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Top Skills

Nutritional Counseling
Personal Training
Business Management

Languages

Dutch (Professional Working)
Bahasa (Elementary)
English (Native or Bilingual)
Mandarin (Limited Working)

Certifications

Duality - Energy Healing
Business Strategy Execution - Agile Organization System Design
Certificate IV Workplace and Business Coaching
Marshall Goldsmith Stakeholder Centered Coach
Newfield 125-Hour Coach Training Program

Honors-Awards

Global Coaching Leadership Award
Global HR Excellence Award in Leadership
2020 Executive Coach of the Year (Singapore)

Publications

Headstrong Performance - Improve Your Mental Performance With Nutrition, Exercise, and Neuroscience
Five Energies of Horrible Bosses and How Not To Become One

Marcel Daane

Creative Leadership Development for Companies with Unique Leadership Needs | Author of Leadership Tai Chi - The Art of Leading with Clarity, Wisdom, and Humanness in the age of AI | Brain-Based Leadership Expert

Greater Kuala Lumpur

Summary

“The leader of tomorrow will be the visionary dreamer and crazy big thinker who successfully navigates the paradox of being AI fluent and Human Articulate.”Marcel Daane - 2026.With over 30 years of experience as a global keynote speaker, I specialize in integrating Western neuroscience of leadership with Eastern energy practices. My focus lies in delivering actionable strategies that empower organizations to overcome challenges and achieve sustainable success without burnout. My expertise includes leadership strategy, resilience, and agility in the age of AI. As a published author and certified professional with multiple global honors, I am committed to helping leaders and teams thrive in an evolving world. My mission is to foster resilience, creativity, and innovative thinking by transforming traditional mindsets and equipping organizations with adaptable leadership frameworks.

Experience

Level V Partners
Global Keynote Speaker
June 2010 - Present (16 years 2 months)
Greater Kuala Lumpur

Delivering high-impact sessions bridging Western Neuroscience of Leadership with Eastern Energy Practices, delivering actionable corporate strategies that break through ceilings without the burnout.

Penguin Publishing Group
Published Author - Five Energies of Horrible Bosses and How Not To Become One
October 2021 - October 2022 (1 year 1 month)
Singpaore

https://penguin.sg/book_author/marcel-daane

Patents

HeadStrong Performance

Headstrong Performance

Published Author - HeadStrong Performance

February 2014 - February 2015 (1 year 1 month)

Singapore, Singapore

n 2015, I realized a lifelong dream of becoming a published author with my debut:

HeadStrong Performance - Improve Your Mental Performance With Nutrition, Exercise, and Neuroscience: Available on Amazon, Barnes & Noble, and many other stores.

Speed Sports and Fitness

Founder and Managing Partner

September 2007 - August 2010 (3 years)

Singapore

One of my professional goals was to build my own Fitness Center, which was realized when I single-handedly conceptualized SPEED Institute. I later grew SPEED Institute into the largest athlete development center in South East Asia.

The biggest lesson for me during this period was the value of a strong company culture that started with hiring the right people and then nurturing them in a way that provided them with an opportunity for growth, transformation, and engagement through collaboration.

Through my experience with my staff, I became fascinated by leadership and discovered a new calling for myself. I then decided to sell my company and go back to school to pursue a Master's Degree in Leadership.

Marcel Daane - Fitness Consultancy

IDEA International Fitness Presenter & TV Personality

January 1993 - September 2007 (14 years 9 months)

Global

Fresh out of the Military, I struggled to find my way in civilian life for a while until I discovered the profession of Personal Training. During my years working as a personal trainer and wellness coach, I learned how incredibly satisfying it is to play a role in the positive life changes of other people.

In this role, I became obsessed with the art of coaching and how to be a positive influence on others.

During this time, I completed my Bachelor's Degree in Complementary medicine while working full-time and raising a family and managed to graduate with full honors.

Over the years, I grew as a leader to my clients into a leader in the fitness industry where I became an IDEA International Fitness Presenter and also produced my own workout video called: KickFit The Ultimate Workout, which I grew into a profitable club licensing system and instructor certification program.

Ministerie van Defensie
Communications and Naval Intelligence Specialist
November 1983 - February 1992 (8 years 4 months)
The Hague Area, Netherlands

My first occupation fresh out of high school was a career in the military. The biggest lesson I learned that stayed with me forever was that life has greater meaning when we are of service to others rather than merely to ourselves. In my time, I learned that I possessed much more resilience, grit, and humility than I ever thought.

Education

Middlesex University
MSc Neuroscience of Leadership, Leadership · (2010 - 2014)

Charles Sturt University
Bachelor of Health Science Degree, Complementary Medicine · (2005 - 2007)

Huntington College of Health Sciences
ASc, Applied Nutrition · (1998 - 2005)