

COMMANDER MARY KELLY'S TOP LEADERSHIP KEYNOTES



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1. LEADING YOURSELF AND YOUR TEAMS THROUGH CHALLENGES AND CHANGES

Change is constant and leaders set the tone for how teams respond.

IN THIS PROGRAM, LEADERS REFINE HOW TO:

- ✓ Lead themselves effectively during uncertainty and disruption
- ✓ Communicate clearly and consistently through change
- ✓ Manage stress, resistance, and competing priorities
- ✓ Keep teams focused, engaged, and productive during transition
- ✓ Maintain momentum even when the path forward isn't clear

This session equips leaders to lead themselves first and build a culture where people take ownership, solve problems, and work as a team.

2. LEADERSHIP IS TOUGH: WHAT GREAT LEADERS DO DIFFERENTLY

Leadership is more difficult at higher levels because the decisions matter more.

IN THIS PROGRAM, LEADERS REFINE HOW TO:

- ✓ Make better decisions when information is incomplete
- ✓ Hold people accountable without damaging trust
- ✓ Balance results, relationships, and responsibility
- ✓ Lead with consistency, credibility, and discipline under pressure
- ✓ Avoid common leadership traps that derail strong performers

This strengthens executive decision-making and leadership discipline so senior leaders create alignment, raise accountability, and drive performance across the entire organization.

3. MASTER YOUR WORLD: 10 LEADERSHIP TACTICS TO IMPROVE PRODUCTIVITY, PROFITS, AND COMMUNICATION

Leaders and managers reclaim their time, focus, and effectiveness.

IN THIS PROGRAM, LEADERS REFINE HOW TO:

- ✓ Prioritize what truly drives results
- ✓ Eliminate distractions that drain time and energy
- ✓ Improve communication across teams and roles
- ✓ Increase productivity without burnout
- ✓ Turn clarity into execution and measurable outcomes

This fast-paced, fun, and funny practical program helps leaders regain control of their time, improve performance, and get better results from themselves and their teams.



LEADERSHIP IS TOUGH: WHAT GREAT LEADERS DO DIFFERENTLY

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What Great Leaders Do Differently, based on the book, *Leadership is Tough: Skills. Decisions. Disciplines. What Great Leaders Do Differently* is a high-impact keynote designed for senior leaders seeking clarity and insights into what it takes to lead effectively when the stakes are highest.

KEY OUTCOMES:

- ✓ Carry the weight of leadership without burnout or resentment
- ✓ Make sound decisions with incomplete information
- ✓ Trade control for trust to scale leadership and performance
- ✓ Practice disciplined prioritization in complex environments
- ✓ Address issues early through clear, candid communication
- ✓ Develop judgment and decision-making capacity in others
- ✓ Sustain performance through leadership discipline, not motivation

Perfect for CEOs, Presidents, and C-suite leaders, senior leadership and executive teams, boards of directors, governance groups, and high-potential leaders preparing for senior roles.



Mary C. Kelly, PhD, is a nationally recognized leadership economist, Hall of Fame speaker, and retired U.S. Navy commander.

She works with organizations across industries to improve leadership effectiveness, decision quality, productivity, and long-term performance.

DESIGNED FOR VIPS, CONFERENCES,
EXECUTIVE RETREATS, LEADERSHIP SUMMITS,
AND BOARD SESSIONS.

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FUTURENOMICS: THE ECONOMIC SNAPSHOT LEADERS NEED NOW AND WHAT TO DO NEXT

Leaders are making high-stakes decisions in an environment defined by uncertainty, volatility, and rapid change

FutureNomics cuts through the noise to deliver a clear snapshot of where the economy is now, what is most likely coming next, and what smart leaders should do in response.

Mary translates economic trends into practical leadership and business decisions. Leaders gain clarity on how economic forces affect strategy, talent, customers, and risk, and how to adjust without panic or paralysis.

IN THIS SESSION, LEADERS WILL:

- ✓ Understand the economic forces shaping today's business environment
- ✓ See what's most likely ahead, and what matters most
- ✓ Separate meaningful economic signals from headlines and hype
- ✓ Identify risks and opportunities created by economic shifts
- ✓ Learn how disciplined leaders adapt strategy without overreacting

OUTCOMES

LEADERS LEAVE ABLE TO:

- ✓ Make better decisions with incomplete information
- ✓ Communicate economic realities clearly and confidently
- ✓ Align priorities, strategy, and talent with economic conditions
- ✓ Avoid costly overreactions and short-term thinking
- ✓ Lead with confidence, credibility, and calm under pressure



WHY FUTURENOMICS?

FutureNomics combines economic insight with real-world leadership experience for smart audiences. It's clear, practical, and decision-focused, so leaders can take the right action.