OUR OFFICE INFLUENCE RESEARCH



The research behind this assessment is based on the identification, categorization and rating of seventy-four attributes shown to enhance or detract from your ability to influence others in the workplace. This analysis contains statistical, anecdotal, and experiential analysis. This research in ongoing.

STATISTICAL ANALYSIS

With the influence attributes defined and categorized, a survey was created in cooperation with the University of Northern Colorado.

This survey was then completed by hundreds of business professionals, asking them to rate each attribute's importance when being influenced by others.

ANECDOTAL ANALYSIS

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Contact us if you would like additional information on our research process and findings!