2015-2016
NSA/Colorado
Directory of Professional Speakers

Your go-to resource for top speakers!
Introduction

Dear Meetings Industry Professional,

These are exciting times of growth for the business community. Meetings, conferences and corporate trainings are on the upswing. These events provide extraordinary opportunities for individuals to grow, for organizations to grow, and for you to increase your bottom line—but only if the content is top-notch.

Don’t worry, you’re in luck. NSA/Colorado is the largest chapter of the National Speakers Association and one of the nation’s leading resources for meeting planners like you who are looking for professional speakers and consultants to make your meeting engaging, memorable, and productive.

It is our pleasure to offer you this resource of Colorado-based professional communicators. From keynote speakers, trainers and coaches to emcees, facilitators and entertainers, NSA/Colorado offers a wealth of talent right here at your fingertips.

Chandra Hall, MBA, CSP, NSA/Colorado Chapter President, 2014-2015

Traci Brown, NSA/Colorado Chapter President, 2015-2016
7 Critical Questions
Meeting Planners Must Ask Speakers

When planning your event, we encourage you to ask your speakers the following questions to ensure they will help with the overall success of your event—beyond just showing up and speaking.

1. What techniques do you use to engage the audience?

2. What key points and or takeaways do your audiences leave with?

3. What will participants be able to implement after they leave your session?

4. Do you have supplemental materials related to the content that will be provided to attendees?

5. Are you able to accommodate last-minute changes to the timing and length of your presentation due to shifts in our agenda? (For example, can you do a 30-minute presentation instead of 60 minutes?)

6. Can you help market the event ahead of time? (Ideas include use of videos, social media, and webinars.)

7. What else can you bring to my event? (Ideas include consulting, breakout sessions, books, and referrals.)
Presenting the Professional Members of NSA/Colorado

Our members are listed here in alphabetical order, with a brief summary describing what they can offer to your meeting or event.

Following the listings, starting on page 203, you’ll find indexes for:

• CSP and CPAE members
• Roles (Coach, Consultant, Emcee, Facilitator, Keynote Speaker, Trainer, etc.)
• Topics (Communication, Diversity, Motivation, Sales, Technology, Women, etc.)

Our members speak on a huge variety of topics, and not every topic or role is listed. If you don’t see exactly what you’re looking for here, just ask!

Five ways to find the perfect speaker:

1. Skim through this directory and mark the speakers that look like a good fit, visit their websites or contact them directly.

2. Visit our online directory for more detailed information at http://nsacolorado.site-ym.com/search/

3. Check out our speakers in action—many of our members’ online directory profiles and websites include videos.

4. Fill out our Find-A-Speaker form at www.n sacramoro.org/about-nsa/find-a-speaker-form/ Just let us know a little about your goals and your event, and we’ll send your proposal out to our members.

5. Contact our Chapter Manager at 303-359-2751 or Leslie@NSAColorado.org.

This directory lists our Professional Members. You can also find their listings, and listings for our Professional Candidates, in our online directory, and reach them through our Find-A-Speaker form.

We can’t wait to be part of making your event awesome!

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The Short Cut to Results with Lean Six Sigma

Roles
Trainer, Coach, Speaker

Topics
Breakthrough Improvement with Excel Lean Six Sigma

Program Titles
Breakthrough Improvement with Excel Lean Six Sigma
“Lite” Yellow Belt Certification
Lean Six Sigma for Hospitals
Lean Six Sigma for Services
Lean Six Sigma for Manufacturing

Products
QI Macros Lean Six Sigma Software for Excel
Breakthrough Improvement with Excel (McGrawHill 2014)
Lean Six Sigma for Hospitals (McGrawHill 2011)
Lean Six Sigma Demystified (McGrawHill 2011)

Bio
Jay teaches people how to use Microsoft Excel to eliminate operational delays, defects and deviation while boosting productivity and profits. Jay is the author of Lean Six Sigma Demystified, Lean Six Sigma for Hospitals, Breakthrough Improvement with Excel and the QI Macros.
Bio
Business Marketing and Branding pro
David Avrin is known internationally as the “Visibility Coach.” An in-demand keynote speaker and consultant, David brings his entertaining business marketing Keynotes to audiences across North America and in 13 countries around the world.

Program Titles
It’s Not Who You Know. It’s Who Knows You!—How to Build Your Business by Building Your Brand
Live Your Brand!—How Everything You Do and Don’t Do at Work Impacts Your Organization and Your Job

Products

Roles
Speaker, Consultant, Author

Topics
Marketing
Branding

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I help professional women reclaim their joy

Roles
Speaker, Facilitator, Trainer, Coach

Topics
Joy
Executive Presence
Communication Skills
Emotional Intelligence
Strategic Thinking

Program Titles
Executive Presence: Image and Impact
Communicating for Impact
Leading with Emotional Intelligence
Developing a Strategic Perspective

Bio
Reina has worked with a variety of corporations, executive teams and government organizations in the United States, the UK and Asia. She is an Adjunct with The Center for Creative Leadership, earned an MA in I/O Psychology, and holds coaching certifications with Georgetown University and BCC.
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*Business is Personal ... Relationships do Matter*

**Roles**  
Speaker, Facilitator, Emcee, Trainer

**Topics**  
Professional Relationships  
Leadership and Management  
Teamwork and Collaboration  
Human Resources  
Emotional Intelligence

**Program Titles**  
Ally or Adversary? Navigating Professional Relationships  
How to Keep Your Head When Your Hair Is on Fire  
The Journey to Excellence: Making and Breaking Habits to Ensure Success

**Products**  
*Cultivate: The Power of Winning Relationships*  
(book)

**Bio**  
Morag is a sought-out speaker who is regularly invited to speak at national & local events. Morag’s global experiences result in a rich & challenging learning experience. Her engaging & interactive style is guaranteed to leave a lasting impression, and deliver positive change.
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I help professionals prosper by dramatically differentiating themselves and their organizations

Roles
Speaker, Coach, Promotional Copy Writer, Author

Topics
Personal Promotion, Branding, Marketing, Sales, Small Business

Program Titles
Sell Yourself! Get Them to Buy from YOU
Own Your “Only!” Master Your Marketing with a Single Word
Million $ Marketing on a Shoestring Budget
Beat the Boxes: Out-Market the Big Guys

Products
Sell Yourself! 501 Ways to Get Them to Buy from YOU (book)
Confessions of Shameless Self Promoters (co-author)
Plus: industry-specific manuals, videos and audios

Bio
Fred Berns is a personal branding coach, copywriter and speaker who creates marketing programs, bios, blogs, website copy and other promotional materials for business professionals worldwide. He helps professionals & companies succeed by dramatically differentiating themselves in print and online.
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Working with executives and sales teams to create sales presentations and pitches that win business

Roles
Speaker, Keynote, TED Talks, Workshops, Breakouts

Topics
Creating and delivering sales presentations and sales pitches
Executive networking skills
Selling sustainability products and services
Greening events and conferences

Program Titles
Create and Deliver Sales Presentations & Pitches that Win Business
How to Be a Sales Pitch Pro
Selling Sustainable Products & Services to Corporations
Networking to Win Business
Greening Events!

Products
Customizable workbooks for all workshops
Sales pitch & presentation training booklets
Networking skills booklet & workbook
Templates & training aids for sales presentations/sales pitch development

Bio
Lawrence is a master at creating presentations and sales pitches that win business. Selling over $1 billion of products and services, he has the authoritative voice today’s audiences demand. Fortune 200 companies, like Disney, Walmart, 3M, Coca-Cola and Nestlé, have benefited from his keen insights.
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*Demonstrate how exceptional communication skills will better serve customers and win business*

**Roles**
Speaker, Emcee, Trainer, Facilitator, Train-the-Trainer

**Topics**
Clear and Compelling PowerPoint Presentations
Customer Service and Retention Strategies
Executive Networking and Relationship Building
Listening and Communication Skills for Sales Professionals
Exceptional Customer Care in Any Organization

**Program Titles**
Put Power in Your PowerPoint
Hook Customers at Hello
Keep Customers to Expand Market Share
Networking to Build Business Relationships
Customer-centric Service to Win Business

**Products**
Customizable workbooks for workshops
Networking skills booklet and workbook
Templates and training aids for sales presentations or sales pitch development

**Bio**
Robin has been delivering exceptional customer service for over 25 years through active listening, keen questioning, and demonstrating genuine concern for customers. Robin wants to share with audiences the impact of effective communication on customer service, networking and relationship building.
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Describes cool, new technologies and their uses:
The Future of Communications Technology

Roles
Speaker, Facilitator, Trainer, Author

Topics
The Future of Technology
Cool, New Things Coming in Communications
The Thrill of Tele-Education Health Information Technology
Next Generation 911 and Disaster Recovery

Program Titles
TeleFuture 2015: 5 Cool, New Things Coming in Communications
The Cloud?
Solutions in Education—Using Technology
Health Information Technology
Next Generation 911 & Disaster Recovery

Products
Telecommunications Law in the Internet Age (book)

Bio
Sharon K. Black is both a telecommunications engineer and attorney. This unique combination provides audiences with insights into new technologies, how they work, how to use them in exciting and effective ways, and how the law addresses them in this new Internet Age. Gets groups “Future Ready!”
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*Communication chiropractor aligning voice, non-verbal and messaging for authentic communication*

**Roles**
Coach, Speaker, Facilitator, Voice Over Artist, Emcee

**Topics**
Voice tips/info to create understanding of how voice impacts relationships & business.
How to align your verbal, non-verbal & message to communicate authentically.
Presentation skills meet improvisation.
Voice & non-verbals for leadership.

