5 Riveting Reads for Risk Champions

1. Just Culture: Balancing Safety & Accountability
   By Sidney Dekker
   “Dekker’s writing is a refreshing understanding of a word that is poorly used and understood in the nonprofit sector. Most risk management experts tell us what they think they should, or what they think we should do, not what these terms actually mean.”

2. Managing the Unexpected: Sustained Performance in a Complex World
   By Karl Wein & Kathleen Sutcliffe
   “They argue that leaders in organizations need to develop a mindset that allows them to embrace change and uncertainty as the norm.”

3. Organized Uncertainty: Designing a World of Risk Management
   By Michael Power
   “Power describes enterprise risk management as a “courageous process”, a journey where everyone understands the organization’s risks from a bird’s eye view of organizational life.”

4. Start With Why: How Great Leaders Inspire Everyone to Take Action
   By Simon Sinek
   “Sinek states that ‘trust relationships should be the foundation of nonprofit leadership teams who want to truly embrace risk management should be getting off board a plane now, not tomorrow. It’s the difference between a successful risk management strategy and one that fails, as the three questions in this book outline.”

5. On Writing: A Memoir of the Craft
   By Stephen King
   “A thoughtful writing on the craft of writing. It is not only a great read, but it’s also a great way to learn more about the writing craft and the way a book should be written.”

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