

Working Better Together: Working Smarter with Humour & Creativity©

Consider the power of humour; 96% of surveyed US executives believe that people with a sense of humour do better at their jobs, while an Ipsos-Reid poll found that 93% of British Columbians 'believe that having fun will lead to a healthy, successful life.'

When practiced strategically a sense of humour is inclusive - it brings people together. When done appropriately, it can unite hundreds of people in a common action: teamwork through laughter. In our current workplaces where stress is high and differences are many, learn the power of humour to bring out the best parts of your team and help improve your workplace productivity and innovation.

RPS Inc., the founders of the **Humour in the Workplace Award**, will guide you through a fun, funny and fast paced workshop designed to both highlight principles behind using humour to team build and leave you with many practical tools that can be implemented immediately. Included in the workshop are insights into improvisation, a mainstay of humour, which will help you manage negative situations better, innovate and listen and communicate more instinctively.

Warning: group groans (a.k.a. activities that are silly or embarrassing) are avoided at all costs.

"I cannot express enough how much I enjoyed your session yesterday. You have a great team and it was terrific reminder about the importance of combining fun and learning in the workplace."

~ **Noreen Finnerty, Manager Human Resources, Legal Services Society**

Direct benefits to participants:

- Learn how and when to unleash humour
- Discover the connection between humour and innovation
- Ten exercises that help you create comedy
- The do's and don'ts of humour in the workplace
- Brainstorming session on appropriate humour activities
- The latest techniques in creating creative and innovative individuals and teams
- Skill sharing and story telling
- Experience the effects of contrast and surprise in comedy and innovation
- Experience a chance to create an innovation program for your workplace
- Customized resource package on how to add humour to the workplace

RPS is where great minds come to play.