



Building on the Promise of Diversity: How We Can Move to the Next Level in Our Workplaces, Our Communities, and Our Society

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AMACOM. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 256 pages. Dimensions: 8.8in. x 5.9in. x 0.7in. The numbers were achieved. The workshops attended. Most people in your organization have gotten their isms under control. But here you are again, recycling yet another round of costly diversity programs -- and still unable to overcome the problems and reap the benefits of your diverse workforce. That's because most organizations, despite good intentions and hard work, are stuck in their diversity efforts, says R. Roosevelt Thomas, Jr., a leading diversity expert who has continually raised the bar on how we think and act on a complex array of diversity issues. In our communities as well as in our workplaces, a feeling of frustration has emerged as the promise of the Civil Rights Movement and affirmative action has become overly politicized and polarizing. But managing diversity is not a new issue. In fact, it is both a hallmark and core challenge that organizations and society have confronted since the founding of America, an experiment in diversity. Building on the Promise of Diversity is Thomass impassioned wake-up call to bring diversity management to a wholly new level -- beyond finger-pointing and well-meaning initiatives and toward the shared...



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