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Principles that have helped guide me

- Stick to Core Values
- Be inclusive—respect everyone and their role in making this great University
- Make choices, and be OK with the choices you make
- Take risks on new folks
- Be the best that you can be
- Look to the future
 - Where do we want to be, what do we want to be like, where are we going; can't be sucked in to what might appear to be the hopelessness of the present
 - Organization (the bigger than you)
 - Individually for career, family
- Don't have to put up with bullies

A couple of great books I've recently read that you might enjoy:

Oreskes, Naomi and Erik M. Conway. 2010. "**Merchants of Doubt. *How a Handful of Scientists Obscured the Truth on Issues from Tobacco Smoke to Global Warming***". Bloomsbury Press, NY. 355p.

Sutton, Robert I. 2007, with Epilogue 2010. "**The No Asshole Rule. *Building a Civilized Workplace and Surviving One That Isn't***". Business Plus. Hachette Book Group. NY. 238p.