**Program Titles**
Does Your Voice Portray or Betray You?
Communication Chiropractic - Be Trustworthy!
Connection Over Perfection
Executive Presence for Leadership

**Products**
*An Attitude Adjustment for Presentation Skills*, co-author with Robin A. Miller, Ph. D.
(paperback and ebook)

**Bio**
Hilary Blair is a highly regarded presentation & speaking voice coach working with high achievers who crave honest feedback. She is co-founder and CEO of ARTiculate: Real&Clear, is a board member of VASTA, & holds an MFA in acting from the National Theatre Conservatory & a BA from Yale University.
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Roles
Speaker, Writer, Leadership/Management
Advisor, CEO Coach

Topics
Business Culture
Leadership and Management
Getting Off the Treadmill
Lifetime Goals - The Big Why and How It Impacts Every Aspect of a Business
Hiring People You’ll Never Have to Manage

Program Titles
Why Employees Are ALWAYS a Bad Idea
Creating a Culture of Success
Making Money Is Killing Your Business
Hiring People You’ll Never Have to Manage
Why Managing Costs You Time and Money
Freedom Mapping

Products
Why Employees Are ALWAYS a Bad Idea – http://amzn.to/1tdrdLM
Making Money Is Killing Your Business – http://amzn.to/1xHWXOu
Apex Profile – https://apexprofile.com/

Bio
Best speaker we’ve had in 20 years, and we hire the best. Chuck bootstrapped nine businesses in seven industries on four continents. He speaks from the trenches, not from theory, and his off the grid approach has been adopted by leaders worldwide. Chuck’s vision is to live well by doing good.
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Roles
Speaker, Workshop/Training Programs, Webinars and Coaching

Topics
P.L.A.Y. as a Business and Life Tool
Recognition and Appreciation
Employee Engagement
Office Politics
Increased Productivity through P.L.A.Y.

Program Titles
Learning to Play More to Keep From Turning to Crispy Burnt Toast
Stop Going Bananas
P.L.A.Y. the Hidden Key to Productivity and Profit
Not Everything That Gets People Going Comes With a Dollar Sign

Products
The Gift of Play (book)
Office Peace (book)
Underwear - It’s What’s Underneath That Counts (book)
The Kudo Effect (book)

Bio
My programs bring a NEW tool to life and business. Using the acronym P.L.A.Y., I bring ideas and fun to your audiences that are both useful and entertaining. With great props, stories and audience participation people come away energized and empowered to be better and enjoy the process.
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Creating Successful Authors and Books

Roles
Speaker, Book Publishing Consultant, Book Coach, Radio Host

Topics
How to Create and Implement Your Crowdfunding Project
How to Structure a Speech that Sells Thousands of Books
Conflict Resolution in Health Care

Program Titles
The 7 Deadly Sins of Publishing
Boring Speeches Suck: How to Create a $1,000,000 from ONE Book!
Crowdfunding 101—What to Do Now to Raise Money for Your Project
Zapping Conflict in the Workplace

Products
Sappy Sassy Salty
Author YOU
The Confidence Factor
Zapping Conflict in the Workplace
Stabotage, Red Ink Behaviors
(Books, DVDs, CDs)

Bio
Dr. Judith Briles is the author of 31 books that have sold into 16 countries and generated over $5,000,000 in revenues. Media and print includes Good Morning America, Oprah, CNN and CNBC along with the Wall Street Journal, Time, Newsweek and People magazine. Informative, High Content and Fun.
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Body Language & Unconscious Persuasion

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Coach, Author

Topics
Strategic Body Language for Unconscious Persuasion
Interpreting Body Language
Lie Detection
The Mindset of a Champion

Program Titles
Body Language Confidential
Mastering Magical Persuasion
Cracking the Code: Lie Detection
Inside the Championship Mind

Products
Body Language Confidential (book)
Body Language for Profits (book)
Persuasion Point (book)

Bio
Traci Brown is a body language and persuasion expert. She’s a frequent guest on TV interpreting the body language of criminals and politicians. Ms. Brown is a three-time US Collegiate Cycling Champion and former member of Team USA.
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Recipes for an Inclusive Workplace

Roles
Speaker, Seminar Leader, Strategic Consultant,
Facilitator, Coach

Topics
Diversity, inclusion, cultural competency,
micro-inequities – strategies, awareness
Gender Communication – male/female
workplace communication, women power talk
Human Resource strategies – creating respectful
workplace, preventing sexual harassment

Program Titles
Taking Ownership for an Inclusive Workplace
Conquering Conversational Collisions between
Men and Women
Sweat the Small Stuff: Micro-Inequities at Work
Women: Power Talk! Cultures and Customers

Products
The Gender Communication Handbook:
Conquering Conversational Collisions between Men and Women (Pfeiffer)
Code Switching: How to Talk So Men Will Listen (Penguin)
Conflict and Diversity (Hampton)

Bio
Dr. Claire Damken Brown is a savvy diversity expert. She consults with organizations on cutting-edge practices that prevent harassment-discrimination, improve male/female communication, resolve conflicts, and model cultural competency, creating workplaces where people stay and thrive.
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Helping good people accomplish great things in a very crowded and noisy marketplace.

Roles
Keynote Speaker, Workshop Leader, Emcee, Branding and Marketing Consultant

Topics
Branding
Marketing
The Power of Story
Strategic Networking

Program Titles
How To Be Heard Above The Noise: Branding Your Uniqueness
Brandstorming
Wildfire Stories: Ignite Your World As a Leader
Power Referrals
Building Solid Gold Relationships

Products
Contributing author (on topic of branding) to Paid to Speak and Speak More!

Bio
Founder of Heard Above The Noise®, Dick is an accomplished professional speaker and internationally acclaimed branding and marketing expert. He presents entertaining high-content keynote speeches and interactive workshops with emphasis on creative branding, marketing and strategic networking.
Program Titles
Lessons from Frank - How to improve your business & your life
It’s a Zoo Around Here - The new rules for better communication
Hiring “A Players”

Products
Being Frank (book & DVD)
It’s a Zoo Around Here (book & DVD)
The Business Growth Plan (manual and workbook)

Bio
Richard became CEO of his family’s $120 million car dealership business at only 28. Now he shares his hard-earned lessons from 20 years as a business owner and leader. By hiring the right people, sharing a clear vision and applying proven strategies you can build a thriving, profitable business.

Roles
Speaker, Facilitator, Coach

Topics
Business Turnarounds
Building High-Performing Teams
Family Business Issues
Succession Planning
Improving Communication at Work

I help business owners to work “on the business” and not “in the business” so they can grow
Program Titles
The Undercover Candidate™ — Insights From a Mystery Shopper Job Candidate
Purple Grass™ — Understanding Diversity of Thought
Emotional Intelligence

Bio
With more than two decades of experience in HR, Nora has facilitated interviews with thousands of candidates. In 2012 Nora realized it had been years since she had been in the candidate’s shoes and she ventured out on 100+ interviews. She provides speaking/consulting services on hiring strategies.
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I create an engaging mix of education and interaction to build real-world software skills

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Consultant, Author

Topics
Software Tips and Tricks
Software Productivity
Technology
Presentation Skills

Program Titles
Presentation Success: How to Dodge “Death by PowerPoint”
Excel Tips and Tricks Everyone Should Know
Outlook Tips and Tricks Everyone Should Know
What’s New in Microsoft Office 2013?

Products
*Outlook Tips, Tricks & Techniques* (book)
*What’s New in Microsoft Office 2013?* (book)
*Word Tips, Tricks & Techniques* (book)
Excel with Excel series (video/webinar)
Word Wizard series (video/webinar)

Bio
Although I’ve earned 35 professional certifications including Microsoft Certified Trainer (MCT), my biggest strength is as a “Geek Translator”. With an engaging approach, I effectively deliver content that is immediately useful. Author of 9 software books and creator of 50+ video training series.
**Program Titles**
Ruthless Consistency: How to institute the focus and alignment that drives execution
The King is Dead, Long Live the King: The triumph of Strategic Management over Strategic Planning

**Products**
Strategic Management System (booklet)

**Bio**
Many claim to be experts, but how many have the credentials and chops to back it up? PhD in human performance, national championship winning football coach, and consulting executive Michael Canic does. If you’re serious about results, you’ve come to the right place.

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*I help committed organizations institute the focus and alignment that drives strategic results*

**Roles**
Strategy and Execution Consultant, Speaker, Workshop Leader, Blogger

**Topics**
Strategy
Execution
Organizational Excellence
Human Performance
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Program Titles
On Fire at Work
Reviving Work Ethic
Turning Rookies into Superstars

Products
On Fire at Work: How Legendary Leader’s Ignite Passion in their People without Burning Them Out (book)

Bio
Since 1998, Eric Chester has been the leading voice in recruiting, training, managing, motivating, and retaining young talent. More than 200 clients (7-Eleven, McDonald’s, Wells Fargo, Harley-Davidson, etc.) have turned to Eric to them better understand and engage their emerging workforce.

