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LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT SKILLS FOR ENGAGING AND MOTIVATING SELF AND OTHERS

The old ways of leading don't work in today's business culture. Join Executive Coach Stephen Friedman to learn new leadership skills based on motivation and passion. Explore new progressive and actionable approaches to leading and influencing others. Learn the limitations on some of the traditional approaches associated with success today, and how the future lies in effective leadership approaches that are centered on advanced personal and interpersonal communication tools.

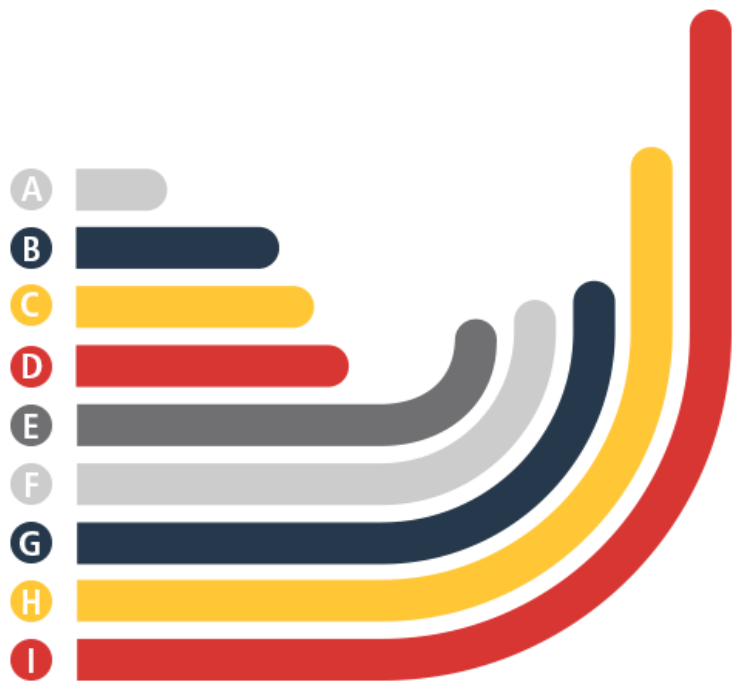
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AMERICANS MOST VALUE FREEDOM OF SPEECH

Freedom of speech is the most important constitutional right, according to a recent survey from *FindLaw.com*. They asked 1,000 American adults to rank the rights enumerated in the U.S. Constitution and the Bill of Rights in order of importance:

- A. Freedom of the press: 2%
- B. Criminal trial rights: 4%
- C. Protection against unreasonable search & seizure: 5%
- D. Protection against cruel & unusual punishment: 6%
- E. Voting rights: 10%
- F. Free exercise of religion: 11%
- G. Right to keep and bear arms: 12%
- H. Due process rights: 20%
- I. Freedom of speech: 30%

Poll results varied among age groups. For example, older people tend to place more importance on due process rights and the right to bear arms, while younger people place more importance on freedom of speech and protection against cruel and unusual punishment.



Quick Stat

44 percent of recruiters report that social media has improved the quantity and quality of candidates for their positions.

Source: *"Social Media Recruiting: Connect Your Way to Better Candidates,"* by Burton Taylor.

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"Every member of a team is in a leadership position. Leadership is about realizing that everybody has an equal responsibility to help the team move toward a goal and be looking out for one another."

– Alison Levine, from "Peakanomics" keynote address, 2015 ALA's 2015 Annual Conference & Expo

