



# THE GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT



**LEAD  
WHERE  
YOU  
ARE.**

*Summit Notebook*

# SUMMIT SCHEDULE

## TIME

9.30am	Welcome to GLS Craig Groeschel
10.30am	Erin Meyer
11.15am	Break
11.30am	Rob Parsons
12.00pm	James Clear World Vision Young Leaders Award
1pm	Lunch
2pm	Dallas Jenkins
2.45pm	Olivia Amartey
3.30pm	Break
3.45pm	Ryan Leak
4.30pm	End

Inspire  
&  
Equip

To inspire and equip world -  
class leadership that **IGNITES  
TRANSFORMATION.**

Seeking to help men and women  
maximize their full leadership  
potential to **IMPACT THE WORLD.**

# WELCOME TO THE GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

# FROM YOUR NATIONAL LEADERS

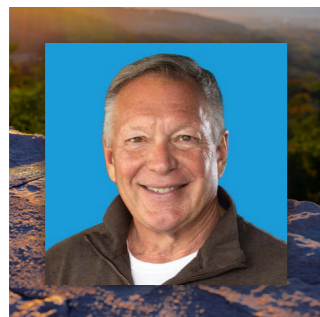
We are confident you will be inspired (and energized!) by renewed courage, practical guidance, and fresh leadership perspectives, so that when you leave, you are empowered and equipped to live out a bigger vision that creates meaningful change in your community.

The Global Leadership Network team has the privilege of serving over 300,000 leaders around the world through the Summit and other leadership development resources. In 110 countries, these leaders come together to ignite transformation in their churches, companies, communities, and countries. We're excited for you to hear some of their powerful stories during our time together.

Working alongside these courageous leaders, we are convinced that **leadership matters** more than ever, and the leadership needed to create positive change in the world starts with **you**.

Whether you are a teacher investing in the success of the next generation, an emergency room nurse, a CEO of a publicly traded company, a ministry leader, the owner of a thriving business, or a college student, you can be the spark that ignites transformation as you **LEAD WHERE YOU ARE**.

Celebrating your leadership impact,



*David Ashcraft*

David Ashcraft  
President & CEO  
Global Leadership Network



*Chris Ordway*

Chris Ordway  
Executive Vice-President  
Global Leadership Network (International)

Welcome to the Summit!

We are delighted that you have chosen to join us with what is going to be an excellent time of inspiration, practical teaching and powerful insights for your leadership journey. Having experienced the summit live in Chicago we are confident that you will not be disappointed with the first-class speakers that have been selected for you. Along with the faculty we have two of our own UK speakers, Rob Parsons and Olivia Amartey.

Unique to the UK experience we have made space for processing the materials either with the group you came with or a fellow delegate who is a friend waiting to meet you. Leaders are learners. The Global leadership summit endeavours to help you to learn, not on your own but in a community that can walk the journey of influencing our world together.

**ARE YOU READY?**

**LETS GO!**



*Steve & Angie Campbell*

Steve & Angie Campbell  
National Directors  
Global Leadership Network UK&I

# SUMMIT DAY SPEAKERS #GLS23 FACULTY

## Session 1 9:30am - 11:15am



**CRAIG GROESCHEL**

Founder & Senior Pastor,  
Life.Church;  
Best-Selling Author



**ERIN MEYER**

Professor, INSEAD;  
Best-Selling Author

Break & Connecting | 11:15am - 11:30am

## Session 2 11:30am - 1:00pm



**ROB PARSONS**

Chairman of Care for the  
Family, Author

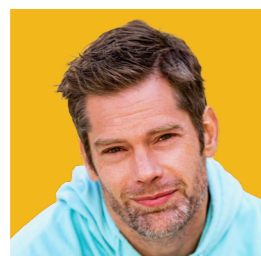


**JAMES CLEAR**

Founder, Habits Academy;  
Best-Selling Author

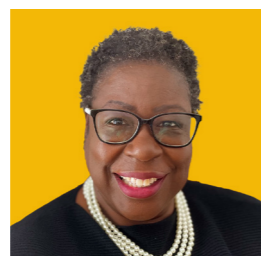
Lunch & Connecting | 1:00pm - 2:00pm

## Sessions 3 & 4 2:00pm - 4:30pm



**DALLAS JENKINS**

Creator, Director and  
Co-Writer of The Chosen



**OLIVIA AMARTEI**

Executive Director,  
Elim Pentecostal Church UK



**RYAN LEAK**

CEO, The Ryan Leak Group,  
Best-Selling Author



**PATRICK LENCIONI**

Founder & President,  
The Table Group;  
Best-Selling Author



**LIZ BOHANNON**

Founder of Sseko  
Designs; Author



**JAMIE KERN LIMA**

Founder, IT Cosmetics; Best-  
Selling author



**CONDOLEEZZA RICE**

Director of the Hoover  
Institution; 66<sup>th</sup> Secretary of  
State; Author; Professor



