

“Jumping to solutions.”

Solutions to complex business problems, such as Lean management, ignore the context of leadership that it seeks to correct or replace.

Meaning, Lean lacks the explanatory context for the existence and purpose of leadership.

Lean assumes an existence and purpose of leadership that is incorrect. Consequently...

Lean management is the *epitome*,
the *exemplar*, the *paragon* of what
the Lean intelligentsia advises
most strongly against doing:

Jumping to solutions.

How ironic.

35 Years ago, and still today, the
problems seemed so clear:

high costs, low quality, long lead-times, low productivity, long product development cycles, etc.

But the causality was all wrong.

Nobody bothered to dig
below the surface to discover
the roots of these problems.

All they saw was Lean as a magical
solution for fixing common
business problems...

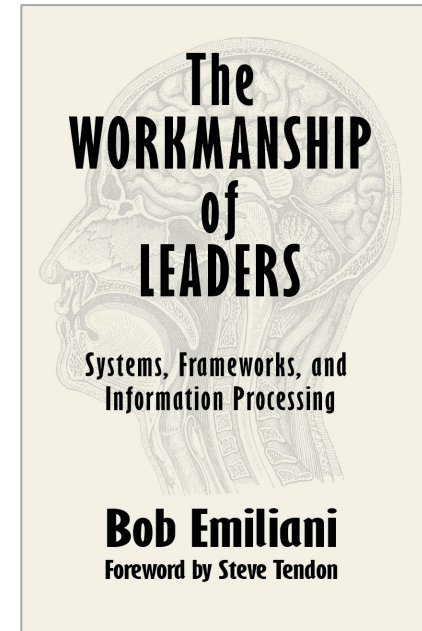
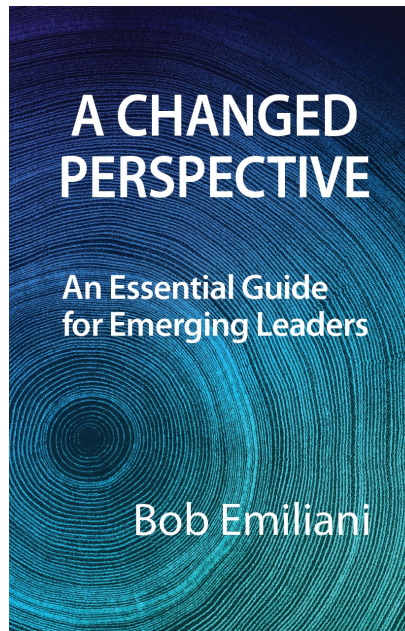
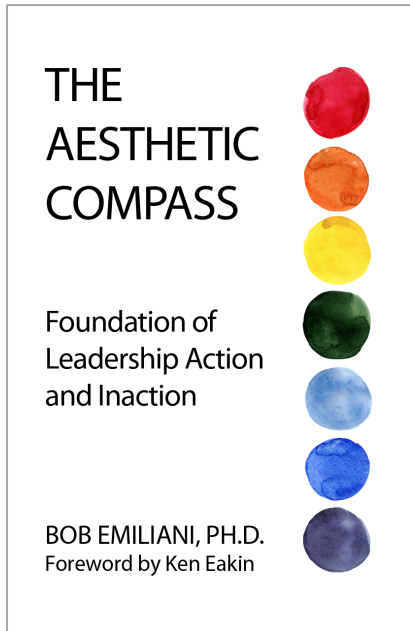
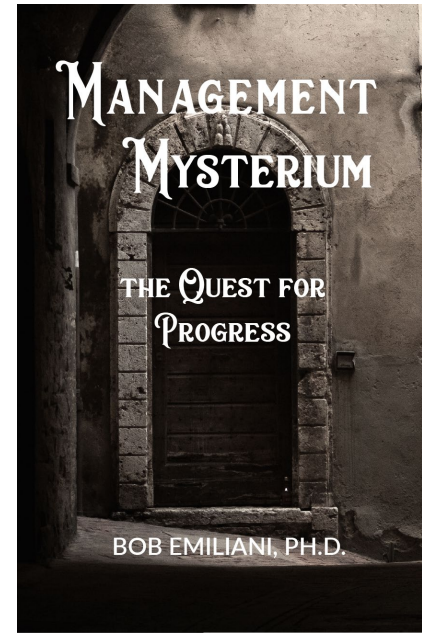
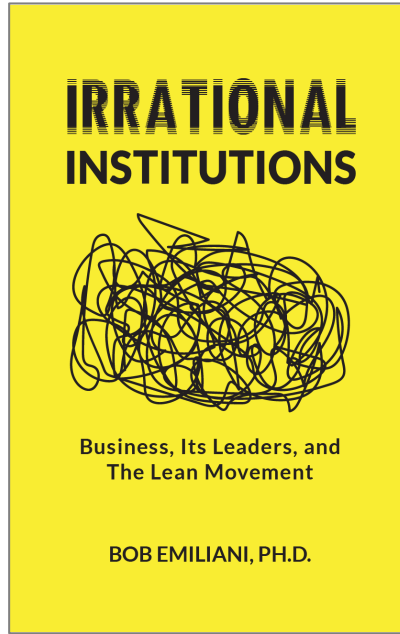
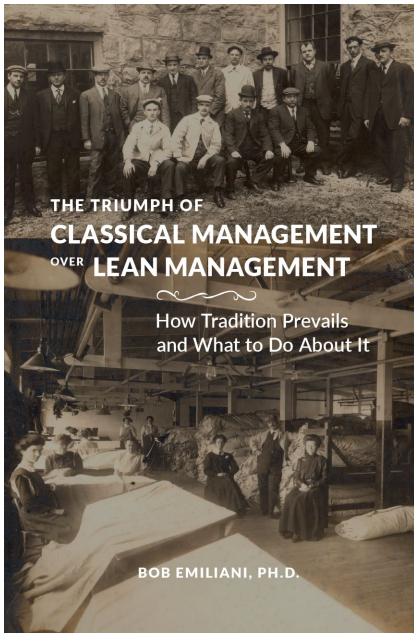
and for transitioning out of the pit
of classical management...

but without understanding the
Institution of Leadership, the System of
Profound Privilege, and why Classical
management endures.

So as a Lean professional, you
have jumped to a solution without
understanding the problem.

What now?

You could learn the roots
of the problem:



Then, determine if Lean management is an appropriate solution.

It might be.

Or not.

Think.