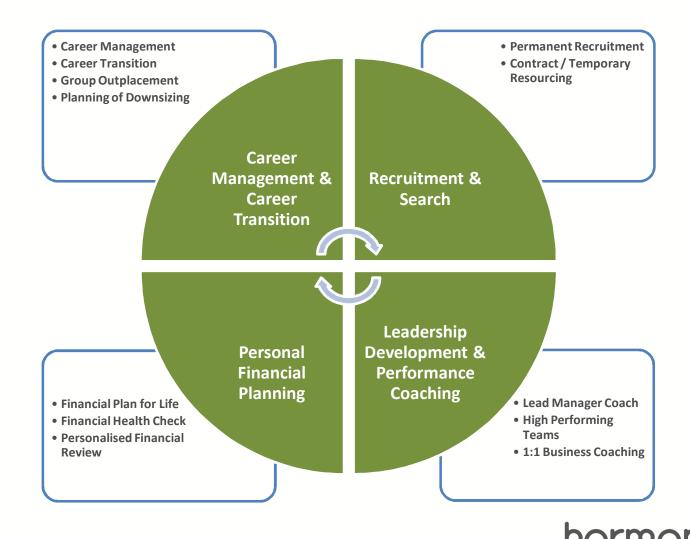
# Rethinking My Career Direction

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## What we do



#### **Our Clients**



















































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#### World of Work

What's happening out there

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How to rethink and sustain career transition

## **Rethinking Tips**

**Parting Advice** 





# Are you sheepwalking?





# "Heads Up Rugby"





#### **Employment Sectors in Ireland**

#### **High Growth Sectors -208k jobs**

Continued potential to increase in the medium term

- Information and communications technology (ICT)
- · Health Life Sciences
- International Financial Services
- Agri-Food
- Internationally traded services

#### **New Sectors -270k jobs**

Small in employment terms but are expected to grow significantly

- Clean / Green technologies
- Creative digital media and content industries
- Marine and maritime
- Healthcare (ehealth services)

#### Traditional sectors -604k jobs

Employment has been badly hit but where there will be some demand in the medium term but not getting back to pre-recession levels

- Tourism and hospitality
- Retail and Wholesale
- Transport
- · Logistics and distribution
- Construction (other than eco construction projects)

#### Locally traded sectors - 455k jobs

Depending on a return to consumption to drive growth

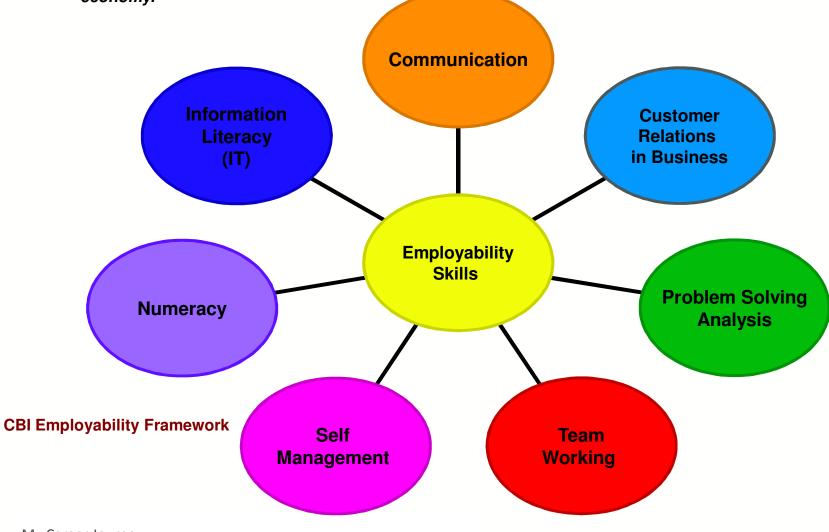
- Professional and business services
- Medical services
- Personal services

A significant number of opportunities will also arise from **replacement demand** – around **44,000 jobs per annum**. These will arise across **all occupational sectors**..

#### **Employability Skills in the jobs market**



"A set of attributes, skills and knowledge that all labour market participants should possess to ensure they have the capability of being effective in the workplace – to employer and the wider economy."





#### 70% of jobs growth – Creative work



Routine work can be outsourced!

