



# Executive Coach: Devon profile



## Professional background

Devon is a former Fortune 100 executive with twenty years experience transforming organizations, businesses and teams for growth. She has an MBA from Columbia Business School and was certified as an Executive Coach from Columbia University in 2014. She spent twenty years driving digital disruption at some of the world's largest financial institutions and served as the Head of Digital Investing at Wells Fargo and the Chief Marketing Officer for the Americas at BlackRock. She now works with executives and founders to accelerate growth and resilience in their work, bringing more energy, success and well-being to their lives.

## Personal background

Always up for an adventure, and a certified Wilderness First Responder, she has trekked thousands of miles inn-to-inn, hut-to-hut, and done ultra-light solo backpacking. She is a trained volunteer counselor at San Francisco's crisis line where she helps community members in their most vulnerable moments. A longtime yoga & meditation teacher (RYT 500) and writer, she weaves mindfulness practices and narrative building into coaching and retreats to help clients manage stress and bring more laughter into their lives. She's based in San Francisco and works with clients worldwide.

## References

*"Devon struck a tremendous balance between hard skills and influential soft skills. In our very first meetings, Devon's expertise gave confidence to our firm at a time of transformation. It was also remarkable how she established herself as a trusted adviser and intermediary between several different constituencies. I was lucky to work with Devon in a variety of contexts and I couldn't recommend her coaching more."*

- James, Investment Management Industry

*"Devon's on point questions and insightful points of view helped me build clarity that had felt clouded for so long before. By the end I felt I could conquer the challenge ahead of me with new insights and skills learned on the way. "*

- Lori, Chief Marketing Officer, CPG Industry

*"Devon's gift is opening constructive communication on tough subjects. Her financial background and caring attitude made her impactful from day one. By the end of the program, Devon had helped us understand ourselves better, articulate our goals, and plan for a better tomorrow. I highly recommend Devon for any couple or individual wondering, 'What's next?'"*

- Sebastian, CEO, Tech Industry

*"Devon is one of the most passionate, determined coaches I've ever worked with. She helped me explore my options in ways I've never considered. Her advice on office politics and difficult conversations is also spot-on. A+, highly recommended!"*

- Dave, Ph.D., UCSF

*"Devon encourages you to do something that pushes you. You have to believe in yourself & challenge yourself, but Devon inspires you to keep going and makes it achievable. She is highly intuitive and is able to drive a true stretch experience where you are moved to action by what you now know you're capable of."*

-Kristin, Head of Data Services, Business Services Industry