

Daniel Burke

Overview

A jazz-playing former mathematician and management consultant, Daniel retrained as a psychologist and is now a leading business coach and trainer of coaches. His original training and his searching mind make him a valuable sparring partner for individuals in particularly intellectually challenging roles, and he has long experience of the complexities and turbulence of global strategic change. With creativity and humour, and a firm yet gentle eclectic approach he helps clients to greater awareness of their strengths and the keys to change both within themselves and in their environments.

Coaching Examples

- Assisted the Chairman and the CEO of MESA Region of Big 4 accounting firm as they devised and implemented a major change programme, which resulted in a more cohesive operation and dramatically improved performance
- Supported a regional manager of national broadcasting organisation through successful transition to more senior management role with major London orchestra
- Coached a director in a global investment bank in preparation for, and through the initial stages of a more senior leadership role
- Coached the head of legal and business affairs in a TV production company through transition and promotion to commercial director and continued success in the new role
- Created and delivered a series of engaging, innovative and practical coaching workshops for partners in a global law firm to help promote and embed a coaching culture

Business Background

- As a Partner in the International Leadership Team of KPMG, Daniel worked with the Global Chairman on a number of key projects including the negotiations on a possible merger with Ernst & Young, strategy, and building the first ever International Executive Team
- As the first Secretary to that group, Daniel led a number of International Board projects including global practice remuneration and governance, and designing and delivering the global business planning framework
- Extensive experience leading and facilitating client service and project teams
- Originally trained with KPMG as an accountant specialising in computer audit and risk assessments
- Now also trains coaches to professional standard as a Faculty Member on the Meyler Campbell Business Coach Programme. Clients include FTSE 100 and 250 companies; private bankers; law firms great and small; global consultancy practices; entrepreneurs and charities

Qualifications

- BSc First Class Honours in Mathematics; MSc Computer Science, Imperial College
- Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales
- Postgraduate psychology study: research on motivation
- The School of Coaching; Meyler Campbell Business Coach
- Inaugural US Positive Psychology Coaching Training with Martin Seligman
- Faculty member for Meyler Campbell Business Coach Programme
- Myers Briggs MBTI[®] and FIRO-B[®] certification; Mindfulness for Coaches
- British Psychological Society – member of Special Group in Coaching Psychology
- Continuing professional development programmes, including coaching supervision

Other Information

Daniel has a great love of music and is a keen jazz trombonist. He has travelled round the world by bicycle, funding part of the trip by busking in Taiwan, and has run five London Marathons. A current project with his wife is the restoration of the garden and fabric of an old property – and he is the self-appointed manager of a hedge fund (the beech and hawthorn variety).