

The Risk It Practitioner Guide

This book provides a much needed 'middle ground' for risk practitioners who need an in-depth understanding of risk management without excessive formulae or theory. Written to appeal to a broad but financially-minded audience, it provides coverage of risk management and the frameworks commonly applied in the financial services industry.

Moving towards resiliency is more than just implanting policy and procedure; it is a process that takes organizations on a winding path requiring patience and tolerance. A good deal of learning will have to take place during the trip and that is why it is necessary to have patience and tolerate the learning process. *Organizational Resilience: Managing the Risks of Disruptive Events - A Practitioner's Guide* provides essential management tools that ensure you will succeed in moving an organization towards becoming more resilient. The book explains organizational resilience and how to manage risk through the use of the ANSI/ASIS SPC.1-2009 Standard. It outlines a concise, clearly understandable approach to successfully addressing the various challenges and techniques necessary to plan, prepare, and implement organizational resilience management in any organization. The authors cut through the complexities and identify the key issues and methods for successful implementation. They focus on organizational resilience management as an integral component of an overall business and risk management strategy. They also explore how organizational resilience creates value for the organization and can be applied to both the private and public sectors. Building a resilient organization is a cross-disciplinary and cross-functional endeavor; therefore "practitioners" may come from a variety of disciplines, all of which contribute to helping the organization achieve its objectives. This book provides valuable and much-needed guidance that enables practitioners to achieve the desired goals of effective organizational resilience through cost-effective methods. While supplementary protection certificates (SPCs) are governed by the same substantive rules in all Member States of the European Union and the European Economic Area, they are national IP rights. The formal requirements and procedural practices of the national patent offices granting SPCs still differ significantly, and these divergences can have a substantial impact in the prosecution of SPCs across Europe. This one-of-a-kind handbook provides an easily accessible overview of SPC law in Europe, covering all substantive and procedural aspects of prosecution, enforcement and invalidation, as well as SPC-related aspects of unfair competition law.

Following an overarching European chapter, which addresses general considerations and the relevant European Union law, including the jurisprudence of the Court of Justice (CJEU) and the EFTA Court, this book contains separate national chapters for eleven key jurisdictions ? i.e., Germany, the United Kingdom, France, the Netherlands, Belgium, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Sweden, Iceland, and Switzerland, as well as a concluding chapter summarizing the fundamentals of SPC law and practice in sixteen further European countries. The contributors to this book, all experts in the field of SPCs in their respective jurisdictions, provide clear and hands-on guidance on a range of specific topics of practical and strategic relevance, including:

- What is or is not an 'active ingredient' amenable to SPC protection?
- What is required for an active ingredient to be 'protected' by a basic patent?
- What relevance has the 'core inventive advance' of the basic patent?
- Can SPCs be obtained for 'loose' combinations of separately formulated active ingredients?
- Which basic patent should be chosen for an SPC filing?
- Which types of marketing authorizations can be relied upon?
- Under which conditions can SPCs be obtained for a new specific salt, ester or other derivative of a previously approved active ingredient, for a new specific enantiomer of a previously approved racemate, and for new therapeutic applications of previously approved active ingredients?
- Can affiliated companies obtain several SPCs for the same product?
- Does the revocation of an SPC enable the filing of a new SPC for the same product?
- What are the limits to the filing of 'unfriendly' SPCs based on third-party marketing authorizations?
- What relevance does the product definition of an SPC have for its scope of protection?
- What is the scope of protection of an SPC in relation to derivatives of an active ingredient?
- How is the SPC term calculated, and how can an erroneous term be corrected?
- How can SPCs and paediatric extensions be invalidated, and which grounds of invalidity can be invoked?
- What pitfalls must be avoided in terms of unfair competition law?

