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Human Resource Management: Functions, Applications, and Skill Development, Second Edition, featuring the 2013 Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) Human Resource Curriculum Guide, explores important HRM concepts and functions with a strong emphasis on skill development, critical thinking, and application. In this fully-revised edition, all 210 required SHRM topics are noted within the chapter content as Robert N. Lussier and John Hendon prepare students to develop HRM skills they can use in their personal and professional lives. Students stay engaged through a wide variety of activities and tools that allow them to immediately apply HR functions and concepts.

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The book makes a boring subject somewhat interesting.

This book made my term of HR class excellent. I actually really enjoyed doing my reading assignments in this book every week. The material was presented well, easy to read but challenging enough to be enjoyable. The authors build value on the uses of HR in a modernistic way. HR used to be considered a corner office job. The authors make HR Management seem integrative and a valuable part of any business. You will learn to sell yourself as an HR manager and build value in the business you work for. Highly recommended.

Awesome! Great product.

Ordered this book for school (obviously). It was just as described so no surprises. Very satisfied.

There are many grammatical errors throughout the text. It can be slightly distracting and a bit annoying.

The book is fine. It is fairly easy to read, but some of the exercises in it are a little off the mark. Some of the stories have structure problems in the writing, which allows readers to interpret some elements of the stories differently than what I think the authors intended. I could have used more precision in the writing.

This book is hard to follow. I used it for school and the information is all over the place.

I was worried that when I got the textbook, it would be just another boring business textbook but the author makes the topics easy to understand with lots of examples. I am very satisfied and excited that my teacher decided to use this for his class. But, he is one of the authors, so it makes sense that he would select this book to use.

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