

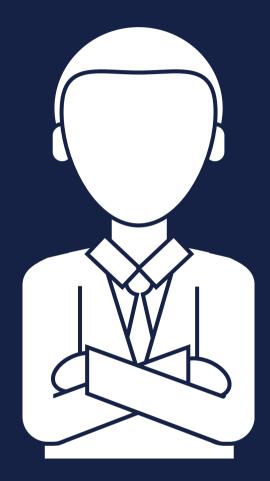
## ACTIVATE 180

### THE SCIENCE OF TRUST: HOW TO NAVIGATE CHANGE WITH ADAPTABLE TEAMS

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# How do you naturally cross your arms?

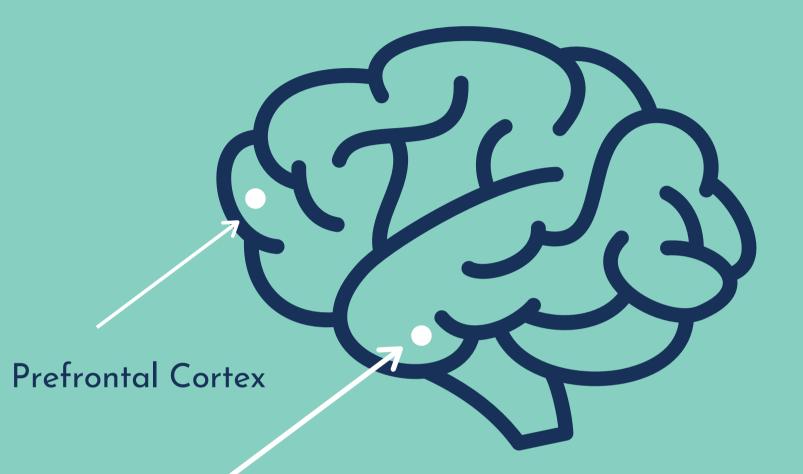


# Now, cross your arms the "other" way.





We are hardwired to move towards what's familiar and move away from what's unfamiliar.





## Amygdala



## OUR PERCEPTION OF CHANGE



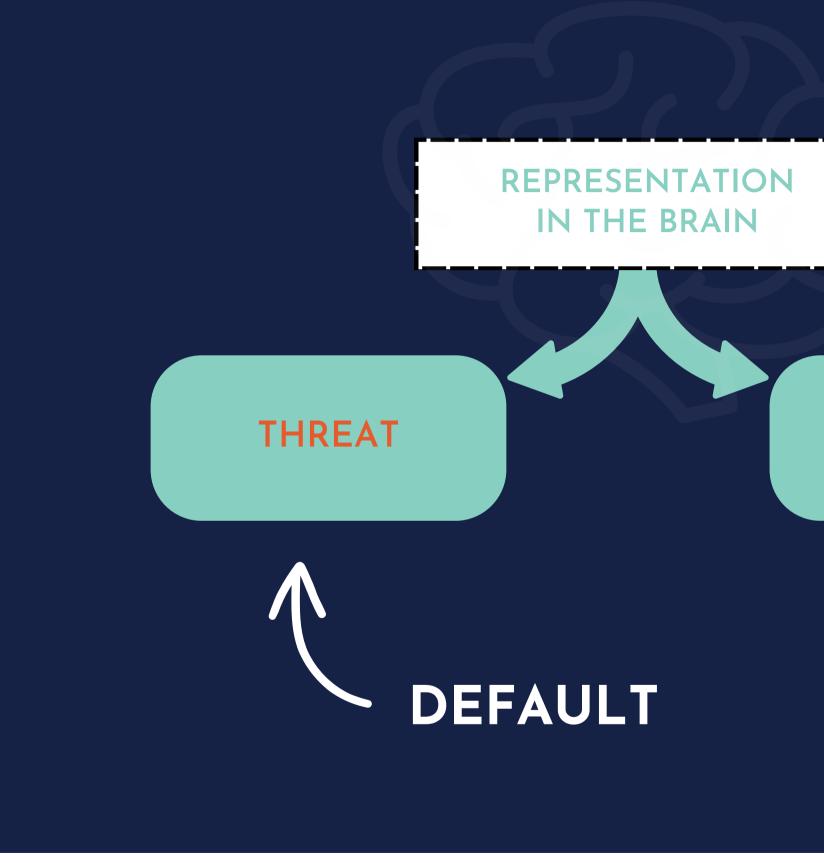
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#### REPRESENTATION IN THE BRAIN

#### **OPPORTUNITY**



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# OPPORTUNITY

#### EUSTRESS





"The Primal Brain is wired to avoid the new, the different, and the unusual.

