



Arnold Thielman

Perceptive, Reflective Program Manager

Speaks:

Dutch, English, Spanish, and Papiamentu, a creole language from the Dutch Caribbean island of Bonaire, where he was born.

What He Likes About His Job:

The people he works with. The strong culture of teamwork, inclusion, and continuous improvement.

Described As:

Honest. Thorough. Diligent.

Recent Success At Work:

He was part of a functional team that led an Employee Development initiative, with the goal of developing the workforce, enhancing employee retention, and fostering a working environment that values the individual's growth and contribution.

Surprising Fact:

He's a painter and holds both a Bachelor's and a Master's Degree in Fine Arts. Eventually, he hopes to rent a studio where he can paint.

Person With Greatest Impact On His Life:

His mother. He admires her willingness to give beyond her means, her ability to stay calm when facing challenges, and her respect for others, despite political, social, religious, or racial differences.

One Benefit Of Diversity

If you want to innovate, you have to bring lots of different viewpoints to the table.

Last Great Book He Read:

"What Is The What" by Dave Eggers. It depicts the journey that Valentino Achak Deng, a refugee from the Sudanese civil war, made from the south of Sudan to Ethiopia, Kenya, and ultimately the U.S.

Philosophy Of Life:

Treat others the way you wish to be treated.