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David brings a wealth of experience to helping clients implement winning world-class leadership development and coaching strategies. He is highly knowledgeable on contemporary practices and research and has won two Bersin Impact awards and a Brandon Hall HCM Award on behalf of clients. His articles have been published in CLO, Leadership Excellence, and Training Magazine.

He is passionate about deploying a creative, enduring, system-wide approach to leadership development that drive both behavioral and business results. His clients have included: Microsoft (Executive Bench Program / Leadership Excellence); GE (XLP / ECLP / HRLP); Mayo Clinic (Physician Burnout Project); Salesforce (Leading for Success); GAP (#BestBossEver) and many more.

Prior to joining Leadership Circle, David was with Bluepoint Leadership Development and the Tom Peters Company. He has 25 years of experience in leadership development and 10 years of management experience in the United Kingdom with Marks and Spencer, FFI, and Omnicom. He studied business at the University of Northumbria and has a post graduate Diploma in Management Studies (DMS) from Teesside University Business School. He completed Seth Godin's alt MBA program in 2020 and Accelerating Coaching Excellence (ACE) with Coaching.com in 2022.

David resides in Mill Valley, CA with his wife and two children. Outside of work, you'll likely find him riding a bike, swimming in the bay, or enjoying the beautiful trails in Marin.