**ERWIN MCMANUS**

Founder & Lead  
Pastor, Mosaic;  
Best-Selling Author



**ANITA ELBERSE**

Professor, Harvard  
Business School;  
Best-Selling Author



**PAT GELSINGER**

CEO,  
Intel Corporation



**ALBERT TATE**

Founding & Lead Pastor,  
Fellowship Church; Founder  
& CEO, The Greatest Story;  
Best-Selling Author



**DR. HENRY CLOUD**

Clinical Psychologist;  
Leadership Consultant; Best-  
selling Author

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There are also ways to engage with the stage by sending the hosts a WhatsApp message or voice note, giving us your ratings for the talks that connected with you and sharing your experiences on social media.

## 7 DAY REPLAY

You can use Second Screen to stream each session for 7 days, available as soon as the summit ends.

To watch the videos you will need to login using your GLS+ account. Use the email address linked to your GLS ticket, you can reset your password at any time.

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# STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS AND COLLABORATORS

More and more, we are seeing God building His Kingdom by bringing together like-minded ministries and organizations, committed to working together for maximum impact.

Nowhere has this been more clearly seen than through what God is doing in and through the Global Leadership Network. In the past few years, God has brought the GLN together with world-class partners and collaborators, and together we are seeing tremendous impact taking place.

Here are some of the organizations who are journeying with us ...



[www.wvi.org](http://www.wvi.org)

**World Vision International** continues to stand alongside the Global Leadership Network in a world-wide, Kingdom-building partnership. Together we are raising the awareness and importance of leadership among the next generation by presenting the World Vision Emerging Leaders Award. World Vision is also a key partner in the GLN's Next Gen movement.



[www.thec3.uk](http://www.thec3.uk)

**The C3 Church** is committed to the mission of reaching and shaping a generation with the message and cause of Christ.



[www.wayout.tv](http://www.wayout.tv)

**Wayout TV** was conceived as a communications tool and information channel that inspires, informs and educates. It informs them of; the education and training programmes that the prison offers, jobs upon release and enables them to consider positively, their employability prospects upon release.



[www.homeforgood.org.uk](http://www.homeforgood.org.uk)

**Home for Good** has a bold vision to find a home for every child who needs one in the UK through fostering, adoption and supported lodgings for teenagers.



[www.tlg.org.uk](http://www.tlg.org.uk)

**Transforming Lives For Good** Brings hope and a future for struggling children. TLG is here because across the UK today, there are thousands of children who are struggling to cope. Poverty, trauma and exclusion cast long shadows, and for too many the future feels hopeless. TLG is all about helping churches to bring hope and a future to children facing heart-breaking challenges.



[www.opendoors.org](http://www.opendoors.org)

**Open Doors** is a global ministry whose purpose is to strengthen and equip Christians around the world who are facing persecution and discrimination because of their faith in Jesus Christ. The GLN is exploring a partnership with Open Doors that would see their work given greater awareness, and would see the GLS provide leadership training for Open Doors teams and networks around the world.



[www.stewardship.org.uk](http://www.stewardship.org.uk)

In 1906, **Stewardship** was created by a small group of Christians uniting to release generous gifts and financial support to Christian ministries in the UK and overseas. Among their number were professionals and philanthropists, chemists and church planters, factory workers and evangelists, with each giving as they were able. Today, we help over 30,000 people live out their calling to be generous stewards by supporting over 4,200 churches, 2,300 Christian workers and 6,000 charities. Our methods have changed, but our mission remains the same.



[www.iequip.org/beyond-success](http://www.iequip.org/beyond-success)

**Beyond Success** is an initiative of Equip, the leadership development movement birthed by John C. Maxwell. Beyond Success provides an opportunity for churches to invite marketplace leaders into a leadership development program that can guide them beyond the achievement of mere success and towards a higher goal of attaining lasting significance. The GLN is teaming up with Beyond Success to begin providing this tremendous program to marketplace leaders around the world.



## CRAIG GROESCHEL

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Globally recognized as a leader of leaders, Craig Groeschel is the founder and senior pastor of Life.Church. Known for their missional approach to leveraging the latest technology, Life.Church facilitates online and in-person services across 40 campuses with a weekly attendance of over 85,000 people. Innovative creator of the YouVersion Bible App, which has more than half a billion downloads worldwide, Life.Church was instrumental in providing free tools to churches navigating virtual experiences in the wake of the global health pandemic in 2020. On behalf of The Global Leadership Summit, he advocates to build leaders in every sector of society. He is a *New York Times* best-selling author and the host of the top-ranked *Craig Groeschel Leadership Podcast*.

