

ANN TARDY, JD, CSP

ENTREPRENEUR · AUTHOR · SPEAKER · ADVENTURER

Ann works with organizations that need managers to lead with moxie, make a difference from the middle, and achieve business objectives.

MOST POPULAR TOPICS:

THE HEROIC MANAGER

Your Power to Influence, Ignite, and Innovate from the Middle

RETAINED!

How Great Managers Create & Keep Engaged Employees

ROUSING THE REMARKABLE

The Secret to Unleashing Moxie in a Mediocre World

THE MUSCLE OF MENTORING

Leveraging the Power of Giants to Accelerate Success

"Ann Tardy is a Powerhouse!"

– Melissa Crimmins, McGraw-Hill

"Practical and inspiring, Ann's book, Moxie for Managers made me appreciate even more the value that influence has in leading effectively."

*– Bill Waszak, Chief Information Officer
The Scotts Miracle Gro Company*



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IGNITING MOXIE IN MANAGERS

A catalyst for moxie, and an expert at evolving managers into leaders, Ann helps visionary organizations such as Macy's, Duke Energy, and Kaiser Permanente strengthen their workforce. As a former Silicon Valley corporate attorney, Ann incorporated companies, negotiated mergers, managed venture-backed financings, and held the hands of many anxious CEOs...and loved it! Since then she started and sold her own law firm, volunteered as Director of Entrepreneurial Education at The Girls Middle School, taught spin class, learned to play the saxophone, developed her own technology (the *MentorLead Platform*),



launched her own application service provider and leadership consulting company (*LifeMoxie Mentoring and Leadership*), joined the faculty of IMS, and became a cross-country cyclist. In the summer of 2011, Ann cycled 4,200 miles from San Francisco to New Jersey and produced the documentary *Work Matters* to discover what people love about their jobs and their managers. She continued her research in 2012 when she cycled 2,600 miles from Key West to Maine, and in 2014 when she cycled 1,600 miles from Seattle to San Diego.

RAVING FANS

Ann's presentation was sensational! It was by far the most successful and talked about event of the year!

~ Mary Ann Coole, President
Industry Council for Small
Business Development

Of 93 speakers, Ann was one of the highest rated of the conference. Ann is a professional, enthusiastic speaker and she delivered a content rich presentation

with actionable items that attendees can apply in their own organizations.

~ Lisa Hickey, President
NCHRA HR West

Ann, thank you again for your vibrant and motivating presentation to our team today. It hit just the right note. You made our people think differently about their work.

~ Lisa Sodeika
EVP Corporate Affairs
HSBC North America

Ann's presentation at our 21st annual SHRM-LI conference was beyond WOW! She managed to engage the audience with her approachable style and still deliver an important message with grace and humor.

~ Annette Perry, President
Society for Human Resource
Management - Long Island
(SHRM)

Ann has a remarkable ability to engage any audience with her lively presentation style, genuine energy, and fantastic story-telling. She takes a hard-hitting approach to the soft-skills that every organization and team need.

~ Sarah Stealey Reed, International
Customer Management Institute

Ann's humorous, but compelling, take on managing and leading a workforce is distinctive and easily accessible. She knows her audience. She knows how to tell a story. She knows how to inspire.

~ Marcie Hochhauser,
Senior Vice President
Walnut Creek
Chamber of Commerce,
East Bay Women's Conference

FAVORITE CLIENTS

Ameren Services
Arizona State Credit Union
Duke Energy
Eli Lilly
Florida Department of Law
Enforcement
Gamestop
Hitachi Data Systems
HSBC North America
Ixon Bank
Juniper Networks
Kaiser Permanente
Kaman Corporation
Macy's
Metro-North Railroad
Nationwide Insurance
Scotts Miracle Gro
Standard & Poor's
YWCA

FAVORITE KEYNOTES

ICMI Call Center Managers Conference
American Public Transportation Association Conference
National Association of Healthcare Advocates Conference
Industry Council for Small Business Development Annual Dinner
Babson College Center for Women's Leadership Conference
National Association of YWCA Executives Conference
Professional Business Women's Conference
NoCal HR Association Millennial Conference
Project Management Institute Conference
SHRM Work-Life Focus Conference
East Bay Women's Conference

SIGNIFICANT AWARDS

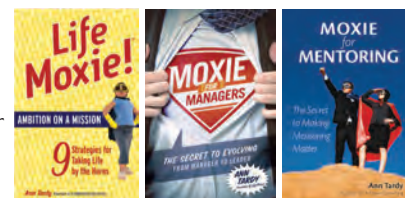
Certified Speaking Professional
by the National Speakers Association

IMS Faculty Member
the Institute for Management Studies

The Vanguard Award
by the McGraw Hill Companies

Outstanding Business Woman of the Year
by the American Business Women's Association

ANN'S BOOKS



For Ann's availability and fees, contact
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