The Expert on Engaging the Emerging Workforce

Roles
Keynote Speaker

Topics
Employee Engagement
Workplace Culture
The Emerging Generation
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Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Coach

Topics
Leadership
Teamwork
Listening
Conflict Management

Program Titles
Listening is Job—for Leaders!
Leading from Last Chair
A Basic Toolbox for “New” Leaders
Multigenerational Management—from a Maestro’s Perspective!

Products
Listening is Job One—for Leaders! (book in progress)

Bio
“Chevy” Chevallard (PhD, LtCol, USAF, ret) is an experienced business owner, military commander, and professional conductor whose leadership presentations engage and enlighten by applying the practical and proven leadership principles of a professional conductor.
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Inspire Leadership

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Facilitator

Topics
Leadership
Management
Accountability
Communication
Customer Service

Program Titles
Leadership Lessons We Learn From Our Favorite TV Characters
‘Oh Behave’
These People Are Driving Me Crazy
Why We Do What We Do
Spirit of Service

Products
‘Oh Behave’ (DVD with report)

Bio
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Program Titles
The Myth of Price: Why You Should Charge More & How To Do It
The Future of Selling: How To Be a Sales Leader In The 21st Century
Opportunity Walks: Why Most Prospects Don’t Buy & What To Do About It

Products
The Myth of Price (CD & DVD)
The Future of Selling (CD & DVD)
Outsell Your Competition (CD & DVD)

Bio
“The best I’ve heard with the greatest immediate impact.”
—John Williams, Sport Boats USA
“Top 30 Social Salespeople In the World”
—Forbes

Enough about me. Tell me about you. And your audience. What do they need? What do you want them to walk away with? And how can I make you look like a hero?

The Sales Heretic™ – Original thinking for boosting your sales

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Consultant, Coach

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Social Media
Negotiating
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Roles
Trusted Finance & Negotiation Expert, Author

Topics
Finance
Negotiation
Conflict Resolution
Retirement
Parenting

Program Titles
Money Secrets: Keys to Smart Investing
The Art of Negotiation
Raising Financially Responsible Children

Products
Money Secrets: Keys to Smart Investing
   (Hard & Soft Cover, E-Book, Audio Book)

Bio
President and CEO of Wealth Legacy Institute, Kim’s work is done at the intersection of money and life. She helps individuals and families overcome the odds by not only optimizing their financial assets but leveraging their core assets to drive intentional living and legacies that are sustained through generations.
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**Roles**

Keynote Speaker, Trainer, Facilitator, Coach,
Accessibility Advisor

**Topics**

Leadership Development
Innovation Training
Professional Development Coaching
Diversity in the Workplace
Accessibility in the Workplace

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**Program Titles**

Carve out your profession
Becoming a Change Agent
Diversity = A Power Bank Resource
Ignite! & Take Charge of Your Ah-Hah! Moments
Transformative Leadership: Learn to execute your internal voice

**Products**

*Leadership Spirit!* (book or audio CD)

*Launch Your Inner Leader: 6 Stories for Career Inspiration* (DVD)

**Bio**

Buna Dahal, owner of DynamicBuna, Inc., is an internationally acclaimed speaker who has spoken to the United Nations and executives across the world. Through her MS in Organization Leadership, she has developed her own platform L.E.A.D. that transforms executives into noble leaders.
Program Titles
Rally Your Resilience—Reach Your Summits in Business and Life
Resilience for Everest-Sized Goals
The Power of Partnership
Resilient Leadership & Engaged Teamwork
Surviving Storms

Products
*The Ledge—An Inspirational Story of Friendship and Survival* (book, ebook, audiobook)
   National bestseller selected by Amazon as one of best books of the year.

Bio
Jim Davidson is a climber, author and expert on resilience. From his amazing adventures, Jim distills insightful lessons that build resilience for life’s adventures. His compelling story was made into a hit episode of the international TV show “I Shouldn’t Be Alive” (Discovery Channel)

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Jim shares adventurous, inspirational lessons on having resilience for overcoming adversity

Roles
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Topics
Resilience
Leadership
Teamwork & Partnership
Inspiration
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Making Your Passion Our Mission

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Facilitator, Consultant

Topics
Nonprofit Board Governance
Multigenerational Philanthropy & Leadership
Creating a Nonprofit Organization
Individual and Family Giving
Nonprofit Digital Communications

Program Titles
Philanthropy’s Next Generation Now Joining the Board: Covering Your Governance Bases
Social Media as a Fundraising Tool
Where’s Waldo? Finding (and keeping) Next Gen Board Members

Products
Fundraising and the Next Generation (book)
And more: a variety of templates and tools published through 4Good for sale

Bio
Emily Davis is a dynamic and engaging speaker who combines best practices, research, and humor to deliver an approachable and informative style to her speaking opportunities. She serves in numerous leadership roles with local and international organizations and has a number of certifications.
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Program Titles
7 Ways to Be a Leader People Want to Follow
Lead Like a Woman; What Your Mama Didn’t Tell You and Your Daddy Didn’t Know:
Success Strategies for Women
Leading Change in a High Velocity World

Products
Great Quotes from Feisty Women (book)
Mission Possible (Coauthor)
Success in High Heels (Coauthor)
Real World Management Strategies (Coauthor)
2015 Releases: 7 Ways to Be a Leader People Want to Follow; Lead Like a Woman

Bio
Ava Diamond is a former corporate leader, and entrepreneur and an international speaker and author. Participants in her high-content programs get great ideas and the tools and know-how to implement them. Audiences find her inspiring, empowering, down-to-earth, and funny!
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**Roles**
Speaker, Experiential Training, Workshop and Webinar Design Coach

**Topics**
Corporate: Create high impact training experiences that stick and create bottom line results
Small Business: Turn your passion into action and monetize your message
Get business beyond the stage with experiential workshops and high impact webinars

**Program Titles**
Corporate Training that Sticks: Experiential learning for bottom line results
Double Your Bookings: Turn Your Keynote into a Powerful Workshop or Webinar
Turn your Workshop into an Engaging Keynote

**Products**
*Success is a State of Mind* (book)
Workshop & Webinar Success Home Study Course at www.workshopandwebinarsuccess.com

**Bio**
Jean is a master of experiential learning. She knows what it’s like to train over 100 employees a month and keep it engaging and results focused. A member of NSA since 2005 and an international speaker, she has also helped thousands of Entrepreneurs find and share their unique message in the world.
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Where Spirit+Strategy=Success

Program Titles
Believe: Reboot Your Organization For Success
Board-ology: The Art & Science of Board Leadership
Generation Now: Seven Strategies to Be Tomorrow’s Leader Today
Spirit+Strategy = Success

Products
Believe: Reboot Your Organization For Success (book)

Bio
Holly works with organizations to clarify and re-connect to their vision. She increases staff and volunteer engagement by teaching visioning, co-creation, belief analysis, and leadership development. It’s not about a strategic plan, it’s about an actionable vision.

Roles
Consultant, Speaker, Facilitator, Author, Columnist

Topics
Leadership
Strategic Planning
Board Training
Volunteerism
Spirituality

Where Spirit+Strategy=Success
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Military speaker connecting deployed families

Roles
Speaker—both keynote and breakout; Small Group Facilitator; Author of 3 military books

Topics
Military family connections and communication when separated
Family dynamics
Life/military balance
Military writing and speaking for pre-deployment, deployment, reunion and reintegration
Spouse and Youth programs for family conferences and YRRP

Program Titles
The Military Recruits... the Family Retains
From Barracks to Backyard
T.G.I.F. (Teamwork Generates Innovation and Flexibility)
Your Spouse is Home! (communication)
Zentangle for Stress Management

Products
I’m Already Home... Again (family connections for deployment)
The Road Home (for a smooth reunion/reintegration)
24 Flip Tip guides—covering 24 military-specific topics
Resiliency workbook

Bio
A Military Family Separations Specialist since 2003. Creator of the Flat Daddy program. All 3 books and 24 Flip Tip guides are widely distributed through the NGB to deploying families. Extensive media experience. Speaker for family readiness and YRRP. Received 24 challenge coins and an F-16 ride!
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I help you tap the power of your creative vision

Roles
Speaker, Photographer, Creative Vision Guide

Topics
Creativity
Inspiration
Change
Leadership
Photography

Program Titles
Unleash Your Creative Vision
Dream Like A Champion
Telling Your Story With Pictures

Products
Dream Like A Champion (book)
Little Book of Big Ideas (book)
Golfers (book)
PGA Tour: A Look Behind the Scenes (book)

Bio
Described by the director of photography at National Geographic as one of the most versatile photographers of his generation, Dick Durrance brings a uniquely comprehensive understanding of the creative process to executives, professionals, and students, helping them tap into their creative vision.
Build teams that care and get more done

**Roles**
Speaker, Trainer, Facilitator, and Coach

**Topics**
Leadership
Frontline Leadership
Employee Engagement
Team Productivity
Communication

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**Program Titles**
The Seven Things Your Team Needs to Hear You Say
Don’t Motivate, Cultivate: Secrets of energized, productive teams

**Products**
The Seven Things Your Team Needs to Hear You Say (book)
Be the Leader You Want Your Boss to Be (book)
Obstacles to Opportunities: How to Beat Common Leadership Barriers (Online course)

