

# COACHING *for* LEADERS

## Community Membership

The *Coaching for Leaders Community* supports members in creating regular connection with other leaders, discovering real-time advice from experts, and surfacing practical wisdom.

### Overview

Members of the Community are listeners of the Coaching for Leaders podcast, the #1 search result for *coaching* in the United States on Apple Podcasts. The show has aired weekly since 2011 and attracted over 15 million downloads.

### Membership Benefits

Community members receive three key benefits from membership:

#### **Private Discussion**

All Community members receive full access into an online, private platform for real-time discussions — to support each other with help, celebrate wins, share practical tips and ideas, and discuss expert interviews heard on the podcast. This private platform is hosted with Mighty Networks, the leading membership portal, available on every modern device.

## **Coaching Forums**

Once a month, host Dave Stachowiak facilitates a live, monthly coaching forum. 2-3 members are selected to dive in on a current issue or topic they are dealing with right now — and then a small group of other community members ask coaching questions, share experiences, and give advice that will be helpful for that member to move forward.

Coaching Forums allow those bringing current challenges to receive insight — but just as importantly, the members selected represent the leadership situations many in the Community struggle with — so all members benefit from the dialogue.

## **Expert Chats**

You may have attended online classes before. Often, they feature videos from an expert that get to watch and learn from. They're great — but they're generally only one way communication.

Once a month, we turn the tables and have our members posing questions to expert guests live, via online videoconference — people who've appeared as guests on the Coaching for Leaders podcast.

Prior to the event, members may volunteer to serve as panelists and they'll join live on videoconference to ask questions on behalf of everyone. All other members are invited to join in view-only mode and submit questions to the panel. The panel curates questions in real time and poses the best questions to the guest expert.

## **Guidelines**

Community members matriculate from the Coaching for Leaders listening community, a top management show on Apple Podcasts. Applicants to the Community agree to the following membership guidelines:

### **Kindness**

Our community is a safe place for all of us to ask for help, share ideas, and get better. Perspective, experiences, and different opinions are welcome and part of the value we receive from this space. When members offer an idea or suggestion, they are asked to do it with kindness and grace.

### **Confidentiality**

In order for members to best help each other, it's sometimes prudent to share information about careers, colleagues, or organizations. As a result, all members are expected to keep conversations in our community confidential.

### **No Self-Promotion**

Our members seek the experiences, wisdom, and objective perspective from other leaders. Many of us regularly recommend books, organizations, and services to each other that will help support our goals.

While resource sharing is welcome and encouraged, self-promotion is not. Members are asked to refrain from promoting any organizations, products, or services they have a personal or financial interest in.

## Selection

Applications to the Community are reviewed personally by Dave Stachowiak and selected based on their goals for membership, desire to contribute to the professional relationships of other members, and alignment with community guidelines.

## Contact Hours

Monthly Coaching Forum live sessions: 12 hours

Monthly Expert Chat live sessions: 12 hours

Member portal discussion (asynchronous) : varies by member

Total synchronous contact hours: **24 hours**

## **Annual Dues**

\$500 USD

Please note that while dues are billed via credit card, membership does not automatically renew each year.

## Faculty

The Coaching for Leaders Community is facilitated by **Dr. Dave Stachowiak**, host of Coaching for Leaders, a top-rated management podcast downloaded **15 million times**. Dave has interviewed hundreds of experts, including:



David Allen  
Dan Ariely  
Peter Block  
Michael Bungay Stanier  
Susan Cain  
Dorie Clark  
James Clear  
Susan David  
Marshall Goldsmith  
Daniel Goleman  
Seth Godin  
Adam Grant

Lynda Gratton  
Michael Hyatt  
John Kotter  
Patrick Lencioni  
General James Mattis  
John Maxwell  
Cal Newport  
Ambassador Susan Rice  
Gretchen Rubin  
Edgar Schein  
Simon Sinek  
Liz Wiseman

The Coaching for Leaders podcast has aired weekly since 2011 and is the **#1 search result for coaching in the United States on Apple Podcasts**. Dave was featured in Forbes as a [25 Professional Networking Expert to Watch](#).

Dave holds a doctoral degree in organizational leadership from Pepperdine University and is graduate of Coach U. He was previously Senior Vice President at Dale Carnegie of Southern Los Angeles and has received multiple international awards from the Dale Carnegie organization.

Dave has instructed at the University of Southern California, University of California at Irvine, Vanguard University, and Chapman University.

## Questions?

Contact the Coaching for Leaders Community administration at [feedback@coachingforleaders.com](mailto:feedback@coachingforleaders.com) or call (949) 38-LEARN