This book provides invaluable assistance to IP practitioners in devising successful pan-European SPC filing strategies. Its practice-oriented, country-by-country format makes it easy to compare the national practices and the respective national case law of the different European countries. This book covers both the practical and theoretical aspects of catastrophe modelling for insurance industry practitioners and public policymakers. Written by authors with both academic and industry experience it also functions as an excellent graduate-level text and overview of the field. Ours is a time of unprecedented levels of risk from both natural and anthropogenic sources. Fortunately, it is also an era of relatively inexpensive technologies for use in

assessing those risks. The demand from both commercial and public interests—including (re)insurers, NGOs, global disaster management agencies, and local authorities—for sophisticated catastrophe risk assessment tools has never been greater, and contemporary catastrophe modelling satisfies that demand. Combining the latest research with detailed coverage of state-of-the-art catastrophe modelling techniques and technologies, this book delivers the knowledge needed to use, interpret, and build catastrophe models, and provides greater insight into catastrophe modelling's enormous potential and possible limitations. The first book containing the detailed, practical knowledge needed to support practitioners as effective catastrophe risk modellers and managers Includes hazard, vulnerability and financial material to provide the only independent, comprehensive overview of the subject, accessible to students and practitioners alike Demonstrates the relevance of catastrophe models within a practical, decision-making framework and illustrates their many applications Includes contributions from many of the top names in the field, globally, from industry, academia, and government Natural Catastrophe Risk Management and Modelling: A Practitioner's Guide is an important working resource for catastrophe modelling analysts and developers, actuaries, underwriters, and those working in compliance or regulatory functions related to catastrophe risk. It is also valuable for scientists and engineers seeking to gain greater insight into catastrophe risk management and its applications.

Information risk management (IRM) is about identifying, assessing and prioritising risks to keep information secure and available. This accessible book provides practical guidance to the principles and development of a strategic approach to an IRM programme. The only textbook for the BCS Practitioner Certificate in Information Risk Management.

To support the broadening spectrum of project delivery approaches, PMI is offering A Guide to the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK® Guide) – Sixth Edition as a bundle with its latest, the Agile Practice Guide. The PMBOK® Guide – Sixth Edition now contains detailed information about agile; while the Agile Practice Guide, created in partnership with Agile Alliance®, serves as a bridge to connect waterfall and agile. Together they are a powerful tool for project managers. The PMBOK® Guide – Sixth Edition – PMI's flagship publication has been updated to reflect the latest good practices in project management. New to the Sixth Edition, each knowledge area will contain a section entitled Approaches for Agile, Iterative and Adaptive Environments, describing how these practices integrate in project settings. It will also contain more emphasis on strategic and business knowledge—including discussion of project management

business documents—and information on the PMI Talent Triangle™ and the essential skills for success in today's market. Agile Practice Guide has been developed as a resource to understand, evaluate, and use agile and hybrid agile approaches. This practice guide provides guidance on when, where, and how to apply agile approaches and provides practical tools for practitioners and organizations wanting to increase agility. This practice guide is aligned with other PMI standards, including A Guide to the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK® Guide) – Sixth Edition, and was developed as the result of collaboration between the Project Management Institute and the Agile Alliance.

A top risk management practitioner addresses the essential aspects of modern financial risk management. In the Second Edition of *Financial Risk Management + Website*, market risk expert Steve Allen offers an insider's view of this discipline and covers the strategies, principles, and measurement techniques necessary to manage and measure financial risk. Fully revised to reflect today's dynamic environment and the lessons to be learned from the 2008 global financial crisis, this reliable resource provides a comprehensive overview of the entire field of risk management. Allen explores real-world issues such as proper mark-to-market valuation of trading positions and determination of needed reserves against valuation uncertainty, the structuring of limits to control risk taking, and a review of mathematical models and how they can contribute to risk control. Along the way, he shares valuable lessons that will help to develop an intuitive feel for market risk measurement and reporting. Presents key insights on how risks can be isolated, quantified, and managed from a top risk management practitioner. Offers up-to-date examples of managing market and credit risk. Provides an overview and comparison of the various derivative instruments and their use in risk hedging. Companion Website contains supplementary materials that allow you to continue to learn in a hands-on fashion long after closing the book. Focusing on the management of those risks that can be successfully quantified, the Second Edition of *Financial Risk Management + Website* is the definitive source for managing market and credit risk.

