

1: ITIL Change Management Process: What is it All About? - Master of Project Academy Blog

"After you see the movie, tell me what it was all about" "Depois de ver o filme, me conte sobre o que era" It seems to me that the English expression "what it was all about" (and variations of it) is NOT the same as simply "what it was about".

Jeremy Bentham The origins of utilitarianism can be traced back as far as Epicurus , but, as a school of thought, it is credited to Jeremy Bentham , [67] who found that "nature has placed mankind under the governance of two sovereign masters, pain and pleasure", then, from that moral insight, deriving the Rule of Utility: He defined the meaning of life as the " greatest happiness principle ". Friedrich Nietzsche characterized nihilism as emptying the world, and especially human existence, of meaning, purpose, comprehensible truth, and essential value; succinctly, nihilism is the process of "the devaluing of the highest values". To Martin Heidegger , nihilism is the movement whereby " being " is forgotten, and is transformed into value, in other words, the reduction of being to exchange value. If God, as the supra-sensory ground and goal, of all reality, is dead; if the supra-sensory world of the Ideas has suffered the loss of its obligatory, and above it, its vitalizing and up-building power, then nothing more remains to which Man can cling, and by which he can orient himself. The knowledge disclosed by modern science has effectively rewritten the relationship of humankind to the natural world. Advances in medicine and technology have freed humans from significant limitations and ailments of previous eras; [74] and philosophyâ€”particularly following the linguistic turn â€”has altered how the relationships people have with themselves and each other are conceived. Questions about the meaning of life have also seen radical changes, from attempts to reevaluate human existence in biological and scientific terms as in pragmatism and logical positivism to efforts to meta-theorize about meaning-making as a personal, individual-driven activity existentialism , secular humanism. Pragmatism Pragmatism originated in the late 19th-century US, concerning itself mostly with truth , and positing that "only in struggling with the environment" do data, and derived theories, have meaning, and that consequences, like utility and practicality, are also components of truth. Moreover, pragmatism posits that anything useful and practical is not always true, arguing that what most contributes to the most human good in the long course is true. In practice, theoretical claims must be practically verifiable, i. Pragmatic philosophers suggest that the practical, useful understanding of life is more important than searching for an impractical abstract truth about life. William James argued that truth could be made, but not sought. Philosophical theism Theists believe God created the universe and that God had a purpose in doing so. Theists further hold that if there were no God to give life ultimate meaning, value and purpose, then life would be absurd. According to existentialism, each man and each woman creates the essence meaning of their life; life is not determined by a supernatural god or an earthly authority, one is free. One can live meaningfully free of despair and anxiety in an unconditional commitment to something finite, and devotes that meaningful life to the commitment, despite the vulnerability inherent to doing so. Salvation, deliverance, and escape from suffering are in aesthetic contemplation, sympathy for others, and asceticism. Accordingly, he saw nihilism "all that happens is meaningless" as without goals. For to hope in the possibility of help, not to speak of help by virtue of the absurd, that for God all things are possibleâ€”no, that he will not do. And as for seeking help from any otherâ€”no, that he will not do for all the world; rather than seek help he would prefer to be himselfâ€”with all the tortures of hell, if so it must be. As beings looking for meaning in a meaningless world, humans have three ways of resolving the dilemma. Suicide or, "escaping existence": Both Kierkegaard and Camus dismiss the viability of this option. Religious belief in a transcendent realm or being: Kierkegaard stated that a belief in anything beyond the Absurd requires a non-rational but perhaps necessary religious acceptance in such an intangible and empirically unprovable thing now commonly referred to as a " leap of faith ". However, Camus regarded this solution as "philosophical suicide". Acceptance of the Absurd: Camus endorsed this solution notably in his allegorical novel The Plague or La Peste , while Kierkegaard regarded this solution as "demonic madness": Per secular humanism , the human species came to be by reproducing successive generations in a progression of unguided evolution as an integral expression of nature , which is self-existing. Humanism seeks to develop and fulfill: It is based on the premises that the happiness of the individual person

