

Keynote speaker Ron Black captivates his audiences with a friendly enthusiasm and down-to-earth style. His knowledge goes beyond the text books. Real-life examples, clever adaptations, and sage advice developed and tested over two and a half decades of experience, keeps his audiences engaged and entertained. Ron's core competencies in business, leadership, and projects were forged handson. As the founder of nine businesses Ron has experienced, dealt with, and can discuss the inevitable challenges associated with new and growing companies first-hand.

In his management consulting firm The Mentor Group (established in 1988), he has advised and assisted in the launch of literally scores of companies, products, and services.

On four occasions Ron has served as the interim turnaround executive for troubled firms. Called in by lenders, venture capitalists, or owners, Ron knows what it's like to lead organizations through adversity and successfully emerge.

Ron served as a vice president in the marketing division in a Fortune 500 defense electronics company for three years. His responsibilities included managing a sales budget of \$950M, an expense budget of \$12M, and the administration of 36 worldwide field offices.

Before Ron turned 21, he had served three years in the U.S. Marine Corps, returned to his home state of Wyoming, and started his first business to finance a college education. He went on to own and operate firms in construction, distribution, manufacturing, telephony, and information systems.

The common denominator in Ron's diverse career has been his ability to bring people together, focus on results, and "harvest the wisdom of his colleagues." To book life balance speaker call Executive S...

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"His leadership message really resonated with me. I feel I can take it and use it at my work with my direct reports, contractors, and those I need to influence."

- Rockwell Automation.

"We chose to bring back Ron Black. He's a very dynamic speaker and he tailors his programs for us."

- US Bank.

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