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## Navigating Employee Integration in Mergers and Acquisitions: Lessons From *Pretty Woman*

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In this episode of *Hiring to Firing,* hosts Tracey Diamond and Emily Schifter discuss the challenges of integrating employees during and after mergers and acquisitions through the lens of the classic film *Pretty Woman*. Joined by Tunisia Poole and Destiny Washington of Southwire Company, this conversation covers common employee concerns, legal considerations, and the importance of clear communication when managing workplace transitions. Tune in to discover how to navigate the complexities of mergers and acquisitions with strategic foresight.

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