### ***The Future of Leadership*** **IS TRUST**

Trust is the bedrock upon which successful leadership is built, and without it leaders will struggle to achieve goals and bring their vision to life. With distrust now society's default emotion, leaders must learn to build trust in a new way with their team, customers, and stakeholders. Join Craig Groeschel to explore some of the essential skills needed to build trust which enables open and honest communication, creates a culture of collaboration and innovation, and fosters long-lasting relationships.

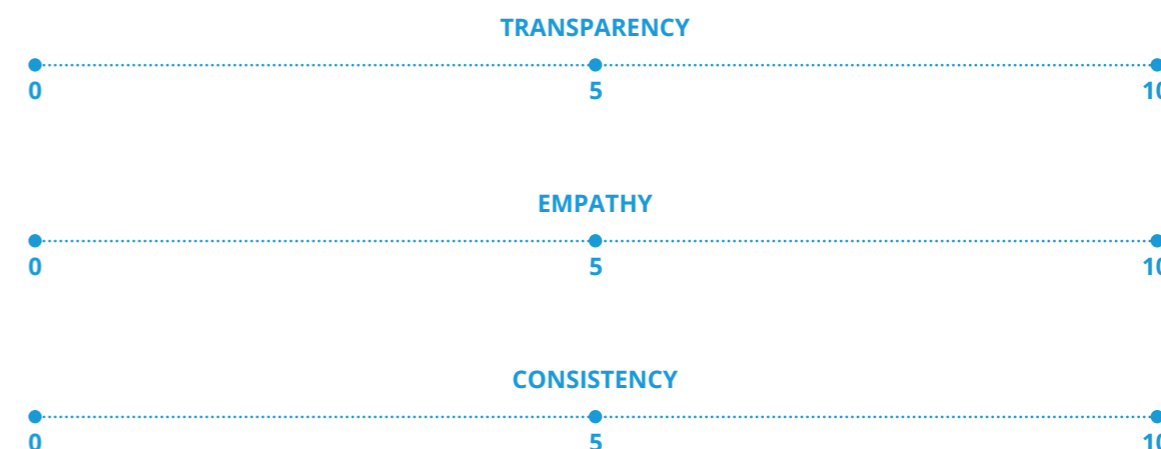
#### Outline

- The future of leadership is trust
- How to create a culture of trust
- Transparency: A truth to share
- Empathy: A heart to care
- Consistency: A culture to trust
- Giving trust

THE FUTURE OF LEADERSHIP IS TRUST



1. Consider the last few months of your leadership.  
How do you assess the three factors of trust presented by Craig with your team?  
Use the scale below (0= not experienced at all and 10 = fully experienced).



2. Based on your answers, how do you perceive your team's trust in you?
3. Which of the three trust factors do you consider crucial to develop at this time?
4. What will you do to develop the selected factor? (Think of one or two practical steps)

## TAKING ACTION

*What action will you undertake in the next seven days to initiate the cultivation of the trust factor that you identified?*

TRANSPARENCY + EMPATHY + CONSISTENCY = TRUST

When communication decreases, uncertainty increases.

You don't just care about what they do, but you care about who they are.

It's not what you do occasionally that matters, it's what we do consistently.

THE FUTURE OF LEADERSHIP  
IS TRUST

To earn trust, you have to give trust.

Craig Groeschel #GLS23

People are impressed by your strengths; but connect with your weaknesses.

Someone who doesn't feel like they're a part, will never bring their whole heart.

You may be disappointed if you trust too much, but you'll always limit your leadership if you don't trust enough.



## ERIN MEYER

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Erin Meyer is the co-author, with Netflix CEO Reed Hastings, of the *New York Times* best-selling book and FT nominated best business book of 2020, *No Rules Rules: Netflix and the Culture of Reinvention*. She is also the author of *The Culture Map* and a professor at INSEAD. Her work has appeared in *Harvard Business Review*, *The New York Times*, and *Forbes.com*. In 2021, Erin was selected for the third time by *Thinkers50* as one of the 50 most influential business thinkers in the world.

