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A Sampling Of What Audiences Are Saying About David O'Brien

- “Dave O’Brien’s presentation at our annual HealthCare User Group conference was an absolute hit! We as an industry group often get caught up in the topical material specific to our particular needs. It was a diversion away from what we typically provide, but based on the voluminous feedback, Dave provided fresh and exciting material for all of us to ponder and apply. Having Dave join our conference was clearly one of the best decisions we’ve made for our group this year!” - *President, HealthCare User Group*
- Dave O'Brien hit the ball out of the park at our Tri-State Leadership Conference. His presentation moved the group to actively participate and learn. He was engaging, made some really good points and was very well prepared. Today people still make mention of his good work and how they have been able to apply his material." - *State Director, Massachusetts Council of SHRM*
- “David O’Brien’s recent presentation entitled “10 Strategies for Accessing Your Full Leadership Capacity” was a wonderful combination of wit, humor and striking intelligence. He went head-to-head with the audience presenting his personal stories and examples of daily life that the audience totally recognized and related too. Feedback from participants gave David an evaluation of “extraordinary speaker”. If you want to learn how to create the right leadership strategies that are fundamental to personal and professional success, I encourage you to engage David O’Brien as a speaker, trainer or coach”. – *Program Moderator, JETS Job Network*
- Dave O'Brien's Redefining Leadership presentation at our recent Leadership Summit was enthusiastic and inspiring. He provided applicable strategies to use in developing yourself as a leader that could really be put to use right away. He kept the presentation lighthearted and fun and engaged our group easily with his down-to-earth approach." - *President, ALPFA - Hartford*
- David O'Brien’s dynamic personality infused our undergraduate students with momentum and energized focus for their job searches. His presentation of the "Top 10 Universal Job Search Truths" was informative, insightful and downright fun. Providing a workshop like this is not an easy task considering the current economic conditions with which our students are faced. David grabbed their attention, stimulated their thinking and challenged our young professionals with a call to action...hands down the best guest speaker we have had in years." - *Manager of Career Services, University of Connecticut School of Business*



- Dave O'Brien was our featured speaker at our joint meeting for the Staffing Management Association of Southern New England and the Human Resource Association of Central Connecticut, both SHRM groups. Dave was amazing. He truly is a subject matter expert on identifying leaders and gave us great insight into recruiting and identifying those for development. Like taking the blindfold off, we gained the trained eye we need in HR to bring the best forward. Dave was incredibly entertaining, informative and giving. The audience truly enjoyed his presentation. I highly recommend Dave O'Brien as a high impact speaker and leadership expert". - *SMA Program Committee Chair*
- "I can't even begin to tell you how much I enjoyed your presentation. Not only did you do an outstanding job, (you're a dynamo), but you have completely inspired me"
- "Energetic and engaging, time well spent"
- "Dave does a great job in delivering the material in an easy to understand fashion"
- "Awesome, this makes me think a lot more about my career and role as a leader"
- "Thank you for listening to our needs and designing a program that meets those needs. Everyone was very engaged"
- "I can't wait for my employees to attend your presentation"
- "Very enjoyable and entertaining, yet had great impact"
- "You were like a prize fighter! Never losing your pace, jabbing and punching and making great points and never once stepping off the rhythm, you were amazing!"
- "You have a lot of great ideas and you brought a lot of energy to the material"
- "Two of my people attended your program and raved about it. This is a skeptical bunch so a positive endorsement is HUGE"
- "The presentation and presenter were wonderful, Thank you!"
- "I'd enjoy hearing you talk about anything... what a gift!"
- "Watching you was like watching a well-choreographed dance"
- "Great and informative in a short amount of time"



- “You were truly amazing; I’m going to recommend you for the keynote address at our national conference”
- “The program evaluations indicated that you hit the ball out of the park”
- “I loved your presentation... Your way with words is amazing”