

DBA SPEAKERS

Business speakers, awards hosts and entertainers for corporate and private clients worldwide.

*We listen to what you tell us, matching your requirements to the abilities and talents of our speakers.
Every event is unique so we do not produce a standard "price list", but quote for each individual enquiry.
We are proud of our long-standing and successful relationships with speakers and clients.
Nobody at DBA is paid on commission, so we don't have to "sell" you a speaker.
We are not retained, or paid, by any speaker or any client, so our advice is independent.*

Our speakers are experts in their field. Some are "international household names", others are not. Fees range from £1,500 to over £20,000 (plus VAT and expenses) depending on your requirements.

Topics include:

Business	The Arts	Sport	Politics	Science	Economics	IT
Leadership	Motivation	Excellence	Teamwork	Management	Risk & Strategy	HR

Our clients include:

Blue-chip companies	Schools	Chambers of Commerce	SMEs
Local government	PR companies	Advertising agencies	Charities
National government	Trades Associations	Livery companies	Merchant Banks
Women's Institutes	Rotary Clubs	Private clients.	

Our business grows through personal recommendation. We attend many events to gain first-hand experience of speakers' styles and personalities. Please ask if you would like a reference from one of our clients.

We also book after-dinner speakers, entertainers, cartoonists, magicians, lookalikes, presenters, musicians and awards hosts.

Key Questions to ask when choosing and booking your speaker:

- * What will make this event stand out from all the other invitations they receive?
- * Who are the audience? (your existing clients, target clients, invited guests, the media?)
- * What budget is allocated to this event?
- * Why is the audience there? (to be informed, persuaded to buy, to have a good lunch, for fun?)
- * What are the reasons for holding this event and what do you wish to achieve by holding it?
- * Is it a serious event? Would you like to include an element of humour?
- * How important is it that the event is a success? To whom does this success matter?
- * Do you need a "big name" or a celebrity to attract people to come? (Maybe not).

Don't forget – many of our speakers are also experts at Masterclasses, tailored to your requirements.

We do the work - you take the credit.

We look forward to hearing from you soon.

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A SELECTION OF OUR BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL SPEAKERS:

- Gilles Acogny** – sales and marketing expert, leadership, also speaks on Talent Management
Professor John Adair – world class speaker on leadership
Kriss Akabusi – motivation, dedication, leadership and teamwork
Brian Alexander – presenter of BBC Radio 5Live's Weekend Breakfast: event host and broadcaster
Ian Angell – outspoken futurologist, expert on risk and commercial security
Paddy Ashdown – former leader of Liberal Democrats
- Tony Ball** – marketing and brand expert, award-winning after dinner speaker
Sir John Banham – former DG of CBI; Chairman of Tarmac plc and Kingfisher
Nigel Barlow – creativity; using what you know best; motivational
David Battie – famous face from the BBC's very popular Antiques Roadshow
Trevor Baylis – inventor, former stuntman, highly original
David Bellamy – wildlife and conservation: TV and radio broadcaster
Tony Benn – no introduction required!
- Peter Benton** – corporate change (public and private sector), fallacy, corporate strategy
Roger Black – star of the athletics track, TV presenter and motivational speaker
Lindsay Bogaard – contestant in the first UK series of The Apprentice and "fired" by Sir Alan Sugar
Jennie Bond – formerly the BBC's Royal Correspondent; after dinner speaker, journalist
Lady (Betty) Boothroyd – former Speaker of the House of Commons, described as a "national treasure"
Roger Bootle – freelance economist, journalist, broadcaster
Rowan Bosworth-Davis – expert on fraud, money laundering and white collar crime
Virginia Bottomley MP – ex-Secretary of State for Health & for National Heritage
Gyles Brandreth – on leadership
Professor Mark Brown – expert on corporate innovation
Geoff Burch – original, challenging, entertaining and unique
Meryl Bushell – former Chief Procurement Officer for BT Group: leading individuals & sales teams: customer service
- Dr Vincent Cable MP** – Treasury spokesman for the Liberal Democrats – former Chief Economist at Shell
Menzies Campbell MP – former Leader of the Liberal Democrats
Rene Carayol – charismatic international business guru - author of *Corporate Voodoo*
Barbara Cassani – former boss of budget airline Go and director of London 2012
Kenneth Clarke QC MP – former Chancellor of the Exchequer
Oz Clarke – wine expert and writer; author of the Oz Clarke wine books
Max Clifford – international PR guru
- David Clutterbuck** – mentoring, leadership; answering the Business BDQ ("bloody difficult questions")
Adrian Cooper – global economic forecaster (UK and worldwide); economist
Gerald Corbett – former Chairman of Woolworth plc: now Chairman Brtivic plc and SSL International
Patrick Cordingley – leadership, motivation, teamwork, strategy (former leader of the Desert Rats)
Simon Cowell MBE – founder of charity *Wildlife Aid*, conservationist and documentary maker
Vivien Cregor – broadcaster and presenter of Sky Business News
Garth Crooks – diversity, getting the best from everyone, sport and management with business
Edwina Currie – broadcaster, writer and radio presenter
- Chris Daffy** – leading international Customer Service guru and author
Karen Darby – serial entrepreneur: founder of SimplySwitch: dynamic and successful
Graham Davies – after dinner speaker, presenter and linkman
Peter Davies – CEO of BWIA: formerly DHL and Brussels Airlines; business excellence and customer service
Frank Dick OBE – expert on motivation, leadership and teamwork
Julian Dowle – 10 Gold Medals at RHS Chelsea: garden design, project management, sales
Neil Doyle – investigative journalist, pioneering author, and leading expert on international terrorism
Charles Dunstone – founder of the *Carphone Warehouse*
Richard Dunwoody – former Champion jockey, motivational and inspirational

