



Mission & Focus

Leigh Branham is dedicated to assisting organizations in the management of people, and helping individuals in the management of their own careers, so as to balance the achievement of organizational and individual goals. He is a strong proponent of the idea that investing in people is the surest path to business success and profitability.

Professional Profile

Leigh brings 30 years experience in business, education, and management consulting to his mission of helping employers implement best practices in employee engagement and retention.

He is the author of *Keeping the People Who Keep You in Business: 24 Ways to Hang On to Your Most Valuable Talent* (AMACOM, 2001), which consistently ranks on Amazon.com as one of the best-selling books on employee retention. His newest book is *The 7 Hidden Reasons Employees Leave: How to Recognize the Subtle Signs and Act Before It's Too Late*.

Leigh was Vice President, Organizational Consulting with Right Management Consultants in Kansas City and leader of the firm's Talent Management practice in the Heartland region. Prior to that, he was a Senior Consultant with Lee Hecht Harrison in Irvine, California.

In these roles, Leigh has consulted in a wide range of industries, including manufacturing, retail, banking/finance, telecommunications, hospitality, insurance, government, health care, energy, and construction.

He has been widely quoted in the media, including *Fortune*, *Business Week* and *The Associated Press*, as an expert on employee retention. He writes a regular commentary on managing talent for *The Kansas City Star*.

Areas of Expertise

Leigh consults and speaks throughout the U.S. on ...

Testimonials

“Leigh Branham is a featured presenter in our top development program and his presentation is consistently rated by our participants as one of the best sessions we have. I especially appreciate the time Leigh spent researching our needs and making the presentation as relevant as possible.”

- Training Manager, Westar Energy.

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Speech Topics

- Personal Growth
- Human Resources
- Generations
- Diversity