## Fostering a Culture OF REINVENTION

How can you create an organizational culture that weathers the storms of disruption, economic uncertainty, and the chaos of a rapidly changing world? Join Erin Meyer, as she provides practical insights from her latest research, conducted with Netflix founder Reed Hastings, exploring how to develop a work environment that fosters creativity and adaptability. You will learn to value people over process, emphasize innovation over efficiency, and lead with context, not control. Through unorthodox principles such as Talent Density, Radical Candor, Freedom and Responsibility, and The Keeper Test, Erin will lay out a proven, systematic method for building and enhancing a corporate culture that breeds high performance, speed, and flexibility throughout the organization.

### Outline

- Articulating an organizational culture
- Managing on the edge of chaos
- Three steps to employee freedom
- Increasing talent density
- Offering more freedom
- Give freedom to get responsibility

## FOSTERING A CULTURE OF REINVENTION



1. How has the current level of control within your organization impacted the performance of its teams?
2. How do the leaders within your organization handle the presence of average and below-average individuals in their teams? How does this impact high-performing individuals? Furthermore, how does it influence the overall outcomes of the organization?
3. How can you and your group influence the cultural change within your organization aiming to reduce control, increase trust, and consequently enhance people's performance?
4. What controls or practices are you, as a leader, prepared to relinquish in order to increase trust in your team, enhance its talent density, and elevate its performance?



TAKING ACTION

*What initial steps  
do you plan to take?*

# A TRANSFORMATIONAL LEADERSHIP & PERSONAL GROWTH JOURNEY

**Beyond Success** was created by the world's most influential leadership expert, **Dr. John Maxwell**.

As leaders, we understand that **true transformation** can only occur when people **learn and live good values**.

How can we invite those in our community **to grow as leaders** while presenting them **with the opportunity to learn and live good values**?

**Through Beyond Success, a Transformational Leadership and Personal Growth Journey.**

  
BEYOND  
SUCCESS

Your Path  
To Significance

Beyond Success is a growth journey designed to help you reach your potential and make a positive impact on those around you. Beyond Success is a free seven-session journey with teachings by John Maxwell on the values related to success.

Each sixty to ninety minute session is conducted in a round table format with six to eight participants, led by a trained facilitator. All participants will receive a certificate upon completion. Through Beyond Success, a Transformational Leadership and Personal Growth Journey.

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[www.beyondsuccess.uk](http://www.beyondsuccess.uk)



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we can find a home  
**for every child**  
who needs one.

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# WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF YOUR CHURCH WAS ATTACKED?

Pastor Marcos from Nigeria didn't know what would happen after his church was violently attacked by Islamic extremists. His congregation scattered, too afraid to return. Over 360 million Christians around the world face high levels of persecution for their faith. That's 1 in 7 Christians globally.

**"We do not pray that God will take away the hardship, but that God should give us the grace to be able to stand."**

Open Doors' underground networks support persecuted Christians – like Pastor Marcos and his church – by smuggling Bibles and Christian literature, offering legal support and training, providing vital aid, and simply letting them know they are not alone.

Now, Pastor Marcos' church is bigger than before. "This persecution has become like a fertiliser for the gospel," he says. "The greatest source of our encouragement came from you. Before, we were weak. But after this, we have become very strong in the faith. We do not pray that God will take away the hardship, but that God should give us the grace to be able to stand."

You can stand with your persecuted church family today. Sign up to receive the latest news, prayer updates and inspirational stories of courageous faith at [opendoorsuk.org](https://opendoorsuk.org)

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Pastor Marcos, Nigeria

**GROW COURAGEOUS FAITH IN YOUR CHURCH**  
Journeying with persecuted Christians can inspire your church to follow Jesus with greater passion and perseverance, and will strengthen Christians around the world who suffer for their faith. Grow courageous faith by connecting your church with persecuted Christians across the world at [opendoorsuk.org/connectchurch](https://opendoorsuk.org/connectchurch)

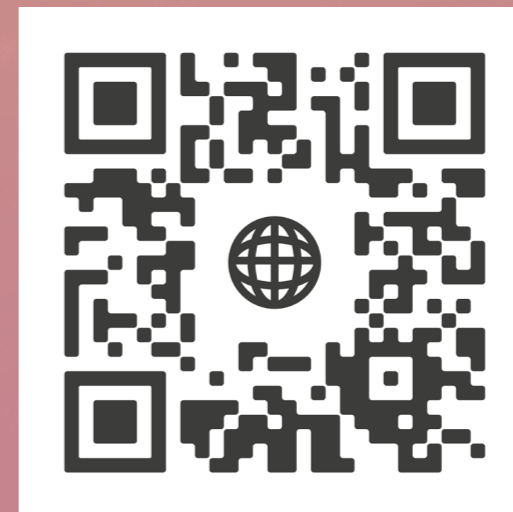


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# BREATHE CONFERENCE

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'Breathe conference exists to inspire,  
encourage, champion and place value on  
women ' Angie Campbell - Breathe founder