is inextricably linked to the well-being of all humanity, in part because humans are social animals who find meaning in personal relations and because cultural progress benefits everybody living in the culture. In this light, every living creature has the right to determine its personal and social "meaning of life". There are many therapeutic responses to this question. For example, Viktor Frankl argues for "Dereflection", which translates largely as: On the whole, the therapeutic response is that the question itself—"what is the meaning of life? The question then morphs into more specific worries such as "What delusions am I under? The things people, events in the life of a person can have meaning importance as parts of a whole, but a discrete meaning of the life, itself, aside from those things, cannot be discerned. Bertrand Russell wrote that although he found that his distaste for torture was not like his distaste for broccoli, he found no satisfactory, empirical method of proving this: Neither he nor his opponents could advance any argument. In a scientific question, evidence can be adduced on both sides, and, in the end, one side is seen to have the better case—or, if this does not happen, the question is left undecided. But in a question, as to whether this, or that, is the ultimate Good, there is no evidence, either way; each disputant can only appeal to his own emotions, and employ such rhetorical devices as shall rouse similar emotions in others Questions as to "values"—that is to say, as to what is good or bad on its own account, independently of its effects—lie outside the domain of science, as the defenders of religion emphatically assert. I think that, in this, they are right, but, I draw the further conclusion, which they do not draw, that questions as to "values" lie wholly outside the domain of knowledge. That is to say, when we assert that this, or that, has "value", we are giving expression to our own emotions, not to a fact, which would still be true if our personal feelings were different. Postmodernism Postmodernist thought—"broadly speaking"—sees human nature as constructed by language, or by structures and institutions of human society. Unlike other forms of philosophy, postmodernism rarely seeks out a priori or innate meanings in human existence, but instead focuses on analyzing or critiquing given meanings in order to rationalize or reconstruct them. Anything resembling a "meaning of life", in postmodernist terms, can only be understood within a social and linguistic framework, and must be pursued as an escape from the power structures that are already embedded in all forms of speech and interaction. As a rule, postmodernists see awareness of the constraints of language as necessary to escaping those constraints, but different theorists take different views on the nature of this process: Naturalistic pantheism According to naturalistic pantheism, the meaning of life is to care for and look after nature and the environment. Embodied cognition Embodied cognition uses the neurological basis of emotion, speech, and cognition to understand the nature of thought. Cognitive neuropsychology has identified brain areas necessary for these abilities, and genetic studies show that the gene FOXP2 affects neuroplasticity which underlies language fluency. George Lakoff, a professor of cognitive linguistics and philosophy, advances the view that metaphors are the usual basis of meaning, not the logic of verbal symbol manipulation. Computers use logic programming to effectively query databases but humans rely on a trained biological neural network.

2: IT (creature) | Stephen King Wiki | FANDOM powered by Wikia

"What it is all about" E.g.: Oxygen is what it is all about. We make energy from it. Anyway I took the example from what I read before. There is the phrase "something is what it is all about" Some people say this means "something is like this" or "something is as following". Others say this means "important". To me it doesn't make any sense.

It is a shapeshifting creature known as a Glamour and is billions of years old. Since its true identity is unclear, due to its shape-shifting abilities and it being from another universe, its real name and species are unknown, thus why it is named IT. It can morph into any other person, animal, or object including combinations thereof. This may be an allusion to real life child cannibal Albert Fish, who reportedly used the name "Robert Gray" as an alias. According to the creature, frightened flesh tastes better. Contents [show] Origins It originated in an undiscovered void containing and surrounding our entire Universe, another universe referred to as the "Macroverse. Other evidence from this series suggests It is the creation of a separate omnipotent creator referred to as "the Other" who may be the entity Gan. In It the novel, the Turtle refers to It as his "brother". It may be one of, or a Twinner of, the six greater demon elementals mentioned by Mia in Song of Susannah as the Spider is not one of the Beam Guardians. History It arrived on Earth in a massive cataclysmic event similar to an asteroid impact, landing in a location in North America that would eventually become Derry, Maine. Once people settled over this location, It adopted its usual pattern of a year hibernation, waking to kill and eat. Each awakening and return to hibernation is sometimes marked by a violent act, such as a mass murder or weather event. In the period between, a series of child murders occurring in Derry are never solved. However, the real reason is that the influence of It prevents anyone investigating too deeply. Timeline novel

