

## Recommended Reading List (in order of relevance)

Habitually Excellent by Harold Chapman

*The Seven Habits of Operational Excellence*

Toyota Kata by Mike Rother

*The culture of Lean Implementation – coaching and problem-solving*

Creating a Lean Culture by David Mann

*Hands-on implementation, management culture*

Getting the Right Things Done by Dennis Pascal

*Strategic Improvement (Hoshin Kanri)*

The Toyota Way by Jeffery K. Liker

*14 Management Principles of the world's greatest manufacturer*

The Goal by Eliyahu M. Goldratt

*Lean Manufacturing and the Theory of Constraints*

Learning to See by Mike Rother and John Shook

*Value Stream Mapping – Plant Level Flow*

Creating Continuous Flow by Mike Rother and Rick Harris

*Process Level Flow*

Introduction to TPM by Seiichi Nakajima

*Total Productive Maintenance*

Lean Lexicon by Lean Enterprise Institute

*Glossary of Lean Terms*

The Four Disciplines of Execution by Sean Covey

*Execution of Strategy*

Good to Great by Jim Collins

*Leadership aspect of Continuous Improvement*

Great by Choice by Jim Collins

*Organizational Direction and Improvement*

The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People by Stephen R. Covey

*Personal effectiveness*

The 21 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership by John Maxwell

*Leadership*

The 17 Indisputable Laws of Teamwork by John Maxwell

*Leading teams*

Additional Recommended Authors: W. Edwards Deming, Joseph M. Juran, and Taiichi Ohno