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# ROB PARSONS

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During the past 30 years, Rob Parsons has spoken to over a million people in events held in the UK as well as internationally. He is the founder and chairman of the national charity Care for the Family and has spoken extensively on family issues across the world. Rob has also been in demand to speak to the business community, drawing principles from his best-selling book *The Heart of Success*, and experience gained in being a co-founder of a legal consultancy through which he advised thousands of lawyers on practice management and expansion. In his keynote speeches he has addressed audiences as diverse as Alcatel, AstraZeneca, AXA, Barclays Bank, BBC, Birmingham Social Services, Boots, BT, BUPA, Chambers of Commerce, Costains, DTI, DVLA, Ford, Gerling NCM, Halifax plc, Heath Lambert, Honda UK, IMB, KPMG, Lloyds TSB, National Grid, NHS Trusts, npower, PricewaterhouseCoopers, Sir Robert McAlpine and Uganda Telecom.

## BEYOND COMMUNICATION HOW TO REALLY CONNECT WITH AN AUDIENCE



## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What is the right balance between keeping eye contact and the use of notes?
2. How can we find our own stories and develop them?
3. What does it mean in my context to be a 'keeper of the atmosphere'?

## TAKING ACTION

*What initial steps  
do you plan to take?*



## JAMES CLEAR

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James Clear is one of the world's leading experts on habit formation. His *New York Times* best-selling book, *Atomic Habits*, has sold over 10 million copies worldwide, has been translated into more than 50 languages, is the number one best-selling book of 2021 on Amazon, and also the number one audiobook on Audible. Known for his ability to distill complex topics into simple behaviors that can be easily applied to daily life and work, Clear's "3-2-1" email newsletter is sent to more than 1 million subscribers each week. He has presented his teachings to audiences at many Fortune 500 companies, including Microsoft, Facebook, and Google. His work has been featured in *Time*, *The New York Times*, *The Wall Street Journal*, and on *CBS This Morning*.

### ***Harnessing the Power*** **OF ATOMIC HABITS**

Our success is a product of our daily habits. Every action you take is a vote for who you want to become. James Clear has become the expert on helping us understand the process behind results and seeing the value in making tiny changes that get remarkable results. In this talk, whether the CEO, volunteer or new college graduate, walk away with a proven framework for getting better every day, explore the four laws of habits and identify how habits actually work in your life.

#### Outline

- The aggregation of marginal gains
- The power of habits
- Emphasize trajectory rather than position
- The problem of systems
- The four stages to habit formation
- The four laws of behavior change
- Identity-based habits

## HARNESSING THE POWER OF ATOMIC HABITS



Habits are the compound interest of self-improvement.

Habits are a double-edged sword. They can either build you up, or they can cut you down.



You do not rise to the level of your goals.  
You fall to the level of your systems.

## HARNESSING THE POWER OF ATOMIC HABITS

James Clear #GLS23



The Four Laws of Behavior Change



Identity-Based Habits  
It's not just about little habits. It's about believing something new about yourself.

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

### HARNESSING THE POWER OF ATOMIC HABITS

1. Who would you like to become in one year? Think in terms of identity, the person you aim to be. (e.g. an empathetic leader, a people specialist, a connected parent, a marathon runner, etc.)
2. What are the habits that this "future you" exhibit? What consistent actions define his/her character?
3. What current habits are steering you away from who you aim to become in the future and therefore need to break?
4. Choose one key habit that you need to develop, starting today, to become the person you envision.

Key Habit: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How will you...

	CHARACTERISTIC	ACTION
Cue	Is it <b>obvious</b> ?	
Craving	Is it <b>attractive</b> ?	
Response	Is it <b>easy</b> ?	
Reward	Is it <b>satisfying</b> ?	

## TAKING ACTION

*What will you start doing in the next seven days to initiate 1% daily growth?*

# EMERGING LEADERS AWARD

The GLN, in collaboration with World Vision, presents the Emerging Leaders Award to notable young people who are making a difference in their communities. We share a deeply held belief that God is powerfully at work through emerging generation leaders in remarkable ways. This year, we are inspired by the story of Maria Jose Negrette Luna, or more affectionately known as Majo.



**Maria Jose  
Negrette Luna**

**EMERGING LEADERS  
ARE NOT JUST THE FUTURE.  
THEY ARE MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE TODAY**



Nominate an  
emerging leader  
for this award.