IT starts a three-year reign of terror that culminates in the disappearance of over three hundred settlers from Derry Township similar to the lost Roanoke Colony , which was founded as a logging town. IT awakes when a man named John Markson poisons his own family, then commits suicide by eating a white nightshade mushroom, causing an excruciating death. IT awakes, then returns to hibernation after murdering a group of lumberjacks who were later found near the Kenduskeag Stream. IT awakes when a lumberjack named Claude Heroux murders a dozen of men in a bar with just one axe. Heroux was promptly pursued by a mob of townsfolk and hung. IT returns to hibernation when the Kitchener Ironworks explode, killing people, 88 of whom were children at an Easter egg hunt. IT awakes when a group of Derry citizens ambushes and kills the Bradley Gang , a group of robbers and murderers. In October, Georgie Denbrough dies from blood loss, when his arm is torn off by Pennywise. The bullies throw Mellon off a bridge and IT, in the form of Pennywise, attacks and kills him. Timeline film The film places those events in Derry starts as a beaver camp until 91 people vanish. The rumored cause is plague or slaughter by Indians, but there are no signs of an attack. The only evidence is the presence of bloody clothes at the Well House. IT awakens after the Kitchener Ironworks explosion, where people die 88 kids and 14 adults. IT awakens after the Bradley Gang shootout. IT awakens when the The Black Spot is burned down by a cult. IT awakens to eat kids for a year before going into hibernation. Georgie Denbrough dies by Pennywise biting his arm off and dragging him into the sewers. It is a deadly predator that primarily hunts for food. But only if it can scare its prey before feasting on it. The novel explains that Its only goals are to eat and sleep. Rather than killing them quickly, it prefers to frighten and taunt them which ultimately leads to its downfall. It is psychologically adept, knowing what emotional vulnerabilities to provoke for any person. Manipulation While feral-minded and instinct-driven, It is more than capable of acting in any manner needed to lure prey, from subliminal influence to promising desires. Its energy keeps the town prosperous in exchange for the complacency of adults to keep it from being discovered. The form of Pennywise provides a disarming personality and appearance, especially towards children. As Pennywise, It is merry, charming, and funny, politely offering others the chance to visit his circus and eat free food. This succeeds in bringing Georgie close enough to a storm drain to kill him. It can also control minds. It looks like they just ignore it. But, when continually defeated by children, It acts surprised and begins to question if it really is as superior as it had thought. However, it never feels that the individual children are strong enough to defeat it. Hunger By the looks of it, It seems to be a natural eating machine, due to the inborn

impulse of its species. Fear "floods the body and salts the meat", according to It. Self-Preservation Despite being a fearsome creature, It was certainly not fearless. At the first sign of being overpowered, it would always quickly retreat. It had been shown begging for mercy and bargaining for its own survival in its true physical form. It also had thoughts later on in the novel about not being as powerful as it had always thought. When confronting Beverly, It left her alive but paralyzed because she did not fear It. Appearance No one knows the true form of It since it exists in an inter-dimensional realm referred to as "deadlights". Bill Denbrough comes close to see the "deadlights", but defeats It before this happens. The true form of the "deadlights" exists outside the physical realm. Any living being that sees the "deadlights" goes insane almost instantly. Bill comes dangerously close to seeing the deadlights and the shape behind the shape for a brief moment. He described It as an endless, crawling hairy creature made of orange light. Powers and Abilities Lower-tier Omnipotence-- IT has an immense amount of power with only Maturin being its equal and only Gan its superior. Shapeshifting -- IT can transform into any kind of being, including forms that may not be physically possible or exist in reality. This ability is not restricted by space or uniformity, as IT can appear in multiple places as multiple beings. When transitioning forms, its body becomes an orange amorphous goo. Shapeshifting appears to exert energy, as when IT is injured, it reverts to a giant spider. However, this form is only the closest the human mind can understand to its true one and not exactly what the children see. IT also has limitations on its appearance depending on who is seeing it and how afraid they are. For example, when Bill and Richie enter the house on Neibolt Street, Richie sees IT as a werewolf while Bill sees it as Pennywise, instantly realizing that "this is the clown that killed Georgie". Illusions -- IT seems to have no limit to what illusions can be created, but primarily uses them to instill fear, which means they must be realistic enough to do so. These illusions are physical they can be touched and last beyond any given amount of time and can include smells such as popcorn or rotting corpses. Also, IT can make its illusions visible only by certain people. Sometimes, when the victim sees through the illusion, they will cease to exist although this may be the will of IT. However, one must see through the illusion perfectly. Invisibility -- IT can appear usually as Pennywise to only certain people and stay invisible in both sight and sound from others. This is seen in a few instances, like when adult Beverly encounters Pennywise at her former home or when adult Ben Hanscom encounters it in the public library. Invulnerability -- While IT is clearly not invincible, it can heal at superhuman levels, but the rate tends to vary for unknown reasons. In the film, IT is stabbed through the head with an iron spike. This disorients but hardly kills it, as it is able to retreat into the sewer. When Bill and Richie encounter IT as a werewolf, it can almost instantly regenerate after being shot in the head with a handgun. IT is not a true physical entity, thus cannot be killed or harmed by conventional means. The Ritual of Chud is the only known way to truly harm and kill it. Telepathy -- IT can detect emotions and memories of an individual, though apparently not thoughts. It uses this ability to exploit fears, but also to implant thoughts. IT can also communicate through the mind, as seen with adult Richie Tozier in the library or adult Henry Bowers at Juniper Hill in the novel. At the end of the story, a psychic storm nearly wipes out the town of Derry. This is demonstrated by affecting the minds of Derry citizens at least those with weaker wills to make them indifferent about any terrible events that they see. Evidence suggests that this control does not extend beyond Derry. The text also suggests that IT can erase memories or knowledge. Teleportation -- IT can teleport to any location within Derry. However, it cannot seem to leave the city. This is not an illusion as the effect persists long after. Telekinesis -- IT can make inanimate objects fall, float around, and or behave supernaturally without touch. This includes locking doors and adjusting electronic devices. Superhuman Strength -- IT can tear the heads and limbs of human bodies with extreme ease, either with arms or mouth as Pennywise or any humanoid form. Superhuman Speed -- Bill notes that IT can move at extreme speeds, claiming that it was way faster than an "express train". Weaknesses IT underestimates and scorns all of mankind. In many cases, it leaves an open escape route for victims and lets them run away. Because of this narcissism, IT makes mistakes and does illogical things. Given that it feeds on fear, it makes sense that courage and heart can overcome it.