For information on these speakers and many more, call us on 01932 228544

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- Richard Edgar** – weatherman with his own fan club
Frances Edmonds – TV and radio presenter, broadcaster, MC, after dinner speaker
Noel Edmonds – business entrepreneur, broadcaster
Jonathan Edwards – achievement, sport, success; TV broadcaster
Roger Emms – Business Excellence; quality issues
- Jo Fairley** – co-Founder of highly successful international brand, Green & Black's organic chocolate
Sir Ranulph Fiennes – world famous explorer (ice and desert) and world-class speaker
Elizabeth Filkin – former Parliamentary Commissioner for Standards
Sandro Forte – young, dynamic, excellent on motivation and sales
Paul Furey – psychologist; conflict resolution
- Frank Gardner** – the BBC's security Correspondent
Ros Gardner – expert on customer care excellence and complaint handling
PY Gerbeau – of "the Dome" fame
Louise Goodman – Formula One specialist; TV and corporate presenter and MC
Pete Goss – leading motivational speaker, yachtsman, expert on teams
- Ian Gotts** – expert on innovation: the challenge of business: competing in a global world: business start-ups: marketing
Michael Gove – Shadow Secretary of State for Children, Schools & Families – witty, eloquent
David Grayson – international speaker on business social responsibility, public and private sectors
Andy Green – the world's fastest man and holder of world land speed record
Jeff Grout – recruitment, building high performance teams, career success
John Gummer MP – the environment, business, entertaining after dinner
Sally Gunnell – only woman to hold 4 titles concurrently (Olympic, World, European, Commonwealth)
Krishnan Guru-Murthy – newsreader, broadcaster, presenter
- Pen Hadow** – the "thinking person's explorer", first successful solo unsupported Briton to both Poles: environmentalist
Monty Halls – effective leadership, excitement and adventure; motivation
Christine Hamilton – needs no introduction; speaks after dinner and at conferences
Neil Hamilton – former Tory MP; can speak as a double-act with Christine
Ray Hammond – futurist and forecaster
Judith Hann – MC, link presenter, after dinner speaker (ex-BBC *Tomorrow's World*)
Barbara Harmer – first lady Concorde pilot; dedication, motivation
Roy Hattersley – excellent after dinner speaker (now in the House of Lords)
Philip Hayton – TV presenter, corporate linkman and chairman
Robert Heller – author and management guru
David Hemery MBE – Olympic hurdles champion; business coaching for improved performance
John Heptonstall – economist and analyst with a phenomenal memory for figures and trends
Simon Hoggart – parliamentary sketchwriter for *The Guardian*
Eamonn Holmes – GMTV presenter and corporate linkman/presenter
John Humphrys – from Radio 4's *Today Programme*; host and MC
Maxwell Hutchinson – architecture and the built environment – broadcaster and TV presenter
Will Hutton – from the Work Foundation
- Sir Bernard Ingham** – former Press Secretary to Margaret Thatcher
- Chris Jones** – Olympic triathlon coach; motivation and success
Sir Digby Jones – former Director General at CBI: international and national trade and business
Mark Jones – presentation skills and coaching
Michael Johnson – Olympic & world champion at 200m and 400m; world class performance

