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Dare-to-Do: MF4s Model for International Researchers



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The Higher Education forum (HEF) vision is to coordinate both arts and science researchers in international environment. "Dare-to-Do" is a key point I want to share with international research friends. Funny and unanswered debate here is all of you understand IQ management: understanding yourself, I think, and I am. As a result, most international researchers face the same problems: understanding myself, others don't understand me. If you use the EQ management concept: understanding others and doing research with more happiness. Then, you will find new values "more" than you expect in research activities.

It is my proposed new research idea called "Dare-to-Do". This model is based on the four MFs factors: More fun, More Friends, More flexible, and More Fund. Details are as follows;

Firstly, More fun. The whole research project makes many researchers feel hard and difficult, but startup 'research topic' makes them feel more harder and more difficult. Therefore, you should read the various and previous studies with "fun". You should feel like you play game or watch a nice movie. Don't do it with "stress" or under "pressure" feeling.

Secondly, More friends. Don't think alone, try using new social media likes WeChat, Line, Skype, YouTube, Google, and Facebook to get "more friends". In international perspective, "know Who" is more important than "Know How". "More friends" word means less time to do more research topic or project. Trust me! more heads are better than one head.

Thirdly, More flexible. Research methodology consists of both qualitative and quantitative method. Don't waste your time, money, and energy with impossible research method. Change research style from "Impossible" to "I'm possible" concept. In population and sampling size, you can apply this tool to solve the unexpected problems.

Finally, More fund. New researchers face similar problems: funding. If you are new and startup researcher. Your status is "nobody". Try to be "somebody" as fastest way in your research field. I strongly suggest that you should form "research structure" which looks "professional team and strong research teamwork". At the starting point, for instance, you should organize senior researcher as head of your research project, research team, and keep contact various universities or private organizations to support your research funding since changing from "nobody" to be "somebody" is the most effective way to get funding for your research. Of course, frequently going to international conference will connect you to international researchers and you will learn by yourself "how to get research fund".

To be successful researcher, it is not easy task, it takes continuing time from five to ten years or even may be your whole life to reach your target goal. However, when you feel upset or very tired, keep in mind only two important words: "be patient" and "never give up". Startup from little project and slowly year to year basis will help you make strong experience and background in your research area, thereafter, you will get the top position in research title as you wish.

I hope this model will be 'click & quick" research idea for your shorter way to success as international researchers. Thank you for joining us! Hope you joint other HEF conferences in various countries with more fun, more friends, more flexible, and more fund.

I hope to see you again.

