



A man's personality is the product of waves of influence he received in his lifetime. The first wave is of course from his parents and siblings.

Next comes the influence from boyhood friends and schoolmates, and of course even more strongly, from his teachers, both in his country and abroad.

Then there are extracurricular influences from the books he reads, the idols he admires, both in his family circle and outside. Next comes the influence from his work and its environment, his bosses and senior colleagues. With his collaborators both at home and abroad, the influences work both ways.

As he attains position and social status he now exercises influence on his subordinates at work and his family members at home. Even after official supernumerary retirement, in his voluntary career, he receives and returns influence among his new circle of colleagues, both at home and abroad.

Finally he prepares to leave his legacy.

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6. **Boyhood Friends at College**
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7. **My Three Sayas**
(a) Myoma U Ba Lwin, (b) Reverend Ueda, (c) Professor Hla Bu
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(a) Daw Ma Ma Gyi, (b) Daw Yin Mya, (c) Daw Yin May, (d) Daw Tin Tin
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10. Extracurricular Influences

- Nagani Books,
Personal Idols (a) U Lay Myint, (b) Punkah Mg Aye, (c) Ko Ko Hla, (d) Saya Yan Aung, (e) Saya Zawgyi, (f) Saya Minthuwan, (g) Ko Than Htut (Taik Soe), (h) Saya Hla Pe

11. Japanese Influences

- (a) Tagami, (b) Kusanagi, (c) Ko Soe, (d) Ko Hla Nyunt, (e) Ko Maung Maung Nyunt, (f) Zali Maw

12. British Influences - Fabian Socialists

- (a) Webbs, (b) GBS, (c) Bevan, (d) Cripps, (e) Oscar Wilde, (f) Kyaw Kyaw Thane, (g) Saya John, (h) Patricia Herbert

13. My Ministerial Bosses

- (a) U Kyaw Myint Lay, (b) U Win, (c) U Thi Han, (d) Brigadier San Yu, (e) Col. Maung Lwin, (f) Colonel Hla Phone, (g) U Raschid, (h) U Tin, (i) U Kyaw Nyein, (j) Bo Khin Mg Gale, (k) Thakin Tin, (l) Brigadier Aung Gyi, (m) Brigadier Tin Pe

14. Dy. Ministers

- (a) U Chit Mounq, (b) Col. Win
(See in sketches of Colonel Hla Phone & Daw Sann Shin)

15. Permanent Secretaries

- (a) U Hla Maung, (b) U Tin Pe, (c) U Khin Maung Gyi, (d) U Mo Myit, (e) U Ohn Khin, (f) U Kyaw Nyun

16. Immediate Boss Dr. Tun Thin, the successful expatriate

17. My Foreign Bosses

- (a) Yumoto, (b) Ivar Rooth, (c) Lokanathan, (d) Watanabe, (e) Eugene Black, (f) Raja Roy Singh, (g) Maramis, (h) M' Bow

18. My Colleagues

- (a) Ko Aye Hlaing, (b) Sundrum, (c) Koop, (d) Findlay, (e) KKMK, (f) Ko Win Pe, (g) Nelson Mg Gyi, (h) Ko Chan Aye, (i) U Thein Pe Myint, (j) Thakin Kyaw Sein, (k) Brother Hpe Aung, (l) My successors as CSO DG

19. My Collaborators at Home

- (a) U Tha Tun Oo, (b) Ko Nyunt Wai, (c) Ma Sann Shin, (d) Ko Ba Sein & Myint Myint, (e) Ko Kaung Tin & KTC, (f) DKSK & Daw Hla Kyi, (g) Khaing Khaing, (h) Ko Soe Myint & Betty, (i) Ko Ba Lay

20. My Collaborators Abroad

- (a) Ayazi, (b) Huq, (c) Ko Thein Lwin, (d) Capt Tha Tun, (e) Ko Tin Soe, (f) Ko Thaung Tun, (g) Ko Pe Than Oo, (h) U Tin Mg Mg Gale, (i) Dr. U Tun Wai, (j) U Khin, (k) Thein Swe, (l) J P H, (m) P T M, (n) Constandses, (o) Henry, (p) Cyril Gyi, (q) U Mg Mg Hla

21. My Staff-3 B.C.

- (a) Ko Khin Maung Mya, (b) Ko Kyin Thein, (c) Ko Tin Maung Aye, 3 Peons (d) Mg Thaung Yin, (e) Mg Kyaw Thaung, (f) Mg Myo Myint, 3 Others (g) Mg Tun Ngwe, (h) U Mya Aye, (i) Mg Myint Swe

22. My Chauffeurs

- (a) Ko Pu, (b) Myint Maung, (c) Mya Maung, (d) Toe Aung, (e) Shwe Thein, (f) Costa, (g) George, (h) Agostino, (i) Win Myint, (j) Ohn Kyaing, (k) Than Wi, (l) Kyi Win, (m) U Aung Tin, (n) Ko Tu

23. My Neighbours Old and New

24. My Sons

- (a) Soe Min Tun, (b) Lin Win Tun:
My Grandsons (c) Wynn Han Tun, (d) Zaw Lin Tun, Granddaughter (e) Sabe Aye Tun.

25. My Post-retirement Colleagues

- At TBF (a) U Thein Tun, (b) U Mg Mg Hla, (c) U Ne Win, (d) U Hla Myint Thein, (e) Dr. Mg Myint, (f) Dr. Sein Maung, (g) Professor Myat Thein, At Myoma Fund (h) Rear Admiral Thaung Tin, (h) Vice Admiral Chit Hiaing, At M H C (i) Daw Ni Ni Myint, (j) U Tun Aung Chain, (k) Dr. Than Tun, (l) Dr. Thaw Kaung, (m) U Sai Aung Tun At MAJA (n) Dr. Aung Kyaw, (o) U Soe Thein, (p) U Sway Tin

26. My Legacy