



# Dr. Samuel Jones

## Coach / Facilitator

### Samuel helps clients imagine what's possible.

With more than two decades of experience, Samuel recognizes when leaders suffer from resistance to change, and he inspires them to invest in new methods for improved results.

### Clients appreciate Samuel's ability to:

- Listen with empathy and excitement
- Challenge leaders to take responsibility for their desired success
- Integrate information and expectations with inspiration and engagement
- Encourage leaders to change their beliefs about the people they lead
- Inspire leaders to make people matter

### Areas of expertise:

- Diversity, equity, and inclusion
- Mid-level managers who want to increase their impact
- Rapidly scaling businesses
- Organizations that want their participants to rediscover practical strategies for success
- Leaders and teams who want to navigate change with purpose and passion

### More about Dr. Jones

Dr. Samuel Jones, CSP, holds a Bachelor's degree in Advertising and a Master's degree in Public Relations from the University of Southern Mississippi and a Ph.D. in Educational Leadership from Mississippi State University. He's been recognized as one of the TOP Entrepreneurs by the Mississippi Business Journal, he has the Certified Speaking Professional® (CSP) designation from the National Speakers Association, and he is a certified success coach with Jack Canfield's Success Principles™. He resides in Ellisville, MS.

# client testimonials

Dr. Jones is an AMAZING motivator and coach. He was the main speaker of our annual all staff training event and his passion, his stories and experiences kept me on the edge of my seat. I left his training feeling like I was ready to take on the world and become a better person and leader. Let me rephrase, I AM a better person and leader for attending his training. Thank you, Dr. Jones!

- Gary Hull, Assistant Vice President for Consumer Lending, Credit Union of America

We are often exposed to others who profess to have the answers we need, new ideas by which to live, or even solutions to our most challenging situations. Whether in corporate retreats or organizational workshops, there are many facilitators and coaches who claim to have a new take on life. Dr. Jones is not one of those people. From his personal experiences as a young man in the MS delta and overcoming challenges in his life, you are introduced to a man who wishes to do nothing more than encourage you, listen to you, and walk alongside you as you figure out your life's path. The way in which he intimately engages with people is disarming and reassuring because he is honest about his own struggles, but confident in the way in which he communicates how he deals with them. I am grateful for the ways in which he helped me grow and challenged me to pursue being a better human being and leader.

- Ryan Miller, Executive Director for Accelerate MS

Dr. Jones's presentation and coaching was uplifting, optimistic, and extremely timely considering all the challenges people have faced both personally and professionally this year. Our credit unions could not stop raving about his approach to leadership and the way he connected with them, even virtually. As you look to the future and how your teams can benefit from coaching, inspiration, and learning, I highly recommend you look at Dr. Jones as someone who can help transform your team.

- Jared M. Ross, President, League of Southeastern Credit Unions & Affiliates

Through the mentorship of Dr. Jones, he used his life experiences and lessons learned to help me with my personal and professional goals. He has the charisma to teach and develop leaders to ignite change and make an impact! His presentations were enthusiastic and always made a lasting impression. His leadership and coaching style gave me the opportunity to answer the question, "Why?" for myself, and examine the possible outcomes of my efforts."

- LTC Deidre D. Smith, MS National Guard Deputy, Human Resources Officer

Dr. Jones has done a fantastic job of being the leadership facilitator and coach for the MS Economic Council's Leadership MS program. For over 40 years, this program been committed to strengthening Mississippi through a strong network of leaders. The program also has graduated more than 1300 alumni active in Mississippi businesses and politics. Dr. Jones' desire to see people expand their footprint for success is very obvious. If you get an opportunity to hear him speak or participate in any of his coaching sessions, you're definitely putting yourself on a path to greater success and significance that will make a difference!"

- Cathy Northington, Chief Operating Officer MS Economic Council

# client list

