

INTRODUCTION/BIO

David Irvine, the Leader's Navigator

David is a widely sought-after speaker, author, and trusted leadership adviser. His work has helped build accountable, authentic organizations across North America, making him one of the most respected voices on leadership and organizational culture.

He has advanced degrees in human development, science, and social work. With more than 35 years of experience as a family therapist, workshop facilitator, lecturer, and adviser to executives, he has developed a unique personal and practical approach to inspiring leaders and transforming lives.

David has worked with people in the public, private, not-for-profit, family business, and entrepreneurial sectors across North America, including:

- CEOs and senior executives
- all levels of management
- frontline service providers
- salespeople
- educators
- healthcare professionals

Thousands of people attend his programs every year, and he has also taught courses at three universities and the Banff Centre. David's presentations, workshops, retreats, and writing won't just move you — they'll get you moving.

David is a bestselling author of seven books, with over 300,000 copies sold worldwide. *The Other Everest: Navigating the Pathway to Authentic Leadership* is the most recent and brings together the learnings, teachings, and wisdom gleaned over a lifetime of meaningful work.

The popular *Caring Is Everything: Getting to the Heart of Humanity, Leadership and Life*, deals with the importance of caring in all aspects of our lives.

As a former nationally ranked distance runner, he also maintains an active lifestyle of yoga, boxing, and hiking. David lives with his wife in the foothills of the Rocky Mountains in western Canada.

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