3: What Is Minecraft All About? â€¢ MineMum

Pink and all that the color represented, it struck me at the time, was a cultural shackle that little girls needed to be shielded from, since it was inevitably going to hold them back.

And these changes happen on three dimensions of the IT service management: The business side manages the business, business processes, and business operations during the ITIL change management process. And on the supplier side, supplier business, external services, and external operations are managed during the ITIL change management. In order to provide valuable service delivery to the customers of a business, all these aspects must be coordinated and a change on one side must be assessed and impacts should be planned and proper actions must be prepared for a change. These are all done under the ITIL change management. Policies in the ITIL change management A policy is a course or principle of action adopted or proposed by an organization or individual. It is the same in IT service management. In the ITIL change management, policies will describe the actions to follow, to-dos, actions that are not allowed, restrictions etc. The business side of a company always demand changes, new services or updates to existing services. Depending on the urgency in the market or strategy of the company, the business might pressure the IT service provider to implement a change immediately. This can be provisioning of a new service, adding a new feature to an existing service, adding capacity or increasing availability levels etc. If the IT service provider considers that the change is very risky to implement, it has to have the privilege to reject a change for ensuring healthy and valuable service delivery to the customer. This is all part of an effective ITIL change management process. Defining policies and standards for what must be done and what consequences are of non-adherence to the policy will include: Requirements to comply with legislation and industry codes For instance, the government of a country might require that every change must be documented and stored in the archives of a bank at least for five years if there is a service change in the bank. Approach to eliminating unauthorized changes There must be an approval process within the ITIL change management framework for a change that needs to be implemented in an organization. And each concerning department and the responsible personnel must be notified before a change is implemented. This will increase the awareness of the respective departments that there will be a change that might affect their part in service delivery. Therefore, if there are any unauthorized changes, the policy must include how to eliminate these unauthorized changes in the organization. Documentation templates The context of change, anticipated impacts, risks etc must be documented during the ITIL change management process. Therefore, templates for this documentation must be included in the policy. One of the changes is related to a security leakage found during monitoring. The solution to fixing this leakage has been identified and waits for implementation. And the second change is coming from the business, which will enable the users to reset their password from a new channel in addition to the existing two channels. Since the security leakage is much more important compared to an additional password recovery channel, it must have a higher priority. Organization, roles, and responsibilities Who will do what, which department will be responsible for what, who will approve the changes etc. Clearly defined roles and responsibilities lead to an effective and efficient ITIL change management process. Procedures A procedure is an established or official way of doing something. How to initiate a change, how to progress the approval process of the change etc.

4: What's It All About? - Julian Baggini - Oxford University Press

For isn't the meaning of life the most profound and elusive mystery of them all, unknown to even the greatest minds? Surely anyone who tells you they have the answer is joking, mad or simply mistaken.