# **Employability Languages +**

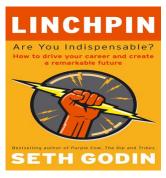




+ Sales skills =



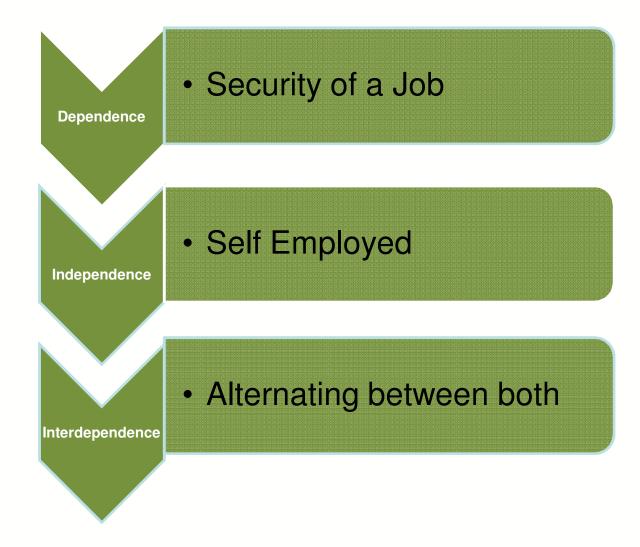
+ Architecture =



+ Career Vision =

#### **Future Trend**





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# Most people today looking for a quick fix

