

Maximising your Leadership and Team Performance in Challenging Times

Speaker details:

Chris Hughes, Executive Coach, Leadership Development Specialist, The Hughes Company

Committed to achieving the results you want, Chris Hughes is a genuinely warm, humorous and charismatic presenter who through his fusion of style and substance delivers genuinely useful and relevant information in a way that inspires and motivates clients to succeed. Chris has achieved exceptional feedback and sustained results by combining interactive learning with the existing skills and experiences of people in all sectors at all levels; from CEO's through to front line workers. For over 10 years Chris has worked with numerous partners, finance directors and CFO's on a 1:1 basis as well as delivering workshops and conferences for finance teams.

Training is implemented using a combination of theory and practical experiential learning via workshops, conferences, 1:1's and webinars and his memorable, easily to apply tools and techniques are easily put in to practice in the workplace. Crucially they continue to be implemented long after sessions using focussed follow up sessions and/or the use of his exclusive audio recordings.

Chris' clients include Deloitte, Natwest and RBS, Shell, Statoil, Capita, Barclays, ICAS, Freshfields, NHS, Disney & Ann Summers, Audi, AA, British Gas, Brewin Dolphin, CIM, Phonak & TNS.

Olwyn Merritt, Executive and Senior Team Coach, Pure Potential

Olwyn Merritt is a highly experienced executive coach to senior executives and directors in some of the most well-known blue-chip companies. She spent twenty years in senior management positions in fast paced organisations leading highly successful teams who generated significant revenues – from the highly successful startup's of Energis and Kewill to heading BT's Winback and Competitive Response teams which brought back £180 million of returned revenue to BT under her leadership.

Many of Olwyn's clients come to her because they want to improve "how" they lead. Many have built a name for being great in their area of expertise and now want to become equally excellent at leading others. They want to inspire; to have greater presence and make a greater impact; to build productive peer relationships and manage their stakeholders well; to manage themselves more effectively and assert themselves appropriately when they need to. They also want to galvanise their teams' efforts to drive stronger results to the bottom line.

Olwyn's clients include Vice Presidents and Directors as well as high potentials at Dell, Microsoft, Motorola, National Instruments, AbbVie, HSBC, Allianz Commercial, Barclays Bank, Smith & Nephew, Clifford Chance, QinetiQ, Astellas, Knight Frank, Premier Foods, Oracle, McAfee, Nokia Siemens Networks, BGL, NHS, Everest, CIMA (Chartered Institute of Management Accountants), State Street, Legal & General, Life Technologies, Rydon and DSM.