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[Practitioner's Guide to Business Impact Analysis](#)

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Since the formalization of asset allocation in 1952 with the publication of Portfolio Selection by Harry Markowitz, the great strides made to enhance the application of this groundbreaking theory. However, progress has been uneven. It is punctuated with instances of misleading research, which has contributed to the stubborn persistence of certain fallacies about asset allocation. A Practitioner's Guide to Asset Allocation fills a void in the literature by offering a hands-on resource that covers many important innovations that address key challenges to asset allocation and dispels common fallacies about asset allocation. The authors cover the fundamentals of asset allocation, including a discussion of the attributes that qualify a group of securities as an asset class and a detailed description of the conventional application of mean-variance analysis to asset allocation. The book also reviews a number of common fallacies about asset allocation and dispels these misconceptions with logic or hard evidence. The fallacies debunked include such notions as: asset allocation determines more than 90% of investment performance; asset allocation is risk; optimization is hypersensitive to estimation error; factors provide greater diversification than assets and are more effective at reducing noise; and that equally weighted portfolios perform more reliably out of sample than optimized portfolios. A Practitioner's Guide to Asset Allocation also explores the innovations that address key challenges to asset allocation and presents a new optimization procedure to address the idea that some investors have complex preferences and returns may not be normally distributed. Among the challenges highlighted, the authors explain how to overcome inefficiencies that result from constraints by expanding the optimization objective function to incorporate absolute and relative goals simultaneously. The text also addresses the challenge of currency risk, describes how to use shadow assets and liabilities to unify liquidity with expected returns, and shows how to evaluate alternative asset mixes by assessing exposure to loss throughout the investment horizon based on a risk-dependent risk. This practical text contains an illustrative example of asset allocation which is used to demonstrate the application of the innovations described throughout the book. In addition, the book includes supplemental material that summarizes the key findings and includes information on relevant statistical and theoretical concepts, as well as a comprehensive glossary of terms.

Psychopathy and Law: A Practitioner's Guide provides those working in the fields of law, the military, social and health care, politics, and business with a comprehensive introduction to psychopathy and the ways of thinking that guide the psychopaths. Features case examples and – unique from previous texts in the field – links these to theory and empirical research.

up-to-date resource for scientists examining psychopathy Covers issues that have never been dealt with in regard to including those relating to families, civil law, war crimes, economical crimes and organized crimes

For those offering trauma-informed care, it can be difficult to maintain wellbeing and a balanced, positive outlook when their job requires frequent engagement with traumatic disclosures. *Self-help for Trauma Therapists: A Practitioner's Guide* intends to assist human service workers- such as those working as therapists, social workers and counsellors- to maintain their care and professional effectiveness when working in fields where stress and trauma play a key factor in their everyday lives. Adopting a comprehensive, multi-layered approach to self-care based, the book grounds its exploration of practice through researched accounts with experience professionals. Including accounts from clinical psychologists, therapists, counsellors, social workers and the friends and family of people in these professions, this book creates a narrative on stress and trauma from a service worker perspective. Interwoven with these stories of practice, the author includes reflections on her own experience in practice over the past 25 years with trauma survivors. With discussions on risk and resilience, compassion fatigue and secondary traumatisation, readers are introduced to the theories and practical applications of developing a professional model that prioritises wellbeing and self-care in their work. *Self-help for Trauma Therapists: A Practitioner's Guide* is the first book of its kind written solely for human service workers. It is essential reading for beginning and more advanced practitioners who are working with trauma and recovery and will also be of interest to supporters of those working in the helping professions. "Prescribing Mental Health Medication is a text for nursing and medical practitioners who are learning how to diagnose and manage mental disorders with medication. Skills-based, it focuses on the following key issues: how to start and stop medication, when to change medication, dealing with particular kinds of patients, specific illnesses and their medication, special populations, conditions, the management of side effects, practical issues such as monitoring medication with blood levels, administration, and such as record-keeping." -- Publisher's description.

