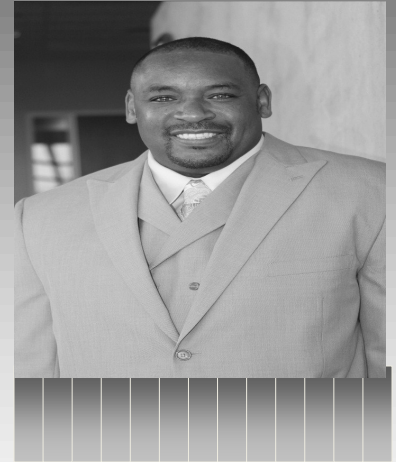


# LEADERSHIP 1ST

## EXECUTIVE BIOGRAPHY

Developing high functioning teams , Driving Global Leadership development , and improving the “ Ethos” of business.

Derrick Boles is recognized as a thought leader in human development and organizational behavior. Known for his expertise in leadership and his character based models . Derrick is one of the most dynamic speakers in the country. He brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to support the “Ethos” of any group. Ethos is the fundamental character or spirit of a culture; the underlying sentiment that informs the beliefs, customs or practices of a group or society, any community , business or organization. His innovative approach to developing people has earned him National and International recognition. He has been able to build meaningful and lasting relationships with corporations, educational institutions, civil authority agencies and national youth groups which has earned him the title and respect as a “ *Leader of Leaders.*”



**Communities** ~Mr. Boles noblest work has been with communities across the world. Spending time in Australia working with Indigenous communities. He is now spearheading a national intuitive engaging , educating and challenging community members to mentor . He was a part of the initial NBA Developmental Leagues mentoring program which is now utilized throughout the NBA and Developmental League as a way to support building successful people. His passion for people continues to be transferred to multiple industry's and professions across the world.

**Corporations** ~ Boles has global experience which provides depth and insight to his message. He has lived and worked on projects in Taiwan, Japan and Australia , while adapting he remain focused on being a catalyst channeling his energies on maintaining his form while impacting the mindset of business and corporations . Derrick has also utilized his talents in his own endeavors in the business world working as a managing partner of a emerging national food brand .

**Organizations**~ Mr. Boles has spent his talents helping organizations to craft strategic visions to help them achieve goals and objectives. To his credit he stayed committed to his vision to insure he provides a transformative experience to those he works with to adopt his mantra of **L.E.A.D.E.R.S.H.I.P.1st** motivational model in created in 2006, which he has now transformed into variety of curriculums, workshop, coaching sessions and keynote messages.

**Executives** ~Mr. Boles has a very extensive background working with CEO's , Presidents and Senior level executives. He also works with a number of high profile professional athletes on implementing specific transformative models for succeeding in Corporate America and developing leadership. Derrick holds a Master's Degree in Business Administration with a focus on Human Resource Management. He also obtained his B.A. in Human Services with a minor in Psychology.

**Loyalty**  
**Education**  
**Accountability**  
**Discipline**  
**Empowerment**  
**Respect**  
**Service**  
**Honesty**  
**Integrity**  
**Perseverance**  
**1st**

*“ I spent 16 years in the National Football League , 4 times as a pro bowl selection. I have had many different coaches and teammates . Derrick Boles is a special man , he has the incredible ability to communicate truth in a way that builds people . ” - Lorenzo Neal CEO of Fan Foods Inc.*

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