Once it has determined that a change may not be as threatening to us as initially assessed, only then can our rational brain can kick in and assess the possibility of change."

-Christopher Morin, PhD



## Meet Ray Kurzweil

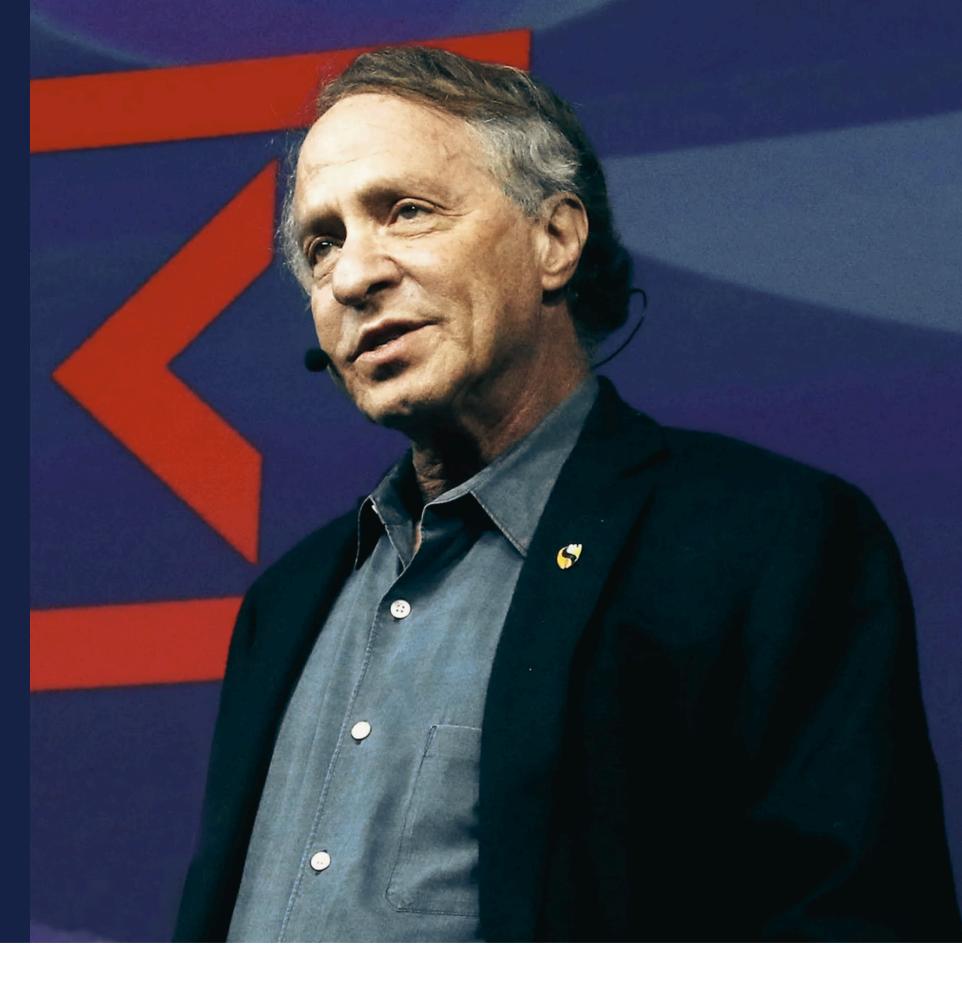


One of the world's leading inventors, thinkers, and futurists

- Honors from 3 U.S. presidents
- National Inventors Hall of Fame member
- Holds 21 honorary Doctorates



▶ 86% accuracy rate (127/147 on future predictions)





## CHANGE IS INEVITABLE

"We won't experience 100 years of change in the 21st century — it will be more like 20,000 years of change (at today's rate)."

