



Author of the bestselling book *DARE: Straight Talk on Confidence, Courage, and Career for Women in Charge* and a trailblazer to the C-suite, **Becky Blalock** is a sought after speaker, thought leader and champion of skill and relationship-building to achieve success in the workplace. She is the Managing Partner at Advisory Capital, an Atlanta-based consulting firm providing strategic insight for companies involved in the energy and information technology. During her 33-year career with Southern Company, Becky held a variety of leadership positions before becoming Senior Vice President and Chief Information Officer.

Becky is on the board of directors of Aspen Aerogels and she serves on the Board of Counselors for the Carter Center and is a trustee of the Woodruff Arts Foundation. She is an advocate for women and children and has been an active supporter of The Community Foundation of Greater Atlanta and other organizations.

Becky successfully completed the Program for Management Development at Harvard University along with a Fellowship at Stanford Business School in IT innovation. She holds a master's degree with honors in finance from Mercer University and an undergraduate degree in business administration from the University of West Georgia. Additionally, she has cybersecurity certifications from Georgia Tech & NACD.

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### Speech Topics

- Women in Business
- Technology
- Leadership
- Attitude



## Testimonials

Months later, we are still receiving positive feedback on Becky's inspiring keynote address at our Women's Business Conference. Attendees found her straight-talk on confidence, courage, and career refreshing and packed with actionable suggestions for women executives at all levels of their career.

- Vice President, Member Engagement, Dallas Regional Chamber.

Becky Blalock is the 'real deal'. She is an engaging presenter who relates the ins and outs of her 'real life' climb to the top in a way that's genuine and inspiring. Her book and presentation combines humor, anecdotes, research and lessons culled from the hard won successes and character-building setbacks of many high achieving women. We're so glad she dared to share with us.

- 2013 President, Commercial Real Estate Women (CREW) Atlanta.