

Adapting to needs of individuals who bring unique value:

- Getting new talent onboard towards future roles
- Personalized onboarding processes
- Individual talent review to examine individual junctions and next steps as well as opportunities
- Ongoing examination of existing talent and internal opportunities
- Flexible work environment adapted to personal needs



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Today's  
**organizational**  
& leadership  
**challenges**



# Challenges

the business &  
social environment

- Change
- Globalization
- Technology
- Communities and social media
- Demographic trends

# Challenges the organization

- Breaking the existing paradigms
- Multiple generations and generation Y
- Employee – organization contract
- Perception of authority

# Therefore....

- Talent is becoming an **even more critical** success factor in enabling business success
- The price of **not managing talent** is seen, measurable, known
- **Volatility** makes the talent definition a dynamic one
- **Shortage** of talent
- Building talent engagement and loyalty is becoming a **challenge**

# The 4 Ds

Talent management  
implications

# THE 4 DS- IMPLICATIONS TO TALENT MANAGEMENT

## 1 DEFICIENCY- TALENT SHORTAGE

- Talent comes in many forms
- Retaining our existing talent
- More focus on talent planning (pipeline, successors, identifying roles which are in the critical path to executive growth) and of taking calculated risks ahead of time
- Readiness for dynamic talent flow (on-boarding, separation, knowledge management)



# THE 4 DS- IMPLICATIONS TO TALENT MANAGEMENT

## 2 DIVERSITY OF TALENT

- Diverse talent – in terms of ages, locations, background, generations etc....
- Inclusive culture & leaders:
  - Widening recruitment sources
  - Inclusive recruitment skills
  - Inclusive on boarding
  - Openness, dialogue, making all voice heard

# THE 4 DS- IMPLICATIONS TO TALENT MANAGEMENT

## 3 DIALOGUE WITH TALENT

- Adapting to Gen Y expectations and dialogue (individual customization, choice, involvement, flexibility, organizational value proposition for its people)
- Different balance between various engagement factors
- Implications to contract, work relations, rewards, recognition, development and growth...

# THE 4 DS- IMPLICATIONS TO TALENT MANAGEMENT

## 4 DYNAMIC TALENT MANAGEMENT

We must be ready for the next change and combine short and long term:

- Process wise- conduct focused, light, modest processes that take place on a routine basis. Not creating too big of a gap between the organization's talent management and needs.
- People wise- Choose and train our people to be ready to change with the organization and make the best out of it. The ability to learn, change, and network becomes very critical.

And ongoing challenging of assumptions.



Back to the ground....

# implications to our TM cycle

1. Insisting on conducting in on an annual basis
2. Tightening the process into a digestible one
3. Examining it through the diversity lens
4. Developing our inclusive awareness and skills
5. More talent planning
6. Trying to be in the strategy delivery room
7. Re asking.... Re asking... Re asking.....

A close-up photograph of a young girl with blonde hair, smiling broadly. She is wearing a blue denim jacket over a patterned orange scarf and a green backpack strap. She is holding a bright yellow flower. The background is a blurred field of green grass and yellow flowers.

Thank  
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