**Bio**
I’m a former nonprofit executive, elected official, and award-winning author who works with leaders to build teams that get more done with fewer headaches. Clients say that I inspire hope, that I make difficult concepts understandable, and that I move leaders to immediate, practical action.
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Business networking and rapport building

Roles
Keynote Speaker, Trainer, Bestselling Author

Topics
Business Networking Skills
Mingling
Communication Conversation/Rapport Building Skills
Building Business Relationships

Program Titles
The Fine Art of Building Business Relationships
The Fine Art of Small Talk
The Fine Art of Engaging Customers and Clients
The Fine Art of Building Community Liaisons
Beyond Texting

Products
The Fine Art of Small Talk (Hyperion)
The Fine Art of the Big Talk (Hyperion)
BEYOND TEXTING (Canon)

Bio
Former engineer, 15+ year member of the National Speakers Association and communication expert, Fine presents programs to clients that include Google, KPMG, Hyatt Hotels & General Electric. A Huffington Post blogger, Fine’s recent media appearances include The Today Show, The Early Show, and CNN.
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Architect of the Future

Roles
Speaker, Facilitator, Futurist Consulting

Program Titles
Micro Colleges and the Emerging Education Marketplace
Future Trends, Future Technologies, Future Industries
The Growing Dangers of Technological Unemployment
2050 and the Future of Infrastructure

Products

Bio
Google’s Top Rated Futurist Speaker
Innovation Editor for The Futurist Magazine
Executive Director of the DaVinci Institute
Before launching the DaVinci Institute, Tom spent 15 years at IBM as an engineer and designer where he received over 270 awards, more than any other IBM engineer.
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Roles
Speaker, Author, Facilitator, Emcee, Philanthropist

Topics
Employee Innovation
Employee Engagement
Customer Experience
Using Humor and Celebration as a Strategic Tool
Humor & Celebration in Sales and Speaking

Program Titles
Celebrate! Lessons Learned from the World’s Most Admired Organizations
The Best Way to Predict the Future is to Create It Connecting with Customers
Using Humor for a Change
Sell-e-brate

Products
Celebrate! Lessons Learned from the World’s Most Admired Organizations (book)
Happily Ever Laughter—How to Engage Any Audience (book)
Using Humor for a Change (book)
The Best Way to Predict the Future is to Create It (audio)

Bio
As a full time Motivational Humorist and past president of NSA, Scott offers his clients a global and culturally sensitive perspective on how to get more out of work and life. In 2013 he won NSA’s highest honor, the Cavett and MPI’s Rise Award for global leadership.
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Inspiring Bursts of Brilliance

Roles
Speaker, Moderator, Coach

Topics
Creativity
Breakthrough Thinking
Problem Solving
Motivation/Inspiration
Personal Development

Program Titles
Break Through to Brilliance
We Can Do It: Thriving in Times of Adversity

Bio
Teresa is a 23-year veteran of the writing/publishing industries and a successful writer’s coach. In her interactive program, she uses the time-honored techniques of the fiction writer to help audiences identify key obstacles in their lives or businesses and brainstorm their way to a positive outcome.
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Angela empowers people to thrive in life!

Roles
Speaker, Coach, Trainer

Topics
Health & Nutrition
Inspiration
Life Balance
Stress Management
Corporate Wellness

Program Titles
Don’t Just Survive, THRIVE!
Live the Life You Dream About
What To Do When There’s No Magic Wand
Healthy Living Made Simple
The Daily Essentials

Products
Manuals, eBook, DVDs

Bio
Angela’s highly dynamic, compassionate, relatable style will motivate and encourage others to chart their own course to wellness through whole food nutrition, life fulfillment, stress management and advocating for their own well-being. Angela delivers inspiring messages that change lives.
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Building Resourcefulness and Resiliency through Humor

Roles
Speaker, Emcee

Topics
Tim Gard, internationally recognized humorist and authority on stress reduction through humor, has taught thousands to unlock the power of their own Comic Visions™ improving their relationships and turning adversity to their advantage.

Program Titles
Change the Game
Developing a Comic Vision®
Leadership, the Tao of Humor

Products
Just Plane Funny (book)
Develop Your Comic Vision® (DVD)
Save Me The Middle Seat (DVD)
The Changing of the Gard (CD, DVD)
Don’t Bug me Glasses and many more fun toys and tools

Bio
Meeting Planner’s Magazine named him “the best main stage speaker, ever!” Tim’s presentations are bursting with interesting, entertaining and useful information that will help you handle stress in a positive manner. His fun props and inventions drive home the message, making it even more memorable.
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Ensuring new hires are productive faster!

Roles
Interactive Workshop Trainer, Speaker

Topics
Hiring
Onboarding—New Hire Orientation
Employee Motivation
Employee Engagement
Employee Retention

Program Titles
Ramp ’em Up or Weed ’em Out—Getting New Hires Up To Speed Fast
Onboarding—The Vital Gap Between Hiring & Training
Getting Top Performers Going... Letting Non-Performers Go
Hiring & Onboarding

Products
The Revenue Accelerator Automated Onboarding System
Virtual Training Library “Onboarding University”

Bio
Merit has been moving attendees into action through interactive workshops since 1998. Attendees leave with fresh ideas about what they can do now to instantly improve their new hire orientation. Her work helps companies grow sales, increase profitability and reduce turnover... oh, and she’s funny.
Program Titles
Innovating Every Day
Using Your Brain to Win
Exposing Yourself (legally & appropriately of course) to communicate more effectively
Being Elite on the field and in the office

Products
More Than a Minute - Being an Effective Leader and Manager in Today's Changing World (book)
Using Your Brain to Win (book)
Neuroprompt subscription series
Skill building workbooks

Bio
Entertaining, sometimes provocative, always interesting and interactive, Holly G. Green speaks on a variety of topics. She’ll work with you to customize materials to achieve the desired result of your meeting or event. Clients include Google, Microsoft, Arby’s, Hyatt and numerous associations.
Program Titles
Neuroscience of Success
Emotional Intelligence: Success in Business and Beyond
Incite Insights: Critical Thinking for Success, Influence for Success
Presentation skills

Products
Books, Participants Guides, Video, Articles, Online Learning Systems

Bio
Scott Halford, CSP, CPAE, is an Emmy Award winning writer and producer, author and speaker known worldwide for his ability to inspire people to action. His focus on strategy and results is one reason he is invited back over and over to work with some of the largest companies.

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Author

Topics
Neuroscience of Success
Emotional Intelligence
Influence
Critical Thinking
Presentation Skills
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Chandra works with Real Estate companies and Associations to inform, empower and inspire real estate professionals

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Business Coach and Facilitator for the real estate industry

Topics
Business Planning
Sales and Marketing
Finance and Credit
Working with Buyers and Sellers
Negotiation for Real Estate Professionals

Program Titles
Real Estate designation courses: ABR, GRI and CRS
Critical Rules, Reforms and New Realities
Five Steps to Achieving Success in any Market
Systems Keep You Sane™
Successful Buyer & Seller Systems

Products
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Bio
Starting college at age 16, Chandra is an accomplished entrepreneur. Born an identical twin, Chandra appreciates the power of individual differences. She uses this belief to help others identify their natural abilities and create more of what they desire both personally and professionally. Her passion is to assist others in recognizing their unlimited potential and unique purpose in life. Through an engaging presentation style combining humor, knowledge, and motivation, audience members discover: Innovation + Implementation = The Realization of What is Possible.
Making it easier to tell the truth at work

Roles
Keynote Speaker, Breakout Speaker, Trainer, Emcee

Topics
Effective Business Communication
Corporate Culture
Effective Leadership and Management
Business Relationships
Career Advancement & Personal Branding

Program Titles
How to Say Anything to Anyone
Be a Best Company
It’s Your Career. Manage It!
Culture Dominance
Leadership Dominance

Products
How to Say Anything to Anyone (book)
Candor Questions for Managers, Leaders, Career Advancement, Teams, Sales and Customer Service (card sets)

Bio
Shari Harley, author of the book How to Say Anything to Anyone, is known globally as an engaging, funny, content-rich business speaker. Her international training firm, Candid Culture, is making it easier to tell the truth at work. Shari is bringing candor back to the workplace.
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Program Titles
The Perfect Landing
I Shouldn’t Be Here!
Whose Holding You Accountable?

Bio
A USAF Academy grad and proven USAF Special Ops pilot with 1800+ combat hours and 420+ combat sorties with proven leadership experience. He has helped shape future leaders as a character coach for the USAF Academy. He currently serves as an international pilot for American Airlines.

