



Keynote Speech Abstracts

Elevating Your Confidence and Amplifying Your Power

To exercise influence without authority it is important to understand the nature of power and influence in your organization, understand your own personal sources of influence, and know how to leverage your personal political power. Successful professionals build networks of relationships with stakeholders and influencers; this session introduces the skills necessary to employ these interpersonal and leadership skills putting you in a position to manage the often complex relationship dynamics of the workplace.

Intelligent Disobedience

To practice intelligent disobedience is to collaboratively push on our ideas and assumptions to keep the organization and ourselves out of harm's way. Often, easier said than done. In this conversation we explore the value of intelligent disobedience, how to practice it, and how this practice leads to better outcomes, improves morale and our acumen. So, what is the trick? In a word, trust.

Management's Seven Deadly Sins

We live in a maddening world at times. It's a world where project expectations are soaring, requirements can be vague, commitments are tenuous, priorities shift, and responsibility is often given without authority. What do most of us do? We jump in and do the best we can. Better known as trying to survive. There is a better way! In this conversation we reflect on key challenges we share and practical solutions to move productively forward, and together.

The Six Imperatives for Success

Defining what it takes to consistently achieve success is not easy. What is the equation for success? Can success be broken into a set of components, when practiced together, will result in achievement? Indeed, these are challenging ideas. In this conversation we will explore Kapur's formula for success and explore how this well-tested and widely applied approach positions you to personally and professionally thrive.

Makingme1st

Makingme1st – Invest in yourself to enhance your professional impact, manage stress, and improve well-being. Makingme1st advocates the re-prioritization of the individual, a pivotal decision in activating your best self. A catalyst for self-investment, Makingme1st offers a unique approach designed to place the individual first, generating greater personal and professional contentment. This interactive experience will challenge you to make self-commitments, plan your personal and professional growth, evolve your thinking and realize your potential. 