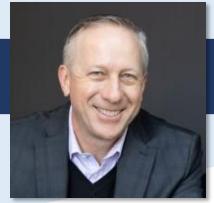
# Ryan S. Ponsford, мва



## YOUR SPEAKER & GUEST

### Engage, Enrich, Inspire

With over 25 years in the business, non-profit, and financial industries, Ryan Ponsford has learned a few things about wealth creation, giving, and general life and business principles.

Ryan has been recognized as a thought leader, disrupter, and innovator in multigenerational wealth strategies as well as using philanthropy as a tool to prepare and inspire generations of leaders.

Intertwining stories of his upbringing with his Grandmother's elephant, Akili, Ryan has been a guest for hundreds of interviews, has given speeches, taught courses, chaired events, and facilitated board and family retreats throughout the United States, Europe, and Canada.

#### Sample Speaking or Interview Topics

- ✓ Giving to reunite a divided world.
- Transferring wealth without ruining your kids.
- ✓ Trust based business development.
- Home equity: The most misunderstood and underutilized tool in retirement planning.
- ✓ Plenty of others; just ask!

He is the Founder and Strategic Advisor to several companies including <u>Akili Capital</u>, <u>Gateway for Good</u>, the <u>Equity Wealth</u> <u>Academy</u>, and <u>Main Street Philanthropy</u>, a 501(c)3 public charity that teaches life, financial, and business skills through giving to youth across the country.

In addition to multiple industry awards and certifications, Ryan plays guitar in a band, sings in a quartet, coaches several of his kids' sports teams, serves on multiple boards, loves teaching on white boards, and having grown up in Sonoma County, has an affinity for decent wines.

"Great energy; very engaging!" "Amazing experience with a powerful message" "Thought provoking!" "Ryan made an intimidating subject simple and doable"

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