Leadership, Motivation, Inspiration, and Innovation from an aviation and Special Ops Professional

Roles
Speaker, Facilitator, Trainer, Coach

Topics
Leadership
Motivation & Inspiration
Innovation
Relationship Management
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Invite people to “Pick up their Sharpie”

Roles
Youth speaker and Corporate Keynote speaker

Topics
Youth Leadership
Motivation
Corporate Motivation/Inspiration (keynote)
Organizational Leadership
Personal Growth/Human Achievement

Program Titles
Conscious Leadership

Products
Your Song (book)
Dream Machine (book)
Field of Dreams (book)
Treasure Island (book)
Magic Mountain (book)

Bio
Mark is a CSP and one of the few leadership/inspirational speakers requested by both the Corporate and Youth market. He will make you laugh, cry, and will inspire you to “Pick up your Sharpie” and make your signature on the world. A United pilot inspired by 9/11... Mark’s message is a MUST HEAR!
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A national expert on laughter providing wit, wisdom, and laughter techniques for all settings

Roles
Speaker

Topics
Laughter and stress management
Laughter for the workplace
Creating Laughter to help with change
Involving management in laughter for selves and employees
Laughter in relationships

Program Titles
Laughter: the Light Solution for Stress
Introducing Laughter in the Workplace
Laughter: the Perfect Tool for Change

Products
Belly Laughter in Relationships (book)
Laughter: the Light Solution for Stress (DVD)
The Power of Laughter (DVD)
Belly Laughter in Relationships (DVD)
Laughter and Stress (CD)
Power of Laughter (CD)

Bio
Enda Junkins, LCSW, brings a sense of fun to all presentations. Her laughter philosophy applies to a variety of topics. Her platform presence engages her audience. In addition to immediate laughter, she provides her audience with practical, unique tools that create laughter in everyday life.
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Leadership, Business, and Economic Development

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Facilitator, Consultant

Topics
Leadership
Strategic Business Planning
Change Management
Communications
Economic Updates for Business Planning

Program Titles
Executive Strategies to Improve Productivity, Profits, and Communication
15 Ways to Grow Your Business
Surviving and Thriving Change
Stop the Barking!
In Case of Emergency, Break Glass!

Products
Master Your World (book, manual, CD, DVD)
15 Ways to Grow Your Business in Every Economy (book, CD, DVD)
In Case of Emergency, Break Glass! (book, manual, CD, DVD)
Stop the Barking (book, manual)

Bio
CDR Kelly led multi-cultural teams managing wartime logistics and bases during her 25 year Navy career. Leadership expert at both USNA and USAFA, CDR Kelly’s keynotes develop current and future military and business leaders through proven techniques, high-content tools, and entertaining programs.
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Innovation & Entrepreneurship

Roles
Keynote Speaker

Topics
Innovation
Entrepreneurship

Program Titles
Up Your Innovation Quotient and Gain the Edge
Think Sideways: Harnessing the Power of Disruptive Thinking
The Innovative Edge: 7½ Steps for Creating a Culture of Innovation
Everyone Zigs You Zag

Products
Innovation Quotient Edge (IQE) Assessment
Think Sideways: a game-changing playbook for disruptive thinking

Bio
For the past 20 years Tamara has advised companies like Disney and Procter & Gamble. As the president of The Shuuk, she is in the trenches driving innovation and growth daily. Her keynotes shake up, wow and inspire audiences to think sideways and take action.
Connect people, process, and politics for stronger project results

Roles
Speaker, Facilitator, Project/Program Management Consultant, Project/Program Leadership Coach

Topics
Project/Program Leadership
Project/Program Management
Project Management Readiness
Project Management for Entrepreneurs

Program Titles
Do You Have a Leadership GPS?
HicCuPs In Leadership
So You Say You Want a PMO
Project Management for the Faint of Heart (For Entrepreneurs or Solopreneurs)

Bio
Amy brings 20 years of project management experience to her work. She has served clients from mining to big data, and her passion for making leadership fun shines through. Her easy style comes from hard knocks and having checked a few things off her “life list” like musician and stand-up comedian.
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Bio
In her relevant & engaging presentations, Dr. Lanig offers keen insights, collaboration strategies, inspiration, and practical steps to thrive in today’s complex healthcare environment. Dr. Lanig combines years of hands-on clinical experience and medical directorship roles to create a call to action.

Roles
Healthcare Leadership Consultant and Speaker, Facilitator

Topics
Healthcare Leadership
Organization Development
Post-Acute Care
Collaborative Leadership
Physician Leadership
Strengthening Access to Healthcare for Vulnerable Populations

Link Mindset to Metrics: Create a Culture of Reliable Fiscal and Clinical Outcomes
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Connecting Companies and Customers Online!

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Workshop Leader

Topics
Search Engine Marketing
Internet Marketing
Social Media
Findability (Twitter, Facebook, Pinterest and more)
Social Media Management

Program Titles
The Findability Formula: How to Drive Customers To Your Website When They are Ready to Buy!
Thumonomics: The Essential Business Roadmap to Social Media & Mobile Marketing

More Programs on Site

Bio
Heather is the widely acclaimed speaker, trainer, and consultant who literally wrote the book(s) on search engine marketing. Her writing and in-demand keynotes and workshops are delivered with the same witty, “no-geek-speak” style that has managed to demystify internet marketing for business owners.

Products
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Advance family enterprise continuity systemically

Roles
Succession and Governance Consultant,
Facilitator, Family and Leadership Coach,
Professor, Humorist

Topics
Governance in the business and family
Family dynamics and communication meetings
Leadership succession
Building enterprising cultures in ownership families
Designing and developing learning organizations for, and in, enterprising families

Program Titles
Succession Matters: Six Continents, 50 Countries, and Hundreds of Family Business Perspectives
Crooked, Spartan, and Rain: Building An Enterprising Culture
Celebrating Failure for Generations

Products
Syllabi, workshop profiles, and customized manuals

Bio
Recipient of prestigious 2014 Family Firm Institute’s Barbara Hollander Award for global leadership and educational excellence in the field of family enterprise. Adjunct graduate-level professor of leadership courses (with wait lists) at University of Denver’s Daniels College of Business since 2001.
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Celebrity draw without celebrity attitude

Roles
Keynote Speaker

Topics
Change
Teamwork
Leadership
Motivation
Success

Program Titles
Six Keys to Success
Success is not Static
Teamwork and Leadership in a Changing World

Products
Heart of a Student Athlete (Greenleaf Books)

Bio
The passion that Karl Mecklenburg demonstrated in his remarkable NFL career is showcased in powerful keynote speeches. Karl’s stories and concepts are woven into tailored presentations targeting your team’s needs. A great draw for your event; autographs and photos are part of the deal.
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*GirlAuthentic helps women build businesses*

**Roles**
Speaker, Facilitator, Coach

**Topics**
Gender roles
Business Building

**Program Titles**
Bringing Forth the Feminine—Brings Balance
Women Building Businesses

**Bio**
Michelle M. Meyer is a mom, a national speaker and the founder of Girl Authentic. Michelle works with professionals—women and men—to bring forth the feminine in the workplace. She seeks to open new avenues of dialog, balance, and wealth and abundance for individuals, organizations and communities.
Bio
Sarah is a networking expert with vast knowledge of next-generation learning and facilitation skills to deliver dynamic sessions that guarantee more participation, opportunities for networking and peer-to-peer interactions to assure a return on attendance. She is a Certified Speaking Professional.

Program Titles
NetWORTHing®: The New Social Economy
Perfecting Connecting: The New Way to Network
Connexity Live (Unique Opening General Session)
Conference Connexity: Delivering on Your Networking Promise

Products
http://velvetchainsaw.com/brain-candy/
ebooksresearch/
http://www.perfectingconnecting.com/products/

Roles
Speaker, Facilitator, Content Weaver, Meeting Designer, Meeting Consultant

Topics
Networking
Careers
Connexity
Communication
Community Building

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Funny Motivational Speaker

Roles
Speaker, Emcee, Master of Ceremonies,
   Breakout Speaker, Concurrent Sessions

Topics
Motivation
Sales
Leadership
Morale
Happiness

Program Titles
Laugh-O-Nomics™—Connecting Happiness
   At Work to Bottom Line Success
Happiness Pays—For Leaders
Happiness Pays—For Sales
Happiness Pays—For Change Management

Bio
Like you, happiness expert, speaker and author
Brad Montgomery believes that happiness pays. He teaches that the bottom line is that
happiness in the workplace is good for the bottom line. He’s a speaker. Author. Thought
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Fan Experience Expert turning customers into fans

Roles
Speaker, Consultant, Facilitator, Trainer, Coach

Topics
Building Loyalty and Retention for Customers and Employees
Enhancing Onboarding and Training Programs
Presentation Skills for Success
Employee Engagement and Recognition
Leadership Skills to Promote Customer-centric Organizations

Program Titles
7 Star Service: Turn Every Customer into a Fan
Leadership Strategies
Customer Engagement to Promote Loyalty
Secrets to Keeping Our Customers Happy!
How to Create and Deliver Powerful Presentations

Products
Secrets to Keeping Our Customers Happy!
A 2-hour, 5-module, Customer Service DVD Training System

Bio
Ruby helps build better relationships: from front-line employees to customers, between coworkers and their peers, and from managers to the employees they supervise. She specializes in turning customers into loyal fans. She will serve as President of the National Speakers Association 2015-2016.
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The Healthy Humorist

Roles
Speaker, Emcee, Comedian, Entertainer

Topics
Comedy
Entertainment

Program Titles
Laughter is the Best Medicine

Products
Humor Me: America’s Funniest Humorists on the Power of Laughter (book)
The Healthy Humorist in Orlando: Laughter is the Best Medicine (DVD)
A House Call in San Francisco (CD)
T-shirts