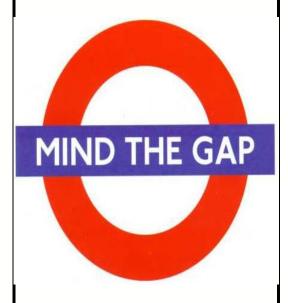




# **POSITION**



# **CURRENT**



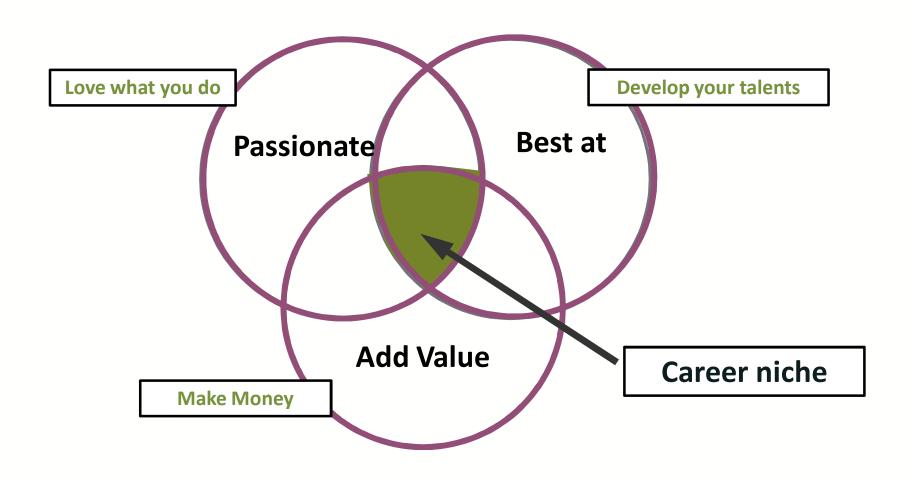
#### **FUTURE**



My Career Journey

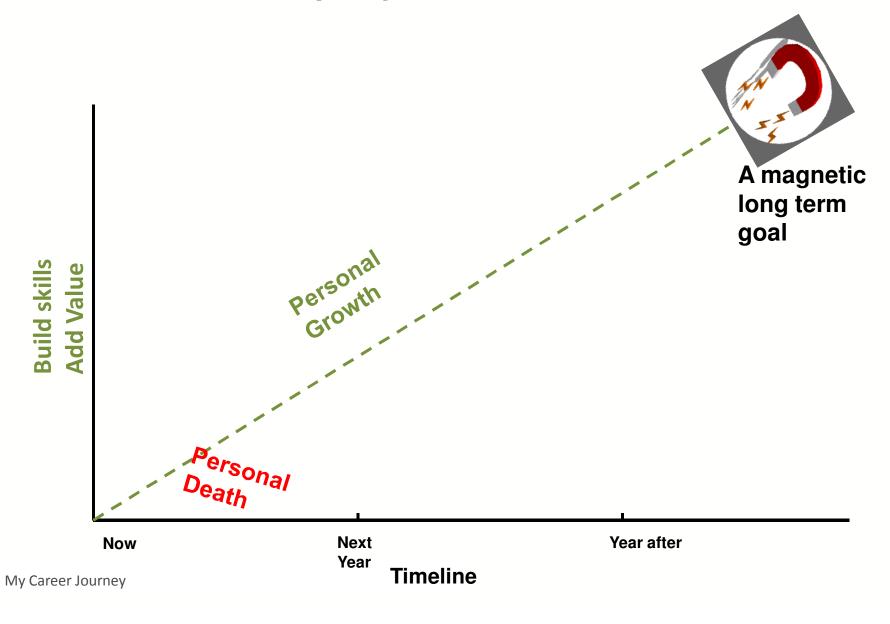


#### How to build sustainable career satisfaction





#### What will pull you forward?





#### **Common Career Barriers**

Our thoughts become our World

What is really stopping you?

I want a seamless No jobs out transition there? I can't afford to change I don't know now what else I because of could do family If I move jobs now, I will be last in and maybe first out

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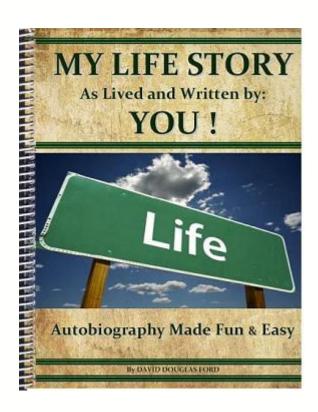
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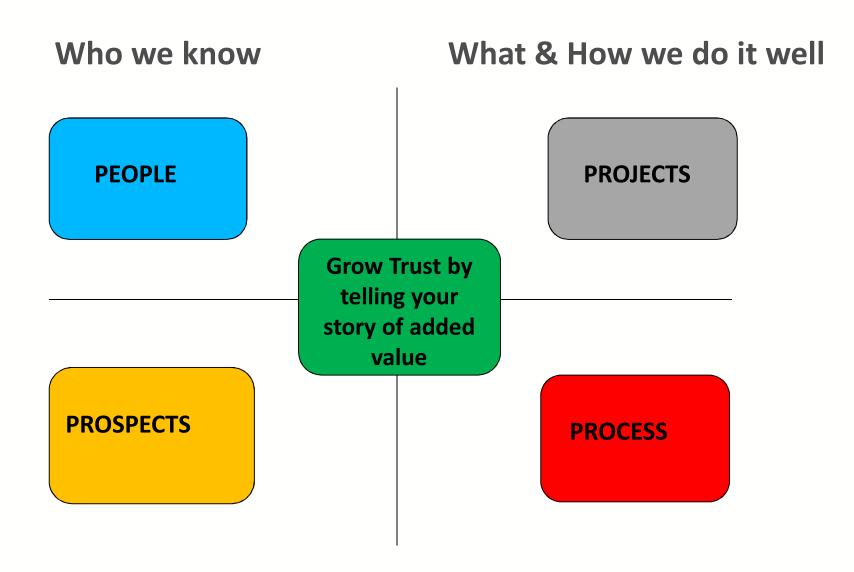


# Marketing is the act of telling stories Know your own Story





#### **Personal Career Brand**





#### **Career Tips for Future**

- Be Yourself you can be no one else!
- o Is your video congruent with your audio?
- Be a Role Model others want to follow
- What message do you send out daily?
- Be Passionate in everything you do
- Wherever you get your energy do more!



#### **Career Tips for Future**

- Rethink your job 80% of people flatline in their jobs after 1 year
- Rethink your resources we all have choices, all of our achievements come outside our comfort zone
- Recession opportunities a time build skills and grow leadership capability and step up to the challenge
- The difference between you now and in 5 years the books you read, the people you meet and the actions you take!



# "Most people are lazy"



## 3 Last pieces of advice

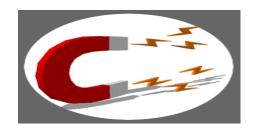




Get off the couch



Get a Coach



**Know what you want** 



#### A parting thought ......



You are looking at the person most responsible for your career every morning...what do you see?