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Soft Skills | Time Management







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#### **About Me**

 25+ years' global experience across multiple sectors

Specialised in Talent
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 Focused on developing leaders of all levels



Effective Time Management

- Prioritising Tasks
- Power of Saying 'No'
- Effective Time Blocking Techniques
- Overcoming Procrastination







What Challenges
Do You Face
Managing Your
Time?





### Eisenhower Matrix









We worry about letting others down. This stems from our desire for approval and connection.

# People-Pleasing Tendencies

Many of us equate helpfulness with worthiness. We say yes to maintain relationships.

#### FOMO (Fear of Missing Out)

Declining opportunities creates anxiety. We imagine the potential benefits we might lose.









O1 Evaluate the request

02 Clear communication

03 Offer alternatives



## **Benefits of Time Blocking**

#### **Enhanced Focus**

Reduces mental switching costs.

Creates deeper work sessions.

#### Work-Life Balance

Ensures personal time gets scheduled.

Prevents work from consuming your

entire day.



#### Task Completion

Increases follow-through. Makes progress visible and measurable.

#### **Mental Clarity**

Provides clear structure. Eliminates constant decision-making about what to do next.





## Basic Time Blocking Technique



#### List Tasks & Priorities

Write down everything you need to accomplish. Identify your most important tasks.



#### **Estimate Duration**

Determine how long each task will take. Add buffer time for transitions.



#### Schedule in Calendar

Assign specific time blocks for each task. Color-code by category.

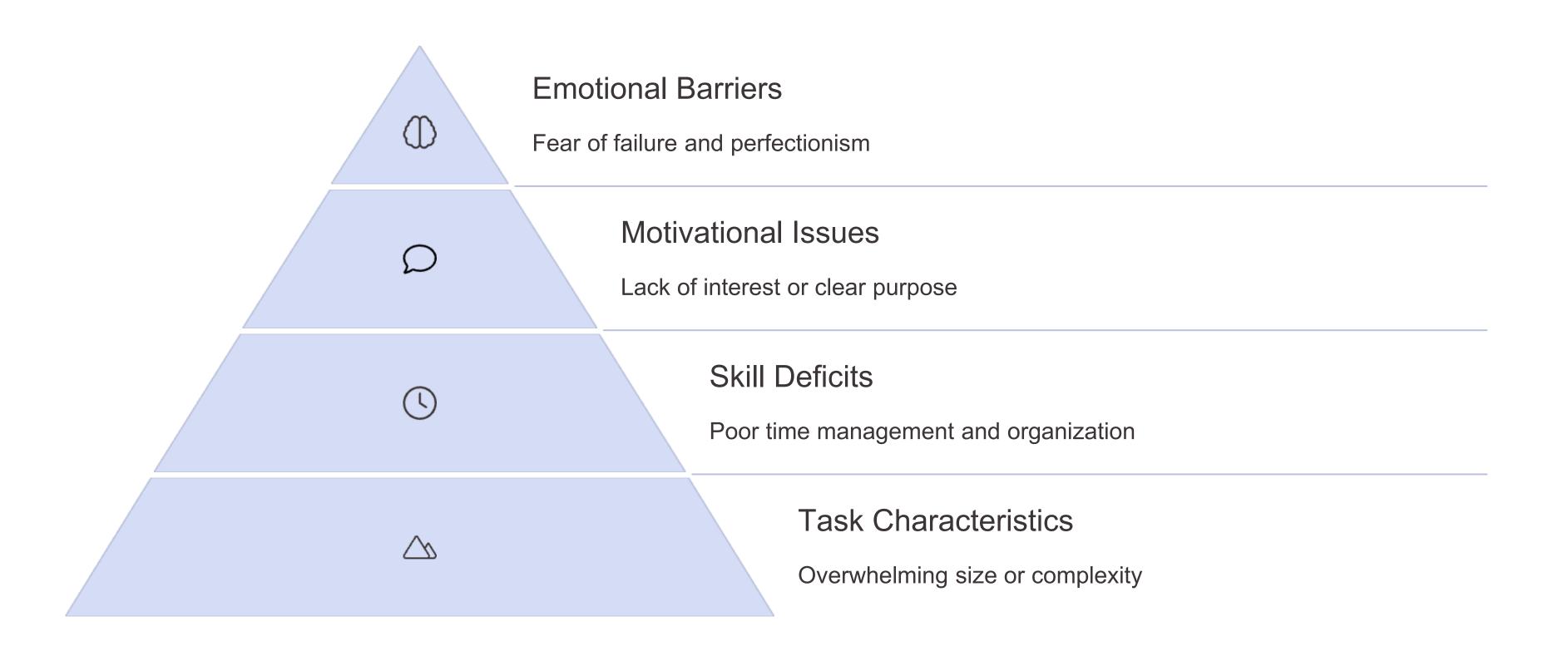


#### Execute & Adjust

Follow your plan but remain flexible. Refine your estimates over time.



## Why Do We Procrastinate?



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# Strategies to Overcome Procrastination

#### Task Breakdown

Divide large projects into small, achievable steps.

#### Two-Minute Rule

If a task takes less than two minutes, do it immediately.

#### Pomodoro Technique

Work in focused 25-minute intervals with short breaks between.

#### **Daily Routine**

Establish a consistent schedule that includes dedicated work blocks.





# Time Management Techniques

#### Prioritisation

- Use the Eisenhower Matrix
- Identify urgent vs. important

#### **Distraction Management**

- Turn off notifications
- Create a focused environment



#### **Goal Setting**

- Create SMART goals
- Link tasks to larger purpose

#### Time Blocking

- Dedicate specific periods to tasks
- Honor commitments to yourself





# QUESTIONS & ANSWERS?

Ask Away.

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