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## *Building Better Bosses Who Build Better Organizations*



### **ROUSING THE REMARKABLE: *The Secret to Unleashing Moxie in a Mediocre World***

- Shift negativity / complacency to action and enthusiasm
- Move out of the weeds and into big thinking
- Identify and throttle sabotage
- Create remarkable experiences to rouse the remarkable

### **BUILDING A BETTER BOSS: *How to Manage AND Lead***

- Strengthen the essential trust bridge
- Lift the fog in all of your communications
- Delegate so it engages, develops, and ignites
- Increase retention, engagement, and enthusiasm

### **THE COLLABORATION FACTOR: *Changing the World One Relationship at a Time***

- Eradicate "us vs. them" to create cross-functional teaming
- Merge experiences and exchange wisdom
- Accelerate success, elevate connections, spark new ideas

**Ann's enthusiasm and energy are infectious!** She willingly shared her own personal experiences with an elite group of senior leaders in our organization. She kept the group engaged by including several activities throughout her presentation; making her audience a big part of her presentation. Ann not only spoke to topics that were relevant to the discussion (trust, mentorship, leadership, communication); more importantly, it was how she conveyed them that truly resonated with the group.

**We all left the room ready to Rouse the Remarkable!**

*Deniece Pritchett, HR Senior Associate, Organizational Development, FINRA*

Ann was the Emcee at our annual 3-day conference. **She took the time to understand our event, objectives, and her role. She was prepared, quick on her feet, added valuable ideas throughout the event, and was a pleasure to work with.** Attendees shared that Ann was "Upbeat, prepared, and polished", "Ann has the right mix of energy, comedy, and professionalism", and "Ann has a fantastic presence and tone". I highly recommend Ann to speak at your next event.

*Lisa Hickey, VP, Professional Development Next Concept HR Association (NCHRA)*

### **WHY ANN?**

- A former Silicon Valley corporate attorney turned accomplished entrepreneur, Ann not only talks about managing and leading, she is a successful manager and a leader
- Creator and founder of MentorLead, the preeminent mentoring platform for businesses
- Recipient of the Certified Speaking Professional (CSP) designation of the National Speakers Association
- Her programs are loved by prestigious companies such as Kaiser Permanente, Duke Energy, Stanford, Macy's, and GameStop
- Author of three books on managing, mentoring, and moxie
- An avid adventure cyclist, Ann has biked across the country, up the East Coast, down the West Coast, from Crater Lake to Yosemite, and from Banff to Yellowstone
- Faculty member of The Institute for Management Studies (IMS)
- Recipient of Outstanding Business Woman of the Year by the American Business Woman's Association (ABWA)
- Recipient of The Vanguard Award by the McGraw Hill Company
- Recipient of the Top 25 Leading Women Entrepreneurs
- Volunteer Director of the Entrepreneurial Education Program at a private girls middle school for 5 years

"I had the pleasure of working with Ann as a speaker at a professional event that I organized. She came highly recommended in our organization, and I knew her from attending two of her own seminars in the past, so I recommended we hire her as the main speaker for this event. Not only did she do a great job at the event, she worked with me throughout the process to help create her presentation. She wanted to know what we wanted and to develop the presentation around our particular needs. I was new to event planning and being the chair of such an event, and I found that Ann would coach me on being in that position and creating a successful event. **Her constant support throughout the process was an added bonus to her actual presentation. Ann's energy, positive attitude, and down-to-earth confidence are contagious!**"

*Jody McKenzie Editorial Supervisor McGraw-Hill Education*

"Ann is great to work with! **She adapted her expertise to the needs of our organization and rolled up her sleeves to help develop other content for us.** Ultimately, Ann helped us establish mentoring as an effective tool for employee development and engagement. As part of that process **she helped my peers and me to effectively share our mentoring experiences with our high potential leadership group.** Sharing our stories helped participants more fully embrace the importance of their mentoring relationships. Her style in the classroom (and on webcasts) is infectious, getting even the most skeptical folks engaged. Her no nonsense approach to holding participants accountable has been eye opening for some and a welcome model for many."

*Gregory T. Troy, Chief Human Resources Officer, Kaman Corporation*

**"When you have Ann Tardy in to speak to your group – whether it is for a Conference Room with 10 people or an auditorium with 2,000 people – you had better buckle your seat belt and get ready for the ride of your life!** After our management staff spent 8 weeks collectively studying and implementing the valuable offerings of her book. "Moxie for Managers" – we decided to invite Ann to speak to our team and share some overriding themes and reinforce the key constructs of the book... WOW!!! Did we ever get what we asked for – have you ever tried to drink from a fire hose!? Ann is incredible, and her passion for effective team management runs very deep, while her career credentials assure irrefutable confidence that she has BEEN THERE! **So if you are looking for someone who is simultaneously engaging, enthralling, and just downright entertaining – Ann Tardy is IT!"**

*Gary Lichtenheld, President, Terrace Supply Company*

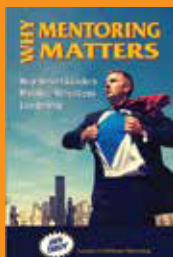
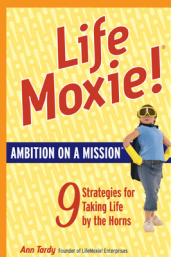
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