[www.worldvision.org.uk/gls](http://www.worldvision.org.uk/gls)

**These courageous young people are leading  
social causes, faith-based initiatives,  
community improvement projects, and  
many other inspiring ventures  
to serve others.**

This 20 year-old lives in Monteria, Colombia. She is currently studying Education & Social Science and Law at the University of Córdoba. For almost 14 years, Majo has been a leader of training processes in the most vulnerable community about peace-building, contributing to the life projects of many children, adolescents and young people, the practicing of citizenship, leadership and social integration in order to ensure the rights of the most vulnerable communities and their safe and equality. Her work with the community includes co-creation of pedagogic materials to improve the learning and the teaching of children and youths, leading a peacebuilding initiative called "Views: young perspectives of peacebuilding (Miradas, perspectivas juveniles de la construcción de la paz)" and "Paz a la Bien". Majo and the Peace Builders Movement has reached about 3000 children and youths with this initiative.

# JOIN US *FOR* **#GLS24!**

## Introducing some of the GLS24 faculty



**AMY EDMONDSON**  
Professor of Leadership  
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Harvard Business School



**CRAIG GROESCHEL**  
Founding and Senior  
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Best-selling Author



**ERWIN MCMANUS**  
Founder, McManus  
Masterminds and  
the Art of Communication



**MICHAEL JR.**  
Comedic Thought Leader



**MIKE KRZYZEWSKI**  
Former American  
College Basketball Coach



**MOLLY FLETCHER**  
Motivational Speaker  
and Former Sports Agent

Get tickets (for you and your team) to join us again next year for another life-changing experience at The Global Leadership Summit. It will fuel inspiration, trigger intentional action, and empower you to lead from where you are!



[globalleadership.uk/summits/2024](https://globalleadership.uk/summits/2024)

# WOMEN LEADERS NETWORK

“We are excited to launch this network in the UK, let’s link arms with our sisters around the world”  
- Angie Campbell, UK Director GLNUKI.

The Global Leadership Network is responding to the global need to create opportunities for women leaders to gather, grow, and encourage one another in leadership! The GLN champions women and men leading well together; to do so, we believe we need to raise the value of women leaders and empower and equip them to step into their leadership calling.

Led by local leaders, the Women Leaders Network (WLN) is an initiative to equip and empower women in leadership roles globally, whether it is in business, church, or non-profit settings. There are currently 27 cohorts in 12 countries piloting the program, with the goal to unite women around the world to be transformational change-agents



“When women come together, there is something powerful about the encouragement they feel to step into great spaces. It is a new day, and we need to see women thriving alongside men in all levels of leadership.”

— KAREN WILSON, FOUNDER AND VICE-PRESIDENT, WOMEN LEADERS NETWORK

Explore more about equipping and celebrating women leaders at  
[globalleadership.org/womenleaders](https://globalleadership.org/womenleaders)

# MIDWAY TAKEAWAYS

- 1 What is one thing you've heard so far that helps you deal with a current issue you're facing?

- 2 What is one area in your leadership where you recognize a gap between where you are and what you've heard?

# SHARE YOUR EXPERIENCE

The Global Leadership Summit is more than a conference. For some, it is an inflection point for amazing life trajectory changes. Leaders pivot in surprising ways—they gain more clarity around their vision and calling. They gain support from others along the way—others who inspire and push them to maximize their skills and potential to transform their community.

How has the Summit impacted you? How has attending the GLS – now or in the past – changed how you lead? How has your impact or influence shifted? We invite you to share your GLS story with us. Your story could help another leader anywhere around the world recognize their potential, too!

**SHARE YOUR STORY AT**  
[globalleadership.uk/second-screen](https://globalleadership.uk/second-screen)

**BE PART OF THE CONVERSATION**  
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## DALLAS JENKINS

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At the age of 25, Dallas Jenkins produced the independent feature *Hometown Legend*, which was distributed by Warner Brothers. In the 20 years since, he has directed and produced over a dozen feature and short films for Universal, Lionsgate, Pureflix, Hallmark Channel, and Amazon. He is now writing, directing, and producing the largest crowd funded media project of all time, a multi-season series about the life of Jesus entitled *The Chosen*. A global phenomenon, *The Chosen* is the largest fan supported entertainment project of all time and has garnered over 520-million-episode views worldwide. It's available on major streaming services like Amazon Prime, Netflix, and Peacock while all seasons remain free in *The Chosen* mobile and TV apps. It has also been translated into more than 50 languages and special event theatrical releases have grossed over \$35 million at the domestic box office (with audiences aware that it would stream free within weeks).

### Leading THE CHOSEN

We all know that one of the supporting structures behind our favorite movies and TV shows is effective leadership. Join Dallas Jenkins as he shares how he was able to transform the moment of his biggest failure into the beginning of an amazing journey of impact as the creator of the hit series *The Chosen*. In this conversation with Erwin McManus, walk away with practical ways to focus on what's most important, creating an environment where conflict is addressed early, and how you can function as the "immune systems" for your team and organizations.

