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Management Review highlighted his work on decision downloading, which details how companies can effectively communicate decisions to those not involved in the decision-making process.

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