The *Ultimate GDPR Practitioner Guide (2nd Edition)* provides those tasked with implementing Data Protection processes with the information and supporting case law to aid in achieving compliance with GDPR. The second edition is crammed with updated advice, guidance and templates and also includes a copy of the full regulation text and the supporting recitals.

Assessing Risk in Sex Offenders: A Practitioner's Guide is a handy resource for forensic practitioners responsible for the management of sexual offenders at risk of recidivism. It covers the risk factors associated with sexual recidivism, evaluates different approaches and offers guidance on how to conduct forensic evaluations. Written by an expert author team, *Assessing Risk in Sex Offenders: A Practitioner's Guide* examines: The characteristics of sexual offenders Methodological considerations in conducting risk assessments Predictive accuracy Static and dynamic factors Structured risk assessments Treatment of sexual offenders Policy and practice *Assessing Risk in Sex Offenders: A Practitioner's Guide* is an essential resource for clinical and forensic psychologists

psychiatrists, undergraduate and postgraduate students in forensic and clinical psychology, and prison and probation
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Risk and Return in Asian Emerging Markets offers readers a firm insight into the risk and return characteristics of leading Asian emerging market participants by comparing and contrasting behavioral model variables with predictive forecasting methods.

What would you do if a law that enabled your investment to operate successfully abroad suddenly changed, and your business could no longer operate profitably there? Imagine exporting goods to a government buyer only to discover after the fact that your home country, or the United Nations, has just imposed an embargo on that country. Managing Countr

Expert guidance on managing credit risk in bond portfolios Managing Credit Risk in Corporate Bond Portfolios shows readers howto measure and manage the risks of a corporate bond portfolioagainst its benchmark. This comprehensive guide explores a widerange of topics surrounding credit risk and bond portfolios,including the similarities and differences between corporate andgovernment bond portfolios, yield curve risk, default

and creditmigration risk, Monte Carlo simulation techniques, and portfolioselection methods. Srichander Ramaswamy, PhD (Basel, Switzerland), is Head ofInvestment Analysis at the Bank for International Settlements (BIS)in Basel, Switzerland, and Adjunct Professor of Banking andFinance, University of Lausanne.

Praise for Treasury Management The Practitioner's Guide "Steven Bragg has written a broad-based look at the treasurer's function that is as timely as it is complete. This book is an excellent choice for experienced treasury personnel, those new to the area, or the small business CFO needing to develop additional expertise." ?Matthew Boutte,

Asset/Liability Manager, AVP, Sterling Bank "Cash is king! Steven Bragg's Treasury Management: The Practitioner's Guide peels back the onion on the most pressing topics facing today's treasurer?cash management, financing, risk management, and treasury systems."

?Geoffrey Garland, Controller, Staco Systems "This book gives an insight into the various intricacies, augmented with examples and flowcharts, involved in a treasury role. It gives a practical and detailed approach to cash management. A must-read for accounting heads of small businesses who have the additional responsibility of being a treasurer."

?Priya K Srinivasan, Owner, Priya K Srinivasan CPA Treasury Management: The Practitioner's Guide describes all aspects of the treasury function. This comprehensive book includes chapters covering the treasury department, cash transfer methods, cash forecasting, cash concentration, working capital management, debt management, equity management, investment management, foreign exchange risk management, interest risk management, clearing and settlement systems, and treasury systems. If you are a treasurer, CFO, cash manager, or controller, Treasury Management: The Practitioner's

Guide allows you to quickly grasp the real world of treasury management and the many practical and strategic issues faced by treasurers and financial professionals today. This overview of health financing tools, policies and trends--with a particular focus on challenges facing developing countries--provides the basis for effective policy-making. Analyzing the current global environment, the book discusses health financing goals in the context of both the underlying health, demographic, social, economic, political and demographic analytics as well as the institutional realities faced by developing

countries, and assesses policy options in the context of global evidence, the international aid architecture, cross-sectoral interactions, and countries' macroeconomic frameworks and overall development plans.

