



David Taylor-Klaus

Executive Coach – Atlanta

David brings three decades of experience as a successful serial entrepreneur spending the last decade as an executive coach. Through coaching, David's clients focus on the shift from leadership competency to leadership mastery. The result: dramatic shifts in their performance and their career trajectory. David believes that a powerful leader exists in each of us. He empowers his clients – both individuals and teams – to unearth and unleash their leadership potential and take an active, intentional, and dynamic role in their personal and professional lives.

Over the last three decades, David has consulted with or coached in dozens of companies spanning the public, private, and not-for-profit sectors focused on senior executives and the teams they lead. Client highlights include Southern Company, Dover, Bluestar Adisseo, and Logility/American Software.

Prior to establishing DTK Coaching, David was CEO of Digital Positions (DP), an internet strategy and web development firm he co-founded in 1995 and sold in 2009. As DP's strategist, he worked with C-level executives, senior management teams and boards of directors, helping them to broaden their perspectives and see how interactive initiatives support corporate visions and values for positive growth. In the pre-internet age, David was a partner in a technology consulting and systems integration firm focused on advertising agencies, marketing/communications firms, public relations firms, and printers.

David holds a Professional Certified Coach credential from the International Coach Federation, is a Certified Professional Co-active™ Coach, is one of the first to become a Certified Team Performance Coach™ and a Certified Conversational Intelligence® (C-IQ) Coach, and is a 15-year member of Vistage International.

David is driven by his passions for growth and creativity. Both his personal and professional worlds clearly reflect a journey in pursuit of excellence, always with a great deal of humor and heart. Known for his sharp intellect and incisive ability to see and say what others do not, David balances his fierce candor with genuine compassion.

David and his wife are almost empty nesters, living in Atlanta with the youngest of their three children along with their three dogs of different sizes and energy levels. A gold-medal rower in the Georgia State Games, an avid cyclist, and an enthusiastic wine-collector, David also enjoys kick-boxing, really great jokes, laughing with others ... and at himself.