Ray Kurzweil





#### POLL

## CURRENT RATE OF TECHNOLOGICAL ADVANCEMENT.

## Threat or Opportunity?

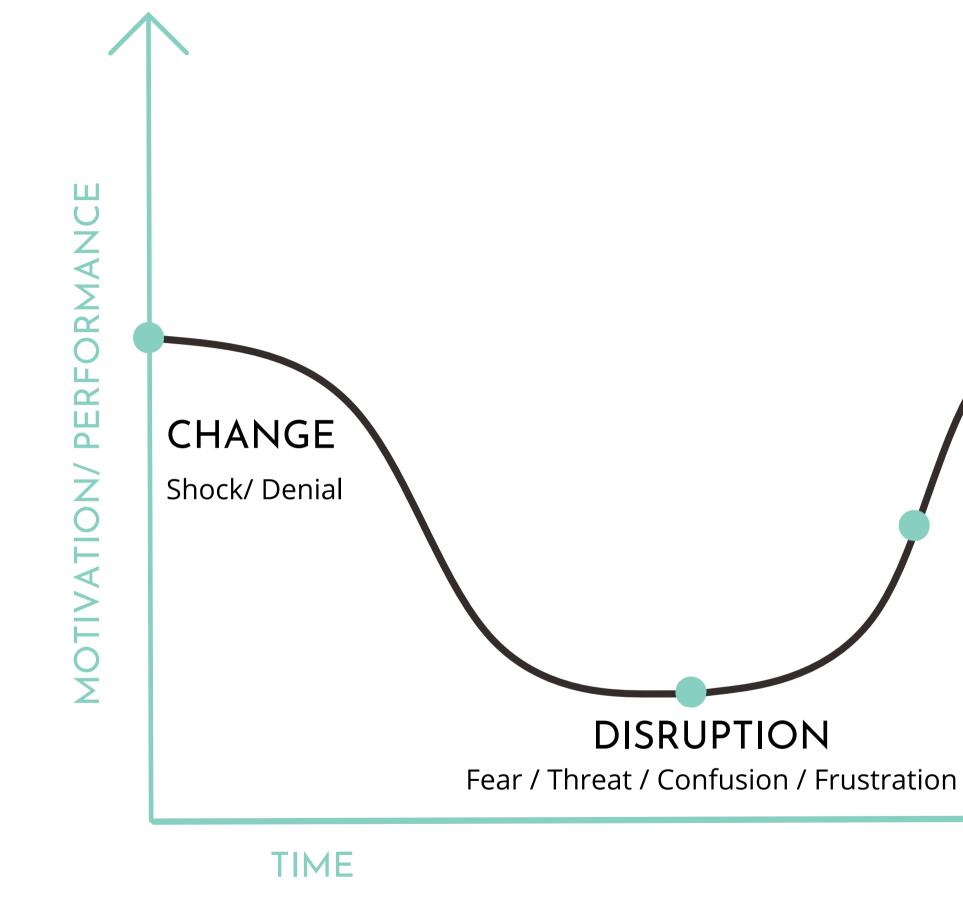


## If change is constant...

## How do we build teams equipped to navigate change?



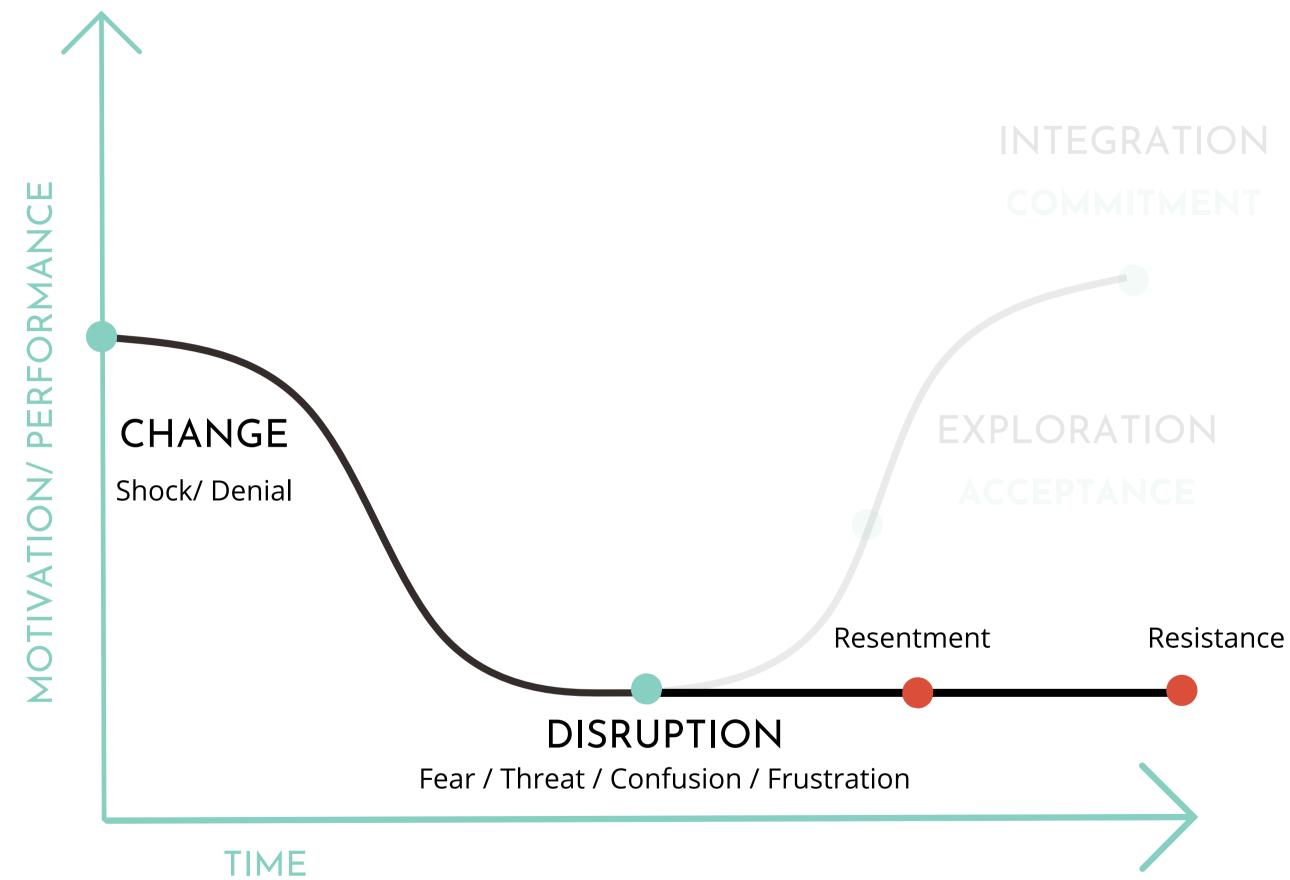
### CHANGE CURVE



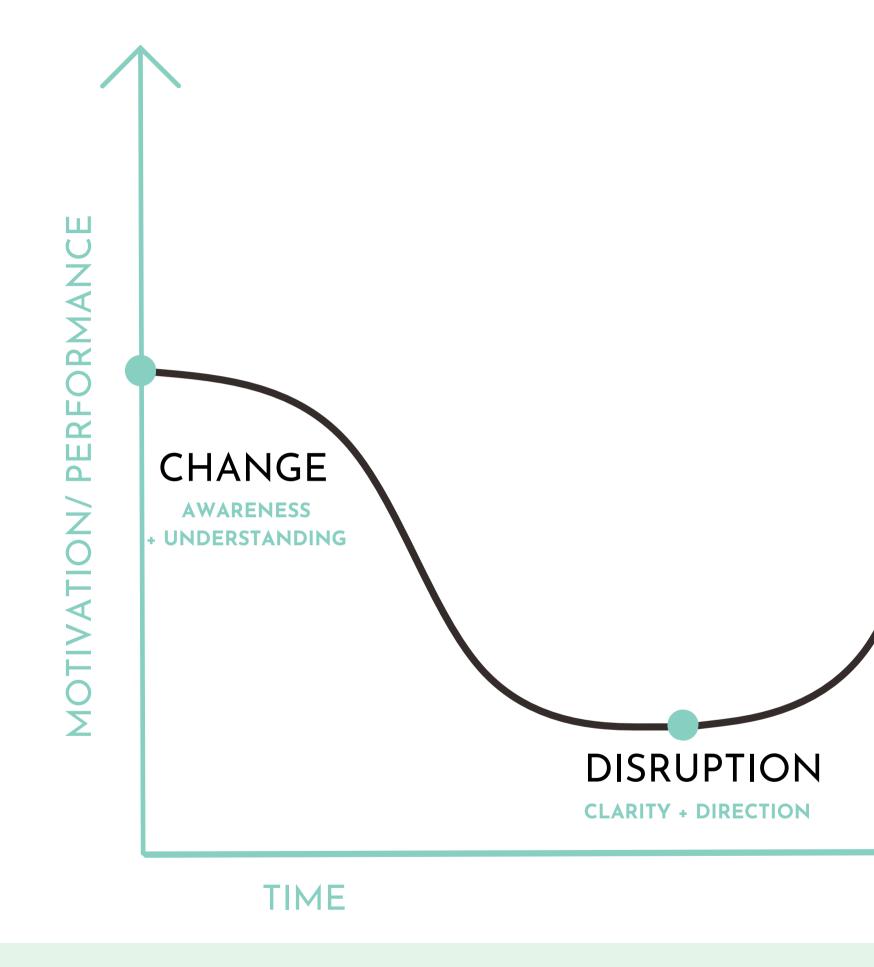
#### INTEGRATION



## INEFFECTIVE **CHANGE** MANAGEMENT



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**COMMITMENT + SUPPORT** 





**ENVIRONMENT** ADAPTABLE (1) Are we creating the right environment for individuals and teams to be adaptable? TEAMS



### CAPABILITY