This book illustrates the importance of business impact analysis, which covers risk assessment, and moves towards better understanding of the business environment, industry specific compliance, legal and regulatory landscape and the need for business continuity. The book provides charts, checklists and flow diagrams that give the roadmap to collect, collate and analyze data, and give enterprise management the entire mapping for controls that comprehensively covers all compliance that the enterprise is subject to have. The book helps professionals build a control framework tailored for an enterprise that covers best practices and relevant standards applicable to the enterprise.

Legendary investment gurus Warren Buffett and Ed Thorp represent different ends of the investing spectrum: one a value investor, the other a quant. While Buffett and Thorp have conflicting philosophical approaches, they agree that the market is beatable. In *Quantitative Value*, Wesley Gray and Tobias Carlisle take the best aspects from the disciplines of value investing and quantitative investing and apply them to a completely unique and winning approach to stock selection. As the authors explain, the quantitative value strategy offers a superior way to invest: capturing the benefits of a value investing philosophy without the behavioral errors associated with "stock picking." To demystify their innovative approach, Gray and Carlisle outline the framework for quantitative value investing, including the four key elements of the investment process: How to avoid stocks that can cause a permanent loss of capital: Learn how to uncover financial statement manipulation, fraud, and financial distress How to find stocks with the highest quality: Discover how to find strong economic franchises and robust financial strength. Gray and Carlisle look at long-term returns on capital and assets, free cash flow, and a variety of metrics related to margins and general financial strength The secret to finding deeply undervalued stocks: Does the price-to-earnings ratio find undervalued stocks better than free cash flow? Gray and Carlisle examine the historical data on over 50 valuation ratios, including some unusual metrics, rare multi-year

averages, and uncommon combinations The five signals sent by smart money: The book uncovers the signals sent by insiders, short sellers, shareholder activists, and institutional investment managers After detailing the quantitative value investment process, Gray and Carlisle conduct a historical test of the resulting quantitative value model. Their conclusions are surprising and counterintuitive. This reliable resource includes a companion website that offers a monthly-updated screening tool to find stocks using the model outlined in the book, an updated back-testing tool, and a blog about recent developments in quantitative value investing. For any investor who wants to make the most of their time in today's complex marketplace, they should look no further than Quantitative Value.

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resilience needs and internal monitoring for effectiveness of controls Presents an Integrated Audit approach to fulfill compliance requirements

All too often, financial statements conceal more than they reveal. Even after the recent economic crisis, those analyzing financial statements face serious new concerns and challenges. The Fourth Edition of *Financial Statement Analysis* skillfully presents this discipline in perspective, and now, with this companion Workbook, you can hone your skills and test the knowledge gained from the actual text, before putting them to work in real-world situations. Question-and-answer sections within the Workbook correspond to each chapter of *Financial Statement Analysis, Fourth Edition*. Part One (Questions) provides chapter fill-in-the-blank questions, as well as financial statement and computational exercises. They are designed to be thought-provoking and require analysis and synthesis of the concepts covered in the book. The answers to all questions, which are provided in Part Two, are provided in boldfaced italic type in order to facilitate the checking of answers and comprehension of the text. To enhance your understanding of financial statement analysis, you can begin to undertake genuine, goal-oriented analysis and prepare for the practical challenges of contemporary business. This reliable resource will help you achieve such a goal and allow you to make more informed decisions—whether you're reevaluating a company's stock price or determining the viability of a merger or acquisition.

