

Ethics after Hours



Blame

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Are you a blamer? In this short animated video, Brené Brown describes what blame is and why we should give it up.

Video link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RZWf2_2L2v8

Duration: 3 min. 25 sec.

Discussion questions:

- Do you agree with Brown that blame gives a semblance of control?
- Discuss the definition of accountability as “a vulnerable process”.
- Brown claims that “People who blame a lot seldom have the tenacity and grit to actually hold people accountable.” Do you agree?
- Brown argues that “blame is often a missed opportunity for empathy;” do you agree?
- How does blame relate to ethics?