Bio
Brad Nieder, MD, CSP, is a funny doctor, keynote speaker and clean comedian who blends healthcare humor with wellness advice and an uplifting message. Audiences love his “Laughter is the Best Medicine” program, finding it entertaining, inspiring and informative.
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Roles
Keynote Speaker, Trainer, Workshop and Retreat Leader, Facilitator, Coach

Topics
Mastery
Networking
Creativity
Leadership
Empowerment for Women

Program Titles
The Art of Mastery: Creating Excellence in Challenging Times
The Art of Masterful Networking
The Art of Leadership Mastery
Are Your Roots Showing?
The Art of Empowerment for Women

Products
Stepping Stones to Success (book)
The Art of Writing about Art (book)
How to Be a Super Achiever: 12 Strategies for Unleashing Your Success (book)

Bio
Using her natural Irish humor and colorful storytelling abilities, Nancy inspires audiences to develop Mastery to stay positive and be creative to live their best lives and do their best work. A unique mix, Nancy is a former Miss Maryland, college-awarded “Master Teacher” and fierce content lover.
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Big brand marketing for small budgets

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Coach

Topics
Branding
Marketing
Restaurant Marketing
Achievement and goal setting
Sales

Program Titles
Big Marketing, Small Budget—Grow your business like a billion dollar brand
Creating Desire—Get your ideal customers to buy
Ignite Your Goals—Achieve more in your business and life

Products
What Big Brands Know Business System
The Restaurant Formula—Building a powerful and profitable restaurant brand
The Speaker’s Formula—Building a powerful and profitable speaking business

Bio
After years as an executive with billion dollar brands, Gerry now uses big company strategies to grow any business regardless of their budget. Gerry began his career in marketing at Procter & Gamble. Next, he was an executive for Coors Light, Quiznos and Red Robin.
Program Titles
The Spirit of Adventure—Keynote & Workshop—Mt. Everest expedition
The Secrets of an Adventurer—Keynote & Workshop
Go Outside To Go Inside—Experiential Outdoor Workshop

Products
The Secret of the Mountains (An illustrated hard-bound children’s book)
Go Outside To Go Inside (Workbook)

Bio
Today’s ever-changing business world requires people to go where they’ve never been before. By applying the skills of an adventurer and a visually stunning HD presentation, your team will gain a new perspective on their professional challenges and opportunities.

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I inspire audiences through a multi-media experience of artistry and adventure

Roles
Keynote Speaker, Workshop Facilitator, Professionally Trained Executive Coach, Adventure Guide

Topics
Mt. Everest—Adventure
The 3 Principles
Perspective
Team Development
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Described as “Saturday Night Live for Business,” funny motivational speakers Tim & Kris O’Shea offer one-of-a-kind business humor keynotes. Merging an entertaining delivery style with relevant subject matter, The O’Sheas are HR approved & employee loved.

Program Titles
The O’Shea Report—Change 180: Dealing with Change through Humor
The O’Shea Report—Teamwork 180: The Ups and Downs of Working Side by Side
The O’Shea Report—Sales 180: Sales Through a Comical Lens

Bio
Described as “Saturday Night Live for Business,” funny motivational speakers Tim & Kris O’Shea offer one-of-a-kind business humor keynotes. Merging an entertaining delivery style with relevant subject matter, The O’Sheas are HR approved & employee loved.

Roles
Speaker, Entertainer

Topics
Humor
Motivation
Change
Teamwork
Sales
Bio
Named one of The Top 21 Speakers for the 21st Century by Successful Meetings Magazine, Alan Parisse is the first speaker to come out of the investment business inducted into the National Speakers Association’s Hall of Fame. Alan helps leaders navigate challenge and change and he helps financial advisors grow revenue through deepening and expanding client relationships.

Products
Questions Great Financial Advisors Ask (book)
The Great Salesperson (audio)
This Is Your Time (book)

Roles
Speaker, Coach, Author

Topics
Reinventing Client Relationships
Leading Through Change

Program Titles
The Seven Building Blocks of Profitable Client Relationships
Leading Through Change, Challenge & Uncertainty
Questions Great Financial Advisors Ask
People Need Your Advice
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Guide You to the Richest Experience of Your Life!

Roles
Thrival Expert, Speaker, Author, Executive Coach, Organizational Development Consultant

Topics
Thrival
Leadership
Stress Management
Living Optimally
Influence
Meeting Architecture

Program Titles
Crafting a Thrival Presence—You Must Be Present to Win, Lead and Succeed!
Presence Matters—The Essential Core of Leadership
How to Influence Decision Makers: Promote Your Ideas, Issues, Projects

Products
Thrival! How to Have an Above Average Day Every Day (book)
Supervising: A Guide for All Levels (book)
The Supervision Transition (book)
SEATING MATTERS: State of the Art Seating Arrangements (book)

Bio
I bring 42+ years of research and psychology practice to guide my audiences to thrive—have the richest experience of their lives. They gain immediately applicable tips, tools and practices to bring out the best in themselves at work and at home. My work builds on Huffington’s Thrive.
Program Titles
Hurdling Adversity: Business Lessons from Inspired Living
Hurdling Adversity: Creating a New Normal
Innovate Business Lessons from Olympic Sport
Military Leadership Lessons from Injured Veterans

Bio
Today’s business leaders want to energize and empower their team(s) to deliver exponential results. John’s amazing story of overcoming adversity is authentic; his delivery style commands the audience; his messages inspire and stick. His presentations get the results of “Creating a New Normal!”
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Patrice guides solopreneurs and small business to clarify their brand and create strategic websites

Roles
Marketing Consultant, Branding Expert, Speaker, Author, Coach

Topics
Branding for solopreneurs and small business
Internet marketing strategies
Websites—from a strategic marketing perspective
Marketing materials for solopreneurs and small business

Program Titles
Nail Your Brand: Branding for Solopreneurs and Small Business
Up-Level Your Marketing Materials so They Hit the Mark
Marketing Strategies to Create a Hardworking Website

Products
Nail Your Brand: A 5-Step System to Brand Your Business (CDs + workbook)

Bio
Solopreneurs and small business owners know this: Their business is NOT like a large corporation. Small Business Branding Expert Patrice Rhoades-Baum presents workshops (from 1 hour to full day) on the topics of branding, websites, and marketing tools to this unique group who have unique needs.
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**Bio**
As an award-winning McDonald’s Restaurant Franchisee, Las Vegas show producer, and Chamber of Commerce CEO, Dan is a team-building and leadership expert in multiple business concepts. He’ll open up his playbook and share secrets, stories, and philosophies that can cross over to any industry.

**Topics**
Teamwork
Sales
Profitability
Life

**Roles**
Author, Speaker, Emcee, and Magical Entertainer

**Products**
*Inner-Secrets for the Everyday Landlord* (book)
*Anything with Two Heads is a Freak: How to Make Business Partnerships Work* (book)
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*Strategy Coach and Professional Speaker*

**Roles**
Speaker, Trainer, Facilitator, Coach, Consultant

**Topics**
Strategic Planning
Adaptive Leadership
Governmental Accountability
Ethics

**Program Titles**
Standing the Heat—The urgent need for adaptive leadership
First Through the Wall is Always the Bloodiest
Shift Happens—A new business model for the public sector

**Bio**
An engaging style, sense of humor and a bit of grit and tenacity balance Jamie’s interest in challenging conventional thinking. Experiences in collegiate athletics and the public sector ground her commitment to strengthening societal leadership and personal accountability.
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Developing leaders in business and in life

Roles
Keynote Speaker, Panel Facilitator

Topics
Leadership
Turning Ordinary Into Extraordinary
Programs Designed Specifically to Meet Client Objectives

Program Titles
The Fred Factor: How Passion In Your Work and Life Can Turn Ordinary into Extraordinary
You Don’t Need a Title to Be a Leader
How the Best Get Better
Leading Change

Products
The Fred Factor (book)
You Don’t Need a Title to be a Leader (book)
The Encore Effect (book)
Up, Down or Sideways (book)
Fred 2.0 (book)

Many training and development resources available at www.marksanborn.com/store

Bio
Mark is an award winning speaker and the president of Sanborn & Associates, Inc., an idea lab for leadership development. He has presented over 2400 speeches and seminars in every state and a dozen countries. Training he’s developed for Crestcom International is taught in 90 countries.
Program Titles
Leader as Coach
Increase Influence
Mastering the Zone
Jump Start Your Sales Success
Watch Workplace Productivity Soar

Products
Mastering the Zone—Success Strategies to Get Results Now! DVD and Workbook

Bio
Whatever the format—strategic planning sessions, leadership development, sales training, executive coaching, meeting facilitation or keynote—Dean guides teams through processes that focus their attention on core issues and rallies them to action—often right there in the room.

