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Brief Introduction	<p>In an increasingly competitive environment, companies are being forced to think harder than ever about the way they work, and how they can improve profitability. <i>Creating the Productive Workplace</i> provides a critical, multidisciplinary review of the factors affecting workplace productivity.</p> <p>Productivity is a key issue for individual companies as well as the national economy as a whole. With 70–90% of the costs of running an organisation consisting of the salaries of the workforce, small increases in worker productivity can reap high financial returns. Many studies have shown that productivity at work bears a close relationship to the work environment. This book sets out the most important factors and evidence behind this phenomenon, and offers solutions to providing creative work environments which are conducive to productivity. Contributions are made by an international team of experts:</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Bill Bordass</td> <td>Derek Clements-Croome</td> <td>Michel Cabanac</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Cary Cooper</td> <td>Roy Davis</td> <td>Charles E. Dorgan</td> </tr> <tr> <td>John Duggart</td> <td>Francis Duffy</td> <td>Mathab Farshchi</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Max Fordham</td> <td>Volker Hartkopf</td> <td>Marshall Hemphill</td> </tr> <tr> <td>John Jukes</td> <td>Stephen Kaplan</td> <td>Walter Kroner</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Adrian Leaman</td> <td>David Mudarri</td> <td>Jean Neumann</td> </tr> <tr> <td>David A. Schwartz</td> <td>Valerie Sutherland</td> <td>Hidetoshi Takenoya</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Jackie Townsend</td> <td>David Wyon</td> <td>Jennifer Veitch</td> </tr> </table> <p>This book is essential reading for company directors, facilities and estates managers, interior designers, architects and building environmental engineers. It is also a text for undergraduates and postgraduates studying these disciplines and related subjects, particularly those related to intelligent buildings.</p>	Bill Bordass	Derek Clements-Croome	Michel Cabanac	Cary Cooper	Roy Davis	Charles E. Dorgan	John Duggart	Francis Duffy	Mathab Farshchi	Max Fordham	Volker Hartkopf	Marshall Hemphill	John Jukes	Stephen Kaplan	Walter Kroner	Adrian Leaman	David Mudarri	Jean Neumann	David A. Schwartz	Valerie Sutherland	Hidetoshi Takenoya	Jackie Townsend	David Wyon	Jennifer Veitch
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