

Beyond Borders: Building Teams in Extreme Conditions

Presentation Overview:

Sam's keynote takes you through the heart of the Cegrane Refugee Camp crisis, revealing leadership lessons from managing 45,000 refugees. This session offers insights into effective communication, resilience, and team building in high-pressure, multicultural environments, crucial for leaders in any sector.

Background:

At 25, transitioning from the ADF to leading refugee processing in Europe's largest camp since WWII, I faced unprecedented challenges. Amidst the Kosovo/Serbian War, this experience kickstarted a 15-year career in war and disaster zones. This presentation shares my journey from naivety to seasoned leadership, detailing the evolution of my approach in crisis management, team building, and communication, which shaped my understanding of effective leadership.

Keynote Highlights

- **Multilingual Communication:** Bridging Language Barriers in Crisis.
- **Empowering Leadership:** Motivating Teams Under Extreme Conditions.
- **Adaptive Problem Solving:** Overcoming Logistics and Resource Challenges.
- **Sustaining Resilience:** Balancing Well-being with High-Demand Tasks.
- **Organic Team Building:** Shaped by Circumstance and Necessity.

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Sam, a Certified Practising Risk Manager (CPRM) and member of the Risk Management Institute of Australasia (RMIA), brings over 20 years of expertise in enterprise risk and continuity.

His career spans Local Government, Non-Profit, and Corporate sectors, where he has developed sustainable risk and continuity strategies. Known for his innovative approach, Sam is not just a consultant but an enabler and facilitator, dedicated to building client capacity and fostering collaborative opportunities.

He has advanced degree qualifications in Disaster Management, Quality Auditing and Risk Management. Further, he is a Member of the Australian Institute of Company Directors, a serving company director, and former board director within the Victoria public education and public health sectors.

Sam has been a guest presenter at the Harvard University Humanitarian Initiative; he was awarded the Humanitarian Overseas Service Medal by the Dept of Prime Minister and Cabinet for his outstanding achievements during the Kosovo/Serbien War in 1999 and remains a pivotal voice of advice for organisations, domestic and international, regarding the practical integration of risk management.

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