Roles
Keynote Speaker, Trainer, Facilitator, Performance Consultant, Executive Coach

Topics
Leadership
Results Management
Increase Sales
Improve Productivity
Achieving Goals

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Keynotes that make data security fun & memorable

Roles
Keynote Speaker, Deep Dives, Board Advisor, Executive-Level Coach

Topics
Cyber Security
Identity Theft
Internet Privacy
Business Fraud
Human Hacking

Program Titles
Data Spies, Hackers & Online Attackers: Bulletproof Your Profits
Cyber Security Smack Down: Defending Your Digital Devices
Think Like a Spy: Aggressive Fraud Defense
The Art of Human Hacking

Products
The Identity Theft Recovery Guide (book)

Bio
John Sileo’s identity was used to embezzle $300,000 from his clients. The exposure destroyed John’s career as he fought to stay out of jail. Combining real-world experience & years of study, John became a leading voice on data security, including work with the Pentagon, 60 Minutes, and Rachel Ray.
Hands-On help for Management

Roles
Speaker, Facilitator, Trainer, Executive Team Coach, Emcee

Topics
Futurist Leadership
Market Targeting
Executive Team Enhancement
How to Budget Time
Pricing Service Businesses

Program Titles
Team Building
Futurist Leadership
Corporate Storytelling
Delivering Difficult Messages
Interpersonal Communication and Workplace Roles

Bio
Diana consults in troubleshooting, problem-solving, and strategic partnering.
“Wonderful presence, Knows her stuff, Gets people thinking, Love the interaction, Great stories, Inspiring, Educational, Friendly, Engaging, Well-paced, Keeps my attention, Connects with the audience, Most helpful.”
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I facilitate quick, easy and fun stress relief.

Roles
Facilitator, Trainer, Author, Coach, Business Owner

Topics
Stress Relief
Wisdom of the Body and Movement
Relationships
The Power of Play
Attaining Goals thru Letting Go

Program Titles
Move More, Stress Less
Stress Free in 30 Seconds
Move Your Body, Change Your Life
Lighten Up, It’s Just Stress
What the Fun, An Irreverent Approach to Success

Products
Stress Free in 30 Seconds— An Irreverent Approach to Managing Life’s Challenges (book)
Reclaiming an Adult Relationship to Play
Change Your Money Mindset & Have More Money Now (Releasing CDs)

Bio
With over 20 years experience facilitating transformative experiences, I bring to my trainings a depth of wisdom and an abundance of compassion for the struggles that come with being human. Knowing how to adapt and meet adversity are critical skills for all. With just a spoonful of irreverence.
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Making Learning Fun

Roles
Speaker, Emcee, Trainer, Television Personality, Author

Topics
Making Science Fun
STEM - Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics
Science of Customer Engagement
Science of Creativity
Science of Leadership

Program Titles
Flying Potatoes and Exploding Soda—Take Your Customer Engagement to the Next Level
Hands-on Science Secrets—How to Make Science Fun
Boring to Bravo—Secrets of Audience Engagement

Products
Visit SteveSpanglerScience.com

Bio
Steve Spangler is a best-selling author, television personality, science expert and entrepreneur who finds the most creative ways to make learning fun. More than 150 million people watch his YouTube videos to find inspiration for making science fun.
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How to achieve Maximum Results in Minimum Time™

Roles
Keynote Speaker, Trainer, Author, Columnist, Spokesperson

Topics
Personal Productivity
Business Performance
Work Life Balance
Strategy Execution
Time Management

Program Titles
EMAIL: Using Microsoft Outlook Effectively
LEADERSHIP: Looking at Time Through the Lens of Leadership
OVERLOAD: What to Do When There’s Too Much to Do
TIME: Managing Your Time, Priorities, Schedule

Products
Execution IS the Strategy (book)
What to Do When There’s Too Much to Do (book)
SuperCompetent (book)
The Exhaustion Cure (book)
Find More Time (book)

Bio
Laura Stack is America’s Premier Expert in Productivity™. Since 1992, her talks and books have helped leaders, teams, and professionals improve output, execute efficiently, and save time at work. Laura is a frequent spokesperson and a sought-after authority on performance and workplace issues.
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Roles
Sales Speaker, Sales Trainer, Sales Consultant

Topics
Sales Leadership
Sales Management
Emotional Intelligence For Sales Success
Consultative Sales Training
Hiring and Selecting Top Sales Talent

Program Titles
Emotional Intelligence For Sales Success
Growing Great Sales Teams
Managing Results—Not Excuses
Building High Performance Sales Teams
‘Higher Expectations’—Recruiting Top Sales Talent

Products
Motivational Selling (book)
Growing Great Sales Teams (book)
Emotional Intelligence For Sales Success (book)

Bio
If you’re tired of sales speakers that only talk about techniques, consider Colleen Stanley for your next engagement. Her unique sales approach integrates emotional intelligence skills with consultative selling skills. Even hard core sales veterans walk away saying, “Wow, I learned something!”
**Program Titles**

The Power to Persuade—The Magic of Story
Aikido Selling—Sell it With a Story
Customized titles

**Products**

Next Level Storytelling (video eLearning series)
The Dynamite Speech System (audio and workbook)
*Doug Stevenson’s Story Theater Method* (book)
Introduction to Story Theater (audio)
Various audios and DVDs

**Bio**

Individuals and corporate teams at Microsoft, Google, Coca-Cola, Verizon and more have hired Doug, in 16 countries, to help them use stories more effectively to motivate, teach, or sell a vision, product or service. His Story Theater Method makes content entertaining, persuasive, and memorable.
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Program Titles
The Gift of the Opposite Sex
The Keys to Selling to Women
Relationship Strategies in Challenging Times

Products
Complementary YouTube Channel Videos
Four Books
Meditation CD’s

Bio
Entertaining, smart and audience-centric, Carolyn has over 25 years of experience presenting both in person and on television. Author, CEO of CSC Studio featured on HSN, and the expert on the differences between men and women and how to communicate effectively to get the outcomes you desire.

Roles
Keynote Speaker, Trainer, Business Consultant, Emcee

Topics
Selling to Women
Blended Management
Gender Diversity
Creating Powerful Relationships
Employee Expectations and Evaluations

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Roles
National Speaker, Consultant, Coach, Trainer, Facilitator

Topics
Leadership
Change and Transition, Humor, Healing
Nursing Leadership
Psychoneuroimmunology
Alternative to Discipline Programs

Program Titles
Humor in Nursing Leadership
Leadership and Lightness of Being
How to Manage Change and Transition
Lightness of Being
Emotional Intelligence: Why It Matters
Peer Assistance Programs

Products
DVD’s, CD’s, Articles, Props, Newsletter, Articles, Manuals, you name it.

Bio
Donna Strickland, RN, MS, PMHCNS-BC, CSP is a nationally acclaimed Speaker and Organizational Development Consultant in Leadership and Team Development. She specializes in opening and closing large national conferences. Donna is famous for her high energy, dynamic keynote addresses and presentations.
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Helping businesses and organizations reach their “middle members”

Roles
Keynote Speaker, Workshop Presenter

Topics
Motivation
Engagement

Program Titles
Motivating the Middle: Real Answers for Unmotivated Customers, Employees, and Members

Products
Motivating the Middle: Fighting Apathy in College Student Organizations (available on Amazon)

Bio
T. J. Sullivan has spent the last 20 years as one of the most respected speakers in the college market, helping more than 3 million students in all 50 states with their leadership challenges. His book is currently being used by more than 100 college leadership courses.
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Program Titles
Braveology
How to Breathe Life into Business Presentations
Influence without Authority
Making Managers into Leaders
Manage Things Lead People

Products
Guerilla Marketing for Speakers
Train the Trainer for Speakers
Influence without Authority
Manage Things Lead People

Bio
Ed Tate is an award winning international keynote speaker, trainer, author, executive, and motivational movie star. Worldwide he is known as “The Speaker Who Energizes, Educates and Entertains.” To date, he has spoken professionally in 47 states, 18 countries and on five continents.

The Speaker Who Energizes, Educates and Entertains

Roles
Keynote Speaker, Trainer, Coach, Author, and Executive

Topics
Training
Marketing
Presentation Skills
Leadership
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Branding & Image Consulting

Roles
Speaker, Consultant, Seminar Facilitator,
Speaking Coach, Media Coaching

Topics
Professional Appearance
Professional Communication Skills
Professional Networking Skills
Social Media
Career Coaching

Program Titles
The Essentials of Personal Branding: Why Packaging Yourself Matters
Essential Presentation Skills
The Essentials of Professional Networking
Essential Career Tools—Social Media
Custom Programs

Products
The Essential Style Manual for Men

Bio
Luis is dedicated to helping people craft and present their best possible image professionally and personally in the areas of personal style, communication, and professional networking. Luis has spoken throughout the country at national conferences, corporate events, and professional associations.
Program Titles
The Changing Face of Meetings:
Ditch the status quo and design general sessions that rock!

Bio
Specializing in creating dynamic general sessions, Glenn works with clients to enhance the audience experience through the use of technology, compelling content, and open, interactive dialogue and interviews. He is an active supporter of public television and can be seen regularly on PBS.

Roles
Conference Moderator, Executive Interviewer, Master of Ceremonies, Panel Moderator, Emcee

Topics
Audience Engagement Strategies
Meeting Design
General Session Formatting
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Launching Emotionally Healthy Leaders

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Coach

Topics
Communication
Leadership
Emotional Health in the Workplace
Women in Business

Program Titles
Straight Talk to Boost Your Bottom Line
Change Your Story, Change Your Life
The Comparison Cure

Bio
With 15 years as a psychotherapist to Fortune 500 companies, Sylvia understands the underlying challenges people face and how they impact a company’s bottom line. Attendees of Sylvia’s programs leave with a clear path to take personal responsibility for their performance, communication and outcomes.
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Life-balance, SelfCare, Making a Difference

Roles
Hall of Fame Speaker, Consultant, Author

Topics
Life Balance
Making a Difference
SelfCare
Generational Differences
Healthcare

Program Titles
SelfCare for HealthCare
Balancing Life in Your “War Zones”
Chicken Soup for the Nurse’s Soul
Chicken Soup for the Caregiver’s Soul
What’s This Generation Coming To?