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Are we developing the right skills + executing the right strategies effectively to be adaptable?

Are we creating the right environment for individuals





## Think of one person who you work with & you trust the most.

What are the characteristics?



## AUTHENTICITY

I experience the real you.

## TRUST

### RELIABILITY

Your actions align with your words; you are consistent & you follow-through.



### CARE

I believe you genuinely care about me and my success.



#### REFLECTION

## Think of a team you've worked with that had a lack of trust.

What happened as a result?





## Think of a team that you've worked with where you felt the most collective trust.

What are the characteristics?



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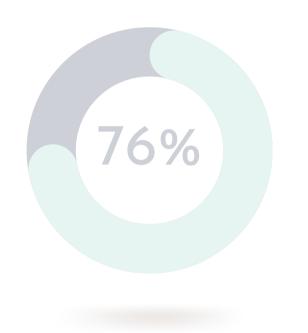
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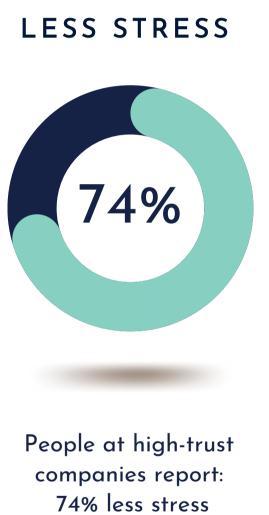


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## TRUST

## Building trust is a <u>competency</u>, a set of skills that can be learned, improved and practiced.



## 8 THINGS HIGH TRUST TEAMS DO WELL

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"The single biggest problem in communication is the illusion that it has taken place".