Project Risk Quantification presents the most practical, realistic, and integrated approach to project cost and schedule risk Quantification that is available today. It offers proven, empirically-valid methods and tools applicable to projects of all sizes at all decision gates. The text is written for both the manager and the risk analysis practitioner. It will bring reliable contingency determination to your capital project organization.

In an era of unprecedented volatile political and economic environments across the world, computer-based cyber security face ever growing challenges. While the internet has created a global platform for the exchange of ideas, goods and services, it has also created boundless opportunities for cyber crime. The debate over how to plan for the cyber security of the future has focused the minds of developers and scientists alike. This book aims to provide a reference on current and emerging cyber security systems security from the lens of autonomy, artificial intelligence and ethics as the race to fight and prevent cyber threats becomes increasingly pressing.

A Practitioner's Guide to Enhancing Parenting Skills: Assessment, Analysis and Intervention offers a detailed and step-by-step approach to problem behaviour analysis and management, based on the successful and evidence-based Enhancing Parenting Skills Programme (EPaS). This unique programme, based on 40 years of Professor Hutchings' clinical work, draws on social learning theory (SLT) principles designed to support families of young children with behavioural challenges. In this book, Hutchings and Williams combine clear practical guidance with case examples and useful checklists to deliver SLT-based

interventions tailored to the unique needs of individual families. The case analysis identifies the assets and skills in the situation and the functions of problem behaviours before creating a set of achievable goals. The latter part of the book provides examples of intervention strategies to address several common problems, including toileting, eating and night-time problems. This book is an invaluable tool for all practitioners working in Early Years including CAMHS primary care staff, social workers, clinical psychologists, health visitors and school nurses.

Sets forth practices to ensure security and foster international trade. Written with an international perspective, this book analyzes the complex set of factors affecting the security of port and maritime operations, including shipping, politics, economics, crime, and terrorism. Author Michael Edgerton critiques current approaches to maritime and port security based on more than twenty-five years of experience in the field. He not only points out vulnerabilities in today's practices, but also offers a set of proven and tested recommendations that recognize the role and interests of both government and the private sector in enhancing security while ensuring the flow of international trade. Readers may be surprised to learn that, with greater investment, they can actually improve security while reducing the cost of security at the same time. Using real-world case studies and analyses and recommendations, *A Practitioner's Guide to Effective Maritime and Port Security: Reviews the core components of the international maritime operating environment* Assesses the potential threats to ports in the maritime environment and compares approaches to maritime port security in the United States, European Union, and around the world Presents principles of risk-based maritime and port security At the end of the book, two appendices provide a framework for conducting security assessments and threat assessments. There's also a third appendix to help organizations assess their "risk appetite." For students and professionals responsible for the safety and security of ports and maritime trade, this book reframes maritime security as a key component of a multidisciplinary system in which secure and efficient trade is the objective.

Arbitration in Switzerland

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[A Practitioner's Guide to Multi-level Prevention, Assessment, Intervention, and Postvention Information Risk Management](#)

Meeting a vital need, this book helps clinicians rapidly identify risks for suicidal behavior and manage an at-risk teen's ongoing care. It provides clear guidelines for conducting suicide risk screenings and comprehensive risk assessments and implementing immediate safety-focused interventions, as well as longer-term treatment plans. Designed for day-to-day use in private practice, schools, or other settings, the volume is grounded in a strong evidence base. It features quick-reference clinical pointers, sample dialogues with teens and parents, and reproducible assessment and documentation tools. Most of the reproducible materials can be downloaded and printed in a convenient 8 1/2" x 11" size. Winner (First Place)--American Journal of Nursing Book of the Year Award, Child Health Category