Products
SelfCare for HealthCare™, Your Guide to Physical, Mental and Spiritual Health (program)
Balancing Life in Your “War Zones” (book, CD, DVD)
Chicken Soup for the Nurses Soul (book, CD, DVD)
12 Chicken Soup books

Bio
Recounting her dramatic experiences from the Vietnam Orphan Airlift, LeAnn uses fantastic stories and photos to share life-changing lessons to cope in our “war zones” today. Her inspirational, poignant, yet funny presentations teach tools to balance their lives, truly live their priorities, and make a difference.
Program Titles
Don’t Fret About Change—Get GOOD at It Instead!
Change is Hard! ... (until it isn’t)—Leveraging the Five Laws of Transformational Change
How We ‘See’ the Future Changes EVERYTHING!

Products
JUMP!—Get Unstuck: Extraordinary Life Breakthroughs Through Innovative Change (book)

Bio
I’m a high-energy, innovative, and insightful transformational change architect—living “in the arena” in organizational development. I bring current, real-world experience to my keynotes and books, where I passionately reveal how to reach for and achieve exceptional results. Get GOOD at Change!
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*Leveraging difference for better results at work*

**Roles**
Speaker, Workshop Facilitator, Consultant

**Topics**
Masculine–feminine differences
Gender diversity at work
Diversity
Women working with women
Women succeeding in a masculine world

**Program Titles**
Leveraging Masculine & Feminine Strengths for Better Results
The Inclusive Leader: Appreciating Difference
Solving the Generations Puzzle
Women Reaching the Top
Women Supporting Women

**Products**
*Difference Works: Leveraging Masculine and Feminine Approaches at Work* (book)
Personal Profile on Masculine-Feminine Continuum (assessment)
The Business Case for Gender Diversity

**Bio**
Caroline Turner is an expert in gender and generational differences at work. Her workshops and keynotes are dynamic and effective. She breaks through unconscious mind-sets that create obstacles for diversity and inclusion—and enables leaders to achieve better business results through inclusion.
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Get more Likes, Links, and Leads with social media and ultimately make more money

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Workshop Facilitator, Panelist, Consultant

Topics
Facebook Marketing
Facebook Advertising
Social Media Marketing
Social Media ROI
Humor in Marketing

Program Titles
How to Use Facebook to Get Leads and Easily Grow Your E-mail List
Facebook Advertising Secrets
Using Social Media to Get More Likes, Links, Followers and Fans and Ultimately Make More Money

Products
Facebook Marketing All-in-One for Dummies (book)
How to Use Facebook to Get Leads for Your Business, Facebook Advertising Secrets, Social Media Manager School Facebook Influence (courses and e-books)

Bio
Andrea Vahl is a Social Media Consultant and Speaker who is passionate about helping businesses understand and leverage the power of social media to actually grow their business. She is the co-author of Facebook Marketing All-in-One for Dummies and a wig-wearing comedian.
Program Titles
The Curiosity of Change
The Joy of Customer Service

Bio
A 40-plus-year veteran of the Hospitality Business, André suddenly lost his eyesight and had to reinvent himself. Having gone through a traumatic, personal change as well as many job-related relocations, and having successfully led multi-million dollar hospitality businesses through global recessions, André challenges the audience to wake up their curiosity to enable change.

I challenge my audience to wake up their curiosity

Roles
Speaker, Trainer, Consultant

Topics
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Customer Service
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*Motivational Speaker with a valuable message*

**Roles**
Speaker, Trainer, Coach

**Topics**
Self-Empowerment
Stress Management
Communication Skills
Presentation Skills

**Program Titles**
Prescription for a New You—With Unlimited Refills
The Courage to be Imperfect
Coping and Thriving
Walk Out Winners
Presenting with Passion and Power

**Products**
5 *Chicken Soup* books (series)
*Prescription for a New You—52 Doses of Encouragement* (Rx Pad)

**Bio**
Suzanne Vaughan is a professional speaker, and author with a valuable message. She has a B.S. degree in education and has taught psychology and speech on a community college level. She has delivered programs throughout the United States for over 30 years on Self-Empowerment and Communication Skills.
Program Titles
Self mastery, Well-being, Leadership,
Whole Brain learning, Social Awareness,
Purpose, Team building, Interpersonal
Communication, Neurobics, Ergonomics

Products
LRP Brain Profiles: Toolkid™, Toolbox™,
Advanced™, & EI™
High Achiever (program with manuals and
DVD’s)

Bio
Unique expertise in the field on Neuroscience
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Speaker/presenter ASTD (ATD) for the past 14
years. Plenary speaker at several international
conferences. Author of numerous publications
in industry related magazines. Author of *Brain
Fitness* book.

Roles
International Motivational Speaker, Trainer,
Facilitator, Coach

Topics
Neuroscientific approach to emotional
intelligence
Neuroscientific approach to stress management
Neuroscientific approach to leadership
development
Neuroscientific approach to coaching
Your amazing Neurological design

I am passionate about people development
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Program Titles
5 Killer Ways to Create a Kick-Ass Pitch Deck
Robots Suck!
Change Your Brand Like a Real Person!
Ignite Your Staff and Launch into Creative Ideation
Build a Brand Foundation for Your Non-Profit

Products
ThePresentationWorkshop.com

Bio
Paul Vorreiter is a presentation & branding expert with over two decades of graphic design, branding and presentation experience. He speaks and teaches branding & presentation workshops using powerful but simple-to-learn techniques. Paul works with Keynote Speakers, C-Level Executives and Startups.

Roles
Speaker, Presentation Expert, Branding in Today’s Markets, Creative Leader, Trainer

Topics
Presentations
Pitch Decks
Creativity Workshops
Leading Creative Staff
Branding
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Roles
Opening/Closing Keynote, Breakout Leader,  
Humorous Emcee, Panel Host, Video Host

Topics
Engagement  
Leadership  
StressBusting with Humor  
Change Mastery  
Women’s Success Events

Program Titles
Engagement: Have Them AFTER ‘Hello’!  
Associations: Make Members/Staff Feel like Rock Stars!  
StressBusting with Humor  
Put On Your Big Girl Panties & Ride, Cowgirl!  
BRING IT! Handle Change Now!

Products
Let the Coffee Stir the Cream: Peak Productivity Tips (book & card deck)  
Ready, Set...ENGAGE!  
The OPA Factor: Living on Full Throttle: with Ethos, Logos, Pathos...& Laugh-os!

Bio
Kelli Vrla, CSP (Ver-lah), Texas Born Road Warrior for Engaging & Energizing: festive, entertaining, exciting, content-rich with tools to use right away! A crowd favorite, Kelli loves to interact with your group & customize your message. Pre-event & onsite custom videos & Flash Mob fun! Save the date!
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Fearless facilitation for Real Change

Roles
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Topics
Survive and Thrive in the Multicultural, Multigenerational Workplace
Communication is a Two-Way Street
Building Today’s Team—Virtual and Face to Face
How to Fix Your Employees—when you can’t afford to lose them!
Present for Impact!

Program Titles
Present for Impact!
Managing Work Expectations—Transforming Attitudes
Listening—Lost art of communication
How to Deliver On the Job Training
Building Resilience

Products
Full participant workbook accompanies every program
Free blogs, newsletter, app

Bio
Christie’s focus is on building skills—with real-world examples, practical tactics, and interactivity—to meet this outcome: Participants walk away having learned something. Real behavior change takes place. Individuals are different. Teams are stronger. Significant results are realized.
Teaching managers how to make smarter decisions.

Roles
Speaker, Facilitator, Author

Topics
Decision Making
Managing Generational Differences
Selling to the Generations
Recruiting Top Talent

Program Titles
Decidophobia: The Future of Decision Making in a Menu-Driven Workplace
Whatever! Managing the Generational Divide in Today’s Digital Workplace
Business to Business Selling and the Emerging Generations

Products
Figure It Out! Making Smart Decisions in a Dumbed-Down World
Generations: Understanding Age Diversity
Crossing the Generational Divide
Two Minute Motivation: How to Inspire Superior Performance

Bio
Bob Wendover, CSP, is a 30-year veteran of the platform having worked with a host of household names, professional associations and governmental agencies. The award-winning author of ten books, his work has appeared in major media across the US.
Program Titles
10 Guerrilla Strategies to Double Your Business
The Guerrilla Selling Seminar
The Guerrilla Marketing Seminar
What’s NEW in Guerrilla Marketing

Products
Guerrilla Selling
Guerrilla Marketing Remix—the Best of Guerrilla Marketing
Guerrilla Negotiating
Guerrilla TeleSelling
Guerrilla Trade Show Selling

Bio
Orvel Ray travels the world sharing his unconventional thinking at sales meetings, conventions and small-business groups. From a general-session keynote to an intensive, two-day bootcamp, he will arm your people with hundreds of simple, low-cost marketing tactics that drive sales and build profits.
Certified Speaking Professionals

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Dahal, Buna  
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