Share via Email A taxi driver once had that Bertrand Russell in the back of his cab. No surprise there, you might think. Surely anyone who tells you they have the answer is joking, mad or simply mistaken. In fact, tell you what, I will give you the quick answer now. I can do this, not because I am especially wise. I can do it because it has all been done already. The history of western philosophy contains all the insights we need to understand the meaning of life. My view is more or less that of most other philosophers. Even the religious ones - who are in the minority - could agree with a great deal of it. Why, then, was Russell left speechless by the taxi driver? Because the question itself is a hodgepodge. It defies a simple answer because it needs to be carefully unpacked and dissected before it even makes sense. The truth is that, like the Wizard of Oz, the grandeur and remoteness of the meaning of life is all front. Pull back the curtain and the mystery vanishes. If the meaning of life is not some esoteric piece of wisdom, a hidden key that, once discovered, will unlock the secrets of the universe and end our quest for understanding, then what is it? It might help to start by trying to imagine what the taxi driver really wanted to know. The most natural interpretation is that he was puzzled by why we are all here. But even that is ambiguous. Compare that to a more mundane question, such as why on earth you are sitting in the front row waiting for a Celine Dion concert to begin. One answer is because you bought a ticket, took a train and then your seat. The explanation you are interested in depends on what you need to know. I never thought I would say this, but in this very particular sense, life is like a Celine Dion concert: It is perhaps surprising how often it is assumed that a look back to our origins will lead us to the meaning of life. He was desperate to know where he had come from and, unlike us, he discovered the awful truth. What is true of the monster is true of us: Not that there is much reason to suppose the creator had a purpose anyway: It just means, as Jean-Paul Sartre argued, that human life does not come with any pre-assigned meaning. Perhaps, then, rather than answer the question of why we are here by looking backwards, we should look forwards. What future purpose or goal would make this life worth living? The problem with this line of inquiry was identified more than two millennia ago by the patron philosopher of common sense, Aristotle. His point was that we do many things for the sake of something else. We eat to live, work to pay the mortgage, study to pass exams and so on. But unless at least one thing is done for its own sake, there is no point in doing anything. Not everything can be a means to an end: So if living must at some stage be valuable in itself if it is to be worthwhile, why not here and now? To put it rather dramatically, what the cabby really wanted to know was the answer to what Albert Camus claimed was the only serious philosophical problem: Why should we think that this life, with all its problems and pressures, really is valuable in itself? We all of us know of things that give life value. There are many things that make life worth holding on to and savouring. But life is unpredictable and we are often mysteries even to ourselves. We think success, happiness, helping others, or surpassing ourselves will make life worth living, but we can always be wrong or frustrated by events. Philosophers have a lot to say about the value of all these things, and a little less to say about one of the most valuable things of all - love. So we can be clear enough about what it means for life to have meaning and value, but when we put down our philosophy books and actually get on with living, meaning and value can be elusive. Living well is more art than science or philosophy. If our metaphysical cab ride were longer, I could go into more detail; address more of those nagging doubts; explain why having a religious worldview would change things a little, but not as much as you might think; and hopefully present a more complete and convincing case. But the basic answer would be the same: I know that may not seem like enough, but if you expect a course banquet, even the finest smorgasbord looks meagre in comparison.

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What Is Minecraft All About? By Bec Oakley What is Minecraft? Minecraft is a game where you dig mine and build craft different kinds of 3D blocks within a large world of varying terrains and habitats to explore. In this world the sun rises and sets as you go about your work, gathering materials and making tools. There is rain and the occasional lightning storm, and animals that you can tame, farm or use for food. The sun will be in the sky and you might hear the gentle sounds of animals nearby. Your first job is to find and punch down a tree to collect wood, which you can turn into planks to make a crafting table. This allows you to convert your leftover wood into a pickaxe, so you can start digging down into the ground to collect coal and cobblestone. Once you have those you can make some torches and better tools and weapons, which will be very important in protecting you from the creatures that come out in the night Or maybe you love fighting monsters and start building elaborate weapons and traps. You might even go off on an adventure to find villages and temples and abandoned mine shafts, or decide to build a city or start a farm. The opportunities and decisions start to become endless, limited only by your skills and imagination. There are no specific steps or goals, so everyone playing the game is having a different experience. Each time a new game is started it creates a new Minecraft world. You can have many of these worlds if you want, so that each time you play you can choose a different one to roam around in. The worlds are vast and filled with different types of terrain biomes and creatures mobs , as well as things to explore like caves and ravines. Players can also customize the way they experience each world using a bunch of different options. They can play by themselves single player or with others multiplayer. There are also different levels of difficulty, each with its own unique features and challenges. There are also unofficial modifications that can be made to the game: The basic movement and actions through the game are the same for everyone however, depending on which platform the game is played computer, iPad, iPhone, Xbox or Playstation. Players walk around, jump, dig and punch things with their hand as they go about their day building, mining or farming for resources and food, and crafting these into other useful things like tools and weapons MineMum is written by Bec Oakley.

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7: English Phrase: It's all about (something) | www.enganchecubano.com

It's all about who you know. And for one more example, when giving someone advice on hitting a baseball, you can say: It's all about keeping your eye on the ball. This means that watching the ball carefully is the most important aspect of hitting it.

8: Alfie (film) - Wikipedia

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