*In the face of so many unprecedented changes in our environment, the pressure is on scientists to lead the way toward a more sustainable future. Written by a team of ecologists, *Monitoring Animal Populations and Their Habitats: A Practitioner's Guide* provides a framework that natural resource managers and researchers can use to design monitoring programs that will benefit future generations by distilling the information needed to make informed decisions. In addition, this text is valuable for undergraduate- and graduate-level courses that are focused on monitoring animal populations. With the aid of more than 90 illustrations and a four-page color insert, this book offers practical guidance for the entire monitoring process, from incorporating stakeholder input and data collection, to data management, analysis, and reporting. It establishes the basis for why, what, how, where, and when monitoring should be conducted; describes how to analyze and interpret the data; explains how to budget for monitoring efforts; and discusses how to assemble reports of use in decision-making. The book takes a multi-scaled and multi-taxa approach, focusing on monitoring vertebrate populations and upland habitats, but the recommendations and suggestions presented are applicable to a variety of monitoring programs. Lastly, the book explores the future of monitoring techniques, enabling researchers to better plan for the future of wildlife populations and their habitats. *Monitoring Animal Populations and Their Habitats: A Practitioner's Guide* furthers the goal of achieving a world in which biodiversity is allowed to evolve and flourish in the face of such uncertainties as climate change, invasive species proliferation, land use expansion, and population growth.*

This practical text delineates the basic steps of developing effective interventions for learning and behavior difficulties in children aged two to five. The authors set forth an ecological framework that stresses identifying problem situations rather than classifying individual children as disabled or at risk. The core components of naturalistic intervention design are covered in depth, including teacher and parent interviewing, classroom observation and functional assessment, team-based problem solving, strong accountability methods, and legal and ethical safeguards. Solidly grounded in empirical research, the book presents examples of successful interventions for fostering social competence and language skills and improving interactions with parents, teachers, and peers.

*Effective risk communication is essential to the well-being of any organization and those people who depend on it. Ineffective communication can cost lives, money and reputations. *Communicating Risks and Benefits: An Evidence-Based User's Guide* provides the scientific foundations for effective communications. The book authoritatively summarizes the relevant research, draws out its implications for communication design, and provides practical ways to evaluate and improve communications for any decision involving risks and benefits. Topics include the communication of quantitative information and warnings, the roles of emotion and the news media, the*

effects of age and literacy, and tests of how well communications meet the organization's goals. The guide will help users in any organization, with any budget, to make the science of their communications as sound as the science that they are communicating. Major events such as the Asian crisis in 1997, the Russian default on short-term debt in 1998, the downfall of the hedge fund long-term capital management in 1998 and the disruption in payment systems following the World Trade Center attack in 2001, all resulted in increased management's attention to liquidity risk. Banks have realized that adequate systems and processes for identifying, measuring, monitoring and controlling liquidity risks help them to maintain a strong liquidity position, which in turn will increase the confidence of investors and rating agencies as well as improve funding costs and availability. *Liquidity Risk Measurement and Management: A Practitioner's Guide to Global Best Practices* provides the best practices in tools and techniques for bank liquidity risk measurement and management. Experienced bankers and highly regarded liquidity risk experts share their insights and practical experiences in this book. *Suicide in Schools* provides school-based professionals with practical, easy-to-use guidance on developing and implementing effective suicide prevention, assessment, intervention and postvention strategies. Utilizing a multi-level systems approach, this book includes step-by-step guidelines for developing crisis teams and prevention programs, assessing and intervening with suicidal youth, and working with families and community organizations during and after a suicidal crisis. The authors include detailed case examples, innovative approaches for professional practice, usable handouts, and internet resources on the best practice approaches to effectively work with youth who are experiencing a suicidal crisis as well as those students, families, school staff, and community members who have suffered the loss of a loved one to suicide. Readers will come away from this book with clear, step-by-step guidelines on how to work proactively with school personnel and community professionals, think about suicide prevention from a three-tiered systems approach, how to identify those who might be at risk, and how to support survivors after a traumatic event--all in a practical, user-friendly format geared especially for the needs of school-based professionals.

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