

LEADERSHIP IS TOUGH: WHAT GREAT LEADERS DO DIFFERENTLY

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AS LEADERS GET PROMOTED, DECISIONS CARRY GREATER CONSEQUENCES, FEEDBACK BECOMES QUIETER, AND THE MARGIN FOR ERROR SHRINKS.

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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.



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