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Editor's Introduction to Reviews and Research of Note Section

With this issue of *Organization Management Journal* come some exciting new changes to this section. Formerly "Research of Recent Note," this section has been expanded to include book reviews. Additionally, we have added more journals from which we draw both conceptual and empirical articles to be summarized and interpreted. This expansion allows us to offer a wider array of findings useful to both practitioners and researcher alike. I am reprinting the Section mission that you will soon see on our website below.

The current issue offers two book reviews and a summary of a recent research article. All three offer practical advice for leaders - advice about aesthetic leadership, values-based leadership, and examining the "expertness" of members when creating teams.

We invite any readers who might be interested to suggest books that might be of interest to the OMJ community that they might like to review in a format similar to that on display in this issue. We also invite readers to suggest research articles they might like to summarize and interpret for our readership. Just let me or Editor-in-Chief Bill Ferris know what you might like to contribute. We promise to give your suggestions every consideration.

We hope you enjoy our new format and these wonderful articles. Here is the new mission for your information:

Reviews & Research of Note publishes both book reviews and article analyses.

Reviews are of books that we deem noteworthy and of probable interest to our readers. Readers are invited both to suggest titles for review and to query us about a review if they wish to offer one. We will also invite reviews from time to time. Reviews normally summarize main ideas from the book under review and offer commentary on the value and implications of the work. The editors reserve the right not to publish any reviews they deem to be of low interest to our readers, whether voluntarily submitted or invited.

Research of Note usually consists of a short but informative summary and interpretation of current conceptual or empirical research that informs practicing managers and other interested parties about new knowledge in the field of management and organizations. Research findings cover a wide array of management issues and provide a broad representation of the current research in the field. Each article is designed to provide clear links between recent research and practice in order to enhance the practice and profession of management. Again, the editors normally invite Research of Note articles but will accept queries. Publication is subject to editorial discretion.

Research of Note draws its material from seven Academy of Management-affiliated publications:

- **Academy of Management Journal**, published by the Academy of Management
- **Academy of Management Review**, published by the Academy of Management
- **Academy of Management Learning & Education**, published by the Academy of Management
- **Academy of Management Perspectives**, published by the Academy of Management
- **Group and Organization Management**, published by Sage in association with the Eastern Academy of Management
- **Journal of Management**, published by Sage in association with the Southern Management Association
- **Journal of Management Inquiry**, published by Sage in association with the Western Academy of Management

Research of Note articles may be written by the original authors of the research on which they are based, or may be summarized and interpreted by other scholars or practicing managers. In every case, Research of Note material is written by those interested in making explicit for practicing managers the knowledge and insights that may be derived from academic research.

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