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- Margot Katz** – author and expert on male/female roles at work
Lucy Kellaway – columnist for the Financial Times; also writes for the FT as “Martin Lukes”
Charles Kennedy MP – broadcaster, writer, raconteur and MP
Lynda King Taylor – author on Corporate Excellence and Customer Service
Terese Kramer – international asset management, best practice, outsourcing
- Jim Lawless** – charismatic, inspirational and popular speaker on business change, facing personal challenges
Sir Ivan Lawrence QC – criminal barrister, former Tory MP, after dinner speaker
Rachel Lawrence – barrister, inspiring role model (especially for women)
Martyn Lewis – broadcaster, newsreader, conference chairman and linkman
- Richard Madden** – explores the real meaning of adventure and travel
Penny Mallory – first woman to compete in a World rally car: TV presenter and motivational speaker
Chris Martin – solo transatlantic rower – across the Atlantic in 63 days aged 26
Oonagh McDonald – finance, strategy, public and private sectors
Michael McGrath – disability issues and equality for all
David Mellor – politics and football, after dinner speaker
Dame Barbara Mills DBE QC – former DG of C.P.S., now Chairman of Forum UK
Kevin Money – dynamic speaker on corporate social responsibility, reputation, “social loafers”
Nick Montagu – Diversity Champion: former Chairman of the Inland Revenue
Chris Moon – risk and strategy, motivation and effective communication
Kevin Morgan – flora and fauna of SE Peru; rainforests and exploration
Sir Richard Mottram – former Chair of the Joint Intelligence Committee
- Andrew Neil** – broadcaster, journalist, former Editor of *Sunday Times*, now at *The Business*
- Robin Oakley** – Political Editor at CNN (ex BBC), after dinner speaker, horseracing expert
Eddie Obeng – the “Max Headroom” of business
Cathy O’Dowd – first woman to climb Everest via both North and South faces
John O’Keeffe – ex-VP at Procter and Gamble - creator of *Breakthrough Thinking*
Rageh Omaar – BBC’s former “man in Baghdad”: now with Al Jazeera: broadcaster, speaker and presenter
- Matthew Parris** – former Parliamentary sketchwriter for *The Times*; now freelance
Chris Patten (Lord Patten) – former Governor of Hong Kong – author on East/West diplomacy
Jeremy Paxman – broadcaster, newsreader
Allan Pease – the international expert on Body Language
Alex Phillips – skipper of yacht in BT Global Challenge
- Jo Phillips** – journalist and former press adviser to Sir Paddy Ashdown; PR and media
Andrew Pierce – pithy Assistant Editor of *The Times* (media, politics)
Jonathon Porritt – green and environmental issues
Michael Portillo – former MP, now broadcaster and commentator; much in demand
John Potter – expert on leadership, strategy, negotiation and high level performance skills
Thomas Power – international E-commerce guru; founder of the E-cademy
- Heather Rabbatts** – former Chief Executive of London Borough of Lambeth
Derek Redmond – athlete, motivational speaker; a rising star
Doug Richard – successful entrepreneur and one of the “dragon’s” from Dragon’s Den
Sir Malcolm Rifkind – Conservative MP for Kensington & Chelsea; extensive experience including defence, foreign affairs
Dame Stella Rimington DCB MA – ex-Head of Security Service MI5; author; non-exec at BG plc and M&S
Ian Robertson – the BBC’s rugby correspondent, after dinner speaker
Michael Rodd – TV presenter and linkman; conference Chairman

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Craig Sams – co-Founder of Green & Black's; expert on green issues; Chairman of the Soil Association
Peter Saxton – managing complex operations: effective collaboration: customer service & competitive strategy

Richard Scase – futurist and economic outlook: India and China

John Sergeant – former Chief Political Correspondent for the BBC; politics and current affairs

