



David is a master executive coach , experienced executive team facilitator and keynote speaker.

David is highly skilled in supporting leaders to tap into a deeper capacity and to turn that capacity into measurable impact. His approach focuses on the whole person. It is his view that extraordinary leadership requires the executive to learn how to both use their positional power well while tapping into a positive expression of their personal power. He has found when these are both in place leaders can have extraordinary impact.

David recently worked with a senior partner in an accounting firm enabling that partner to generate two million dollars in additional business in a just 3 months time. David's clients regularly report similar breakthrough results from working with him.

David has supported similar results for such clients as AT&T, EPA, Department of Labor, Department of Education. Lockheed Martin, Federal Realty Investment Trust, Grant Thornton, PricewaterhouseCoopers and Towers Watson to name a few.

David is a regular keynote speaker on various topics around leadership. His topics include The Power of Creative Leadership, The Heart of Influence, The Science of Achievement, and The Rising Power of the Feminine in Leadership. He is also a spokes person on leadership for the Maryland Chamber of Commerce and recently delivered a four part series to the chamber entitled "A Call to Leadership" that focused on the urgent need in the business and private sectors to grow the leadership necessary to lead in an era of acceleration.

David is also the CEO and Founder of [Executive Skillworks](#), a fifteen year old leadership development consultancy as well as the founder and director for [The Columbia Leadership Academy](#). The academy's focus is providing access to high level leadership development experiences to leaders of small to medium size businesses.

David has lived in the Baltimore, Maryland area most of his life. He received a BA in psychology from The University of Maryland College Park and an MS in Organizational Development from American University. He was certified as a Master Certified Coach by the International Coach Federation in 1996 and has maintained that status. David has also studied extensively with many key thought leaders in the fields of leadership and coaching including Julio Olalla, James Flaherty and Bob Anderson. In addition, David's work and clear thinking on leadership is influenced by a broad range of wisdom from such fields as sports psychology, eastern and western philosophies, neurobiology, and quantum physics.

David's approach is also influenced by a successful sales career that spanned fifteen years. He sold in a cross section of industries and his client first focus allowed him to be a top performer including being regularly inducted into the Presidents cCub. An honor reserved for top sales performers.

David is single, resides in Columbia, Maryland and has an eleven year old daughter Alexandra. His passions include scuba diving, volunteering and philosophy.