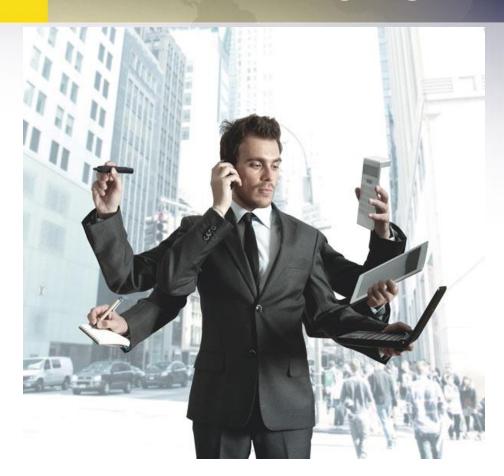
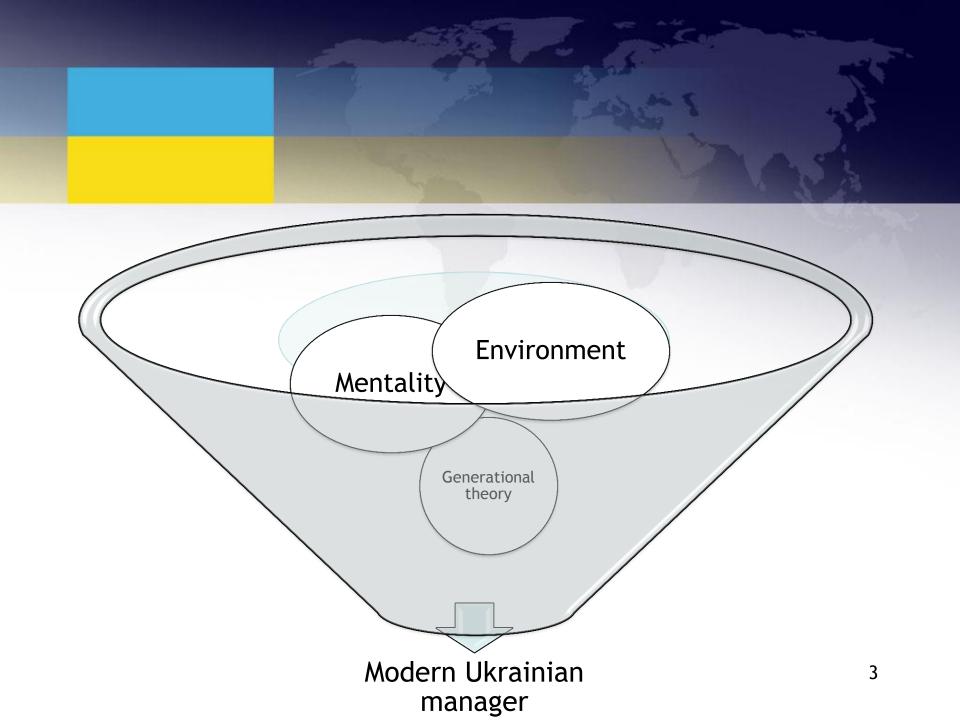
Profile of modern Ukrainian manager

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Ukrainian manager





Environment

- ✓ Large emerging free market with a population of 44.9 million (2014)
- ✓ Ukrainian National Competitiveness Index 2015 is **79** (from 140 countries)
- ✓ September 2015 Ukraine received status of Standalone market (MSCI 2015)

Environment

- √ the 3rd position of top freelancers countries (Elance: An Upwork Company 2015)
- ✓ access to a variety of resources
- ✓ strategic location connecting Europe and Asian markets

Ukrainian mentality



Ukrainian mentality: dualism

The western Ukrainian mentality

Ukraine is not Poland

The eastern Ukrainian mentality

Ukraine is not Russia

Ukrainian mentality: dualism

Western regions

Eastern, Southern and part of Central regions

individualistic

collectivistic

Polish religious and cultural values

Russian religious and cultural values

Ukraine 2015

37% of baby boomers

41% of generation X

Generations

14% of generation Y

1% is elder 60 years

Modern Ukrainian manager



Modern Ukrainian manager: professional characteristics

- > at least one academic degree
- > 10-15 years of whole working experience
- > at least 5 years' experience as a chief
- fluently speaks at least one foreign language (English)
- > strong individualism in management style
- ➤ digital immigrant (Prensky M., 2001)

Modern Ukrainian manager: personal characteristics

- √ very independent as a personality
- ✓ globalist who do not like barriers and rules and value time
- √ willingness to change and flexibility
- ✓ possibility to operate in uncertain environments

Modern Ukrainian manager: personal characteristics

- ✓ introvert style of thinking
- ✓ ability to practical learning on the own experience
- ✓ strong intuition
- ✓ creativity and innovation

Modern Ukrainian manager: personal characteristics

- ✓ extrovert (emotional) behavior
- ✓ preference for personal connections
- √ the lack of stereotypes
- √ speed and abruptness of decisions
- √ amazing survival in turbulent business environment

THANK YOU for your attention!!!