#### Outline

- A dream with no money
- The work of a leader
- Creating the culture for great art
- The God of the personal
- Dealing with criticism
- Developing as a filmmaker

### LEADING THE CHOSEN



INTERVIEWED BY ERWIN MCMANUS  
■ FOUNDER, MCMANUS MASTERMINDS  
AND THE ART OF COMMUNICATION



**Service:**  
Instead of thinking,  
“What am I going to  
accomplish?”, think,  
“Who am I going to serve?”

It's not your job to  
feed the 5,000.



When you're not motivated by the success,  
you're not demotivated by the criticism.

## LEADING THE CHOSEN

Dallas Jenkins #GLS23



Communicate, don't complain.

- Complaining is reacting to something that has happened.
- Communication is saying something before you're upset.



Service comes  
out of empathy.

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

## LEADING THE CHOSEN

1. Which principle from Jenkins' talk grabbed your attention?

- ☐ Understanding your role and God's role
- ☐ Dealing with criticism
- ☐ As a leader, protecting people and the business
- ☐ Knowing how to connect with different individuals
- ☐ Prioritizing service over results
- ☐ Striving for maximum time efficiency
- ☐ Communicating effectively
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

2. How does this principle apply to your context?

3. How do you plan to integrate this principle into both your personal life and leadership?

4. What initial step will you take? When do you intend to take it?

## TAKING ACTION

*What key lesson from  
this talk do you consider  
vital to apply in your  
daily leadership?*



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She has a passion for creatively sharing God's word. Olivia has been guest speaker at national and local events and is a regular presenter on Radio 4's Daily Service. Olivia is a mum to Josh, loves to cook and is addicted to Strictly Come Dancing!

## COURAGEOUS LEADERSHIP: LESSONS FROM THE CRUCIBLE



## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

### COURAGEOUS LEADERSHIP: LESSONS FROM THE CRUCIBLE

1. Drawing upon your own experience, what would be YOUR definition of a courageous leader/ courageous leadership?
2. You may be familiar with the popular saying “fake it till you make it”. Can one fake courageous leadership? Give a rationale for your answer.
3. Reviewing your leadership over the last 12 months and drawing upon the leadership challenges you have faced, give an example where you have led courageously? What did you learn about yourself and/or the people you led, in the process?

## TAKING ACTION

*What initial steps do you  
plan to take?*

# CREATING *THE* WORLD WE NEED

Imagine what can happen when leaders everywhere have the insights, tools, and inspiration they need to live out a vision bigger than themselves.

It leads to changed businesses, changed churches, changed communities, changed lives.

But in many areas of the world, leadership training like you're receiving today does not exist. These leaders need an opportunity to recognize their potential. Step into their calling. Spark a new wave of transformation.

## Why the Global Leadership Development Fund?

At Global Leadership Network, we believe a foundational part of the solution to every global problem is stronger leadership. **That's why the Global Leadership Development Fund (GLDF) provides transformational leadership training where it has not yet existed.**



**Will you invest in another leader and create a better future for generations to come?**

God is doing incredible things all over the world. Despite political and economic challenges, leaders are rising, innovating, and influencing others.

**You're invited to be a part of creating the world we need.**

Your generosity equips and encourages integrity-filled leadership that ignites transformation globally.

# Big or small. First or last. Given or received. We make every gift count.



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We help over 40,000 people live out their calling to be generous stewards, giving more than £100 million each year to over 4,000 churches, 2,300 Christian workers and 6,000 charities.

For more than a century we have actively served those pioneering Christian mission. Together, we are driven by our desire that the wider world will encounter Jesus through the generosity of his people and the transformational work of the causes they support. We help Christians give and we strengthen the causes they give to.

We call this **Active Generosity**.

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# LEAD TO SUCCEED

Helping men and women in prison to discover their purpose, believe in their worth and become leaders for positive change.

**“I really like your programmes. Lead to Succeed is VERY inspirational.”**  
— UK PRISONER

## UNITED KINGDOM

GLNUKI approached Way Out TV, an educational broadcast channel which produces content to help prisoners grow and develop themselves with new skills and training. Since 22 October 2022 a weekly programme, called “Lead to Succeed” has been aired with GLS content and bespoke discussion questions. This means that GLS talks are going into 70 custodial establishments across the UK with the potential reach of over 60,000 inmates, for 52 weeks of the year.