George Bernard Shaw



Organizations with effective change and communication strategies are 355 more likely to outperform their peers

Source: Towers Watson (2014)

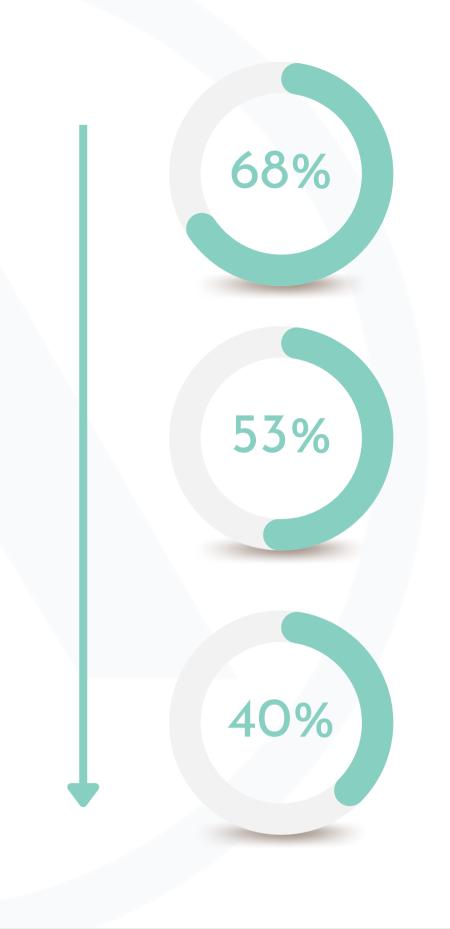




# of organizational change initiatives

Source: McKinsey & Company (2015)





## of **senior managers** say they understand <u>why</u> the organizational change is happening

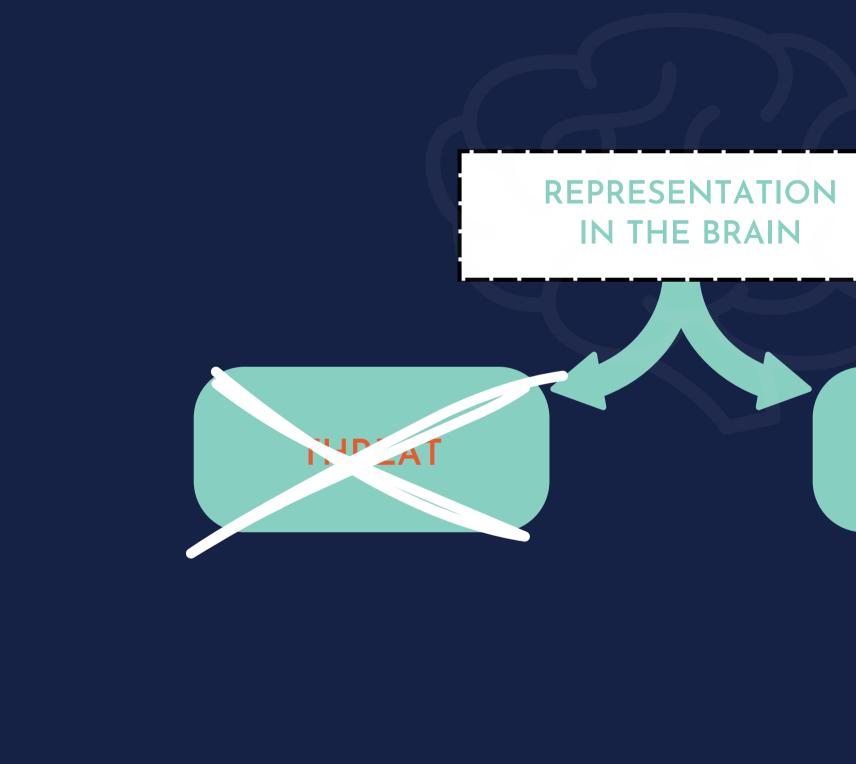
### of middle managers understand the change

### of **front-line supervisors** understand the change

Source: Towers Watson (2014)



## OUR PERCEPTION OF CHANGE



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#### **OPPORTUNITY**





### NEW LEARNING



### INTEGRATION



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# What is one way that you can start to increase trust on your team?



## THANK YOU



