

# Richard Field

# Keynote Speaker, Leadership Facilitator and Acclaimed African Safari Guide

Richard Field is an acclaimed African safari guide and international keynote speaker.

Whilst guiding people through the wilds of Africa, he has had a range of phenomenally rich and diverse experiences. These have led him on a personal quest to discover the core, universal elements of successful leadership in complex and dynamic environments.



Through this come fascinating and highly engaging stories and insights that are immediately relevant to anyone wishing to better understand how to build cohesive, focused and self-motivated teams.

Richard has a natural ability to draw audiences into the foreign and dangerous environments he is so familiar with. His exceptional capacity to clearly establish relevance makes him one of the most exciting new voices on the global speaking stage.

In addition to his keynotes ('Leadership Lessons from a Lion' and 'Guiding Lights'), Richard facilitates half day workshops and simulated adventures (Explore the Okavango), which allow for greater immersion and participation.

Richard is passionate about Africa's wild animals and places. He donates 10% of his speaking fees to specific programs that aid the conservation of lions, elephants and rhinos.

### Richard Field talks about:

# **Embracing the Lion**

You can't change what has happened in your life, but you can decide how you move forward. Learning how to embrace your own 'lion' will change your life forever.

# **Guiding Lights**

Explore three core leadership tools that have become the 'guiding lights' while on safari. The principles of effective leadership are consistent across all industries and areas of life.

## The Mandela Project

Coming in April 2016 - Delivers Mandela's principles into our everyday lives. Distilling the key



elements of leadership into 5 factors.

# **Explore the Okavango**

How do we succeed when the environment is shifting beneath our feet? 'Explore the Okavango' is a program that pushes individuals and teams outside their comfort zone in a simulated adventure.

#### Client testimonials

"A sincere thank you for sharing this amazing story with our sales and property management team. It is unique to share a true and very personal story that inspires us to look at ourselves and take responsibility for our own destiny.

#### - Raine and Horne

Thanks so much for yesterday Richard! Everyone got a lot of out of it - even our cynical folk were very engaged!

#### - Foxtel Creative

Richard speaks with great knowledge, passion and humour, which clearly comes from extensive first hand experience.

#### - Warrawee Probus

"Richard has a compelling story. His authenticity shines through and he successfully weaves some powerful insights into a dynamic and highly engaging presentation.

#### - Peak Teams

We were enthralled with your descriptions of Africa, and felt that we were on the journey with you. The twist that your story takes, and how this impacts on all of us, the decisions we make, consequences - and facing up to these - is a message that is applicable on both a personal and professional level.

## - Platinum Event Solutions

"Richard Field was the keynote speaker during the rollout of our Road Services national safety campaign in 2017. He spoke at 7 events to over 3,000 attendees in total. Richard was fantastic to work with. He worked closely with us in the lead up to the events and tailored his content beautifully to link with our key messages. His authenticity, humour and ability to weave a story kept the attendees spellbound. There were times when you could hear a pin drop in an audience of 650 people (mostly road construction workers!). The most impressive aspect of Richard's talk was his ability to build relevance and connect the message of personal responsibility and safety. It really hit home and his talk was integral to the success of our



campaign. We loved having Richard as part of our team!

- Downer

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