**“Just had to write to tell you how great your programme is. I plan to start my own coffee shop/café when I am released and find your business programmes and Lead to Succeed really useful.”**

— UK PRISONER

**200+ Prisons  
Impacted**

REACH ONE PRISONER.



RESHAPE A WHOLE CULTURE.

## MONGOLIA

The Mongolian GLS team works with the penitentiary of Bulgan, outside Erdenet. The prison population are convicted of serious crimes and houses inmates with sentences of longer than 19 years. They hosted a GLS in November 2022 in Mongolian to almost 300 people in the penitentiary. The biggest need identified is to provide training programs for socialization after release, bringing them to Christ and teaching them the Bible.

## USA

With 2 million people living behind bars, the United States has the world’s highest incarceration rate. These men and women are too often cut off from community and left without any tools, resources, or support to alter the trajectory of their lives, let alone make a life-giving impact on others. The Prison Program partners with prisons and prison chaplains to bring The Global Leadership Summit to these forgotten places. Our partners report that the Summit’s combination of leadership lessons and Christian principles have led to improved prison cultures with better communication and decreased violence.

**“The speakers’ stories were amazing. Some gave me joy, some happiness, some even made me cry. But all gave me hope. Hope is a lot when you are incarcerated. I plan on being a success story when I get out and to be a better leader.”**

— HECTOR, COLORADO



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### **Leveling up: Three questions for** **NEXT LEVEL LEADERS**

By asking themselves critical questions, leaders can gain a deeper understanding of their strengths, weaknesses, and areas for improvement. This self-awareness allows leaders to better connect with their teams, identify opportunities for growth, and make informed decisions that align with their values and goals. Join Ryan Leak, who after coaching C-suite executives, professional athletes and thousands of leaders each year, has discovered the best way to help us level up our leadership. In this talk, identify the three questions that can help you navigate challenging situations and overcome obstacles regardless of the leadership environment or role you are in.

#### Outline

- Leveling up
- What's my definition of success?
- What's it like to be on the other side of me?
- What would I do if I knew I couldn't fail?
- Keep it moving

## LEVELING UP: THREE QUESTIONS FOR NEXT LEVEL LEADERS



When leaders stop growing, organizations stop growing.

Chasing failure could take you further than chasing success ever could.



## LEVELING UP: 3 QUESTIONS FOR NEXT LEVEL LEADERS

Ryan Leak #GLS23

Just do it



There's levels to leadership.

1. What's My Definition of Success?

2. What's It Like to Be on the Other Side of Me?

3. What Would I Do if I Knew I Couldn't Fail?

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

### LEVELING UP: THREE QUESTIONS FOR NEXT LEVEL LEADERS

1. Answer below: what is your definition of success?
  - As a leader?
  - As a follower?
  - As a parent?
  - As a \_\_\_\_\_ (an important role in your life)?
2. Considering the roles above, how do you think it feels to interact with the other side of you?
  - As someone following you:
  - As someone leading you:
  - As your son/daughter:
  - As \_\_\_\_\_ (an important role in your life):
3. Compare your answers between questions 1 and 2. Is there alignment? What requires improvement? What insight do you gain from this?
4. What actions will you take regarding these insights?

## TAKING ACTION

*What will be your first step towards the next level of leadership?*

# END OF DAY

## TAKEAWAYS

- 1 What is one practical (or inspirational) way you can help move your team farther and faster together?

- 2 What learning sparked in you a new idea, team application, discipline or conversation in your area of influence? What do you plan to do differently because of this learning?

# THANK YOU *VOLUNTEERS!*



The Summit would not be possible without our formidable volunteers.



# CLOSING THOUGHTS

1 What have you heard that has given you more clarity to act?

2 Thinking of those you influence, which person could benefit from your leadership input? Is there a specific talk, or resource you could share with them to foster their leadership?

3 Take some time to reflect what barriers you might face in the coming week. In what ways can you be proactive to overcome those obstacles now?

# KEY TAKEAWAYS

# LEADERSHIP MATTERS

Leadership matters today more than ever. The challenges facing the world are critical, divisive, and complex. In light of this, we need deeply passionate, well-equipped, values-based leaders on fire to transform the world.

Yet, many leaders lack the ability to access leadership resources that can amplify their potential.

YOU can change that by supporting the Global Leadership Development Fund, which delivers Summit and other leadership development resources to under-resourced communities and leaders around the world.

## WHY?

*Because, when we inspire  
and equip leaders...*

The hungry are fed.  
Women are empowered.  
The oppressed resist.  
Corruption ends.  
Families are made whole.  
Slaves are freed.  
Churches thrive.  
Children are protected.  
The persecuted regain hope.  
The incarcerated are restored.



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