Michael Shea – spindoctor, businessman, author, ex-Press Secretary to The Queen

Peter Sissons – newsreader, presenter, corporate conference linkman/host

Nicky Slater – former ice-dance champion, motivational speaker

Hans Snook – former boss of Orange, international business entrepreneur

Jon Snow – presenter of Channel 4 News; broadcaster, conference linkman

Paul Southworth – HR specialist and successful entrepreneur

Dr David Starkey – the notorious historian and television presenter; also from *The Moral Maze*

Rebecca Stephens MBE – first British woman to climb Everest; motivational and inspirational

James Cameron Stewart – corporate presenter, actor, voice-over artist

Graham Taylor – Founder of Super Aguri Formula One team

John Taylor (Lord Taylor of Warwick) – TV presenter, speaker, barrister

Laurie Taylor – presenter and conference chairman; motivation, change, communication

David Thompson – HR and personal development guru and author

Donald Treford – former Editor at *The Observer*

Justin Urquhart Stewart – investment, stockmarket, often on TV and radio

Helen Vandavelde – future trends: the future of work; language in business

David Vickery – corporate business and awards host; voiceover artist

Jeremy Vine – TV broadcaster and radio presenter: awards host and MC

Shai Vyakarnam – entrepreneurship, business and management; jargon-free

Terry Waite – no introduction required; former hostage, much in demand as a guest speaker

Gregg Wallace – “The King of Veg” as seen as TV's *MasterChef* and *Celebrity Masterchef*

Rex Warner – leadership, teamwork, work/life balance, strategy: expert on working in/with China

Tim Waterstone – founder of Waterstone's; Chairman of HMV Media Group

Ellis Watson – sold rights to “Who Wants to be a Millionaire?”; spreading passion through leadership

Adrian Webster – the “Sales Predator”; motivation, success, teamwork, sales, training

Simon Weston – Falklands hero: positive mental attitude to achieve goals; inspiring, uplifting

Charlie Whelan – spin, sport and politics (Spurs fan and Chancellor's former spin doctor)

Alan Wilkinson Chambers – walked to the Pole; speaks on motivation

Gerry Wilton – chocolate maker and “masterclass teacher” for chocolate making

Jock Wishart – round-the-world adventurer: leadership, survival, motivation, teamwork

Nick Witchell – BBC's Royal and Diplomatic Correspondent; conference linkman

Professor Heinz Wolff – scientist, broadcaster, inventor, speaker

Ian Woodall – led first South African expedition to conquer Everest; Practical Leadership

Sir Clive Woodward – England's highly successful and World Cup-winning Rugby Coach

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SPORTING AND ACHIEVEMENT SPEAKERS INCLUDE:

RUGBY

IAN ROBERTSON	RORY UNDERWOOD	ROB ANDREW	SIR CLIVE WOODWARD
GARETH CHILCOTT	TONY UNDERWOOD	VICTOR OBOGU	JONAH LOMU
GEOFF COOKE	GARETH EDWARDS	TOBY FLOOD	RYAN LAMB
OLLY BARKLAY	JOHN BEATTIE	BILL BEAUMONT	TOM REES
WILL CARLING	GAVIN HASTINGS	DEAN RICHARDS	JPR WILLIAMS

ROWING

MATTHEW PINSENT	STEVE REDGRAVE	JOHNNY SEARLE	TIM FOSTER
JAMES CRACKNELL	CHRIS MARTIN (Solo transatlantic)	ANNA HEMMINGS (Kayak)	

MOTORSPORT

LOU GOODMAN	ANDY GREEN	JACKIE STEWART	GRAHAM TAYLOR
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SNOOKER

RAY REARDON	STEVE DAVIS	JOHN VIRGO	DENNIS TAYLOR
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BOXING

BARRY McGUIGAN	AUDLEY HARRISON	NIGEL BENN	CHRIS EUBANK
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SAILING, YACHTING AND MARITIME EXPLORATION

ALEX PHILLIPS	CHRIS MARTIN	REX WARNER	PETE GOSS	DEE CAFFARI
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HORSE RACING

FRANKIE DETTORI	CLARE BALDING	SIMON DOW	RICHARD DUNWOODY
JOHN FRANCOME	ROBIN OAKLEY	ZOEY BIRD	MIKE CATTERMOLLE

CRICKET

DICKIE BIRD MBE	JONATHAN AGNEW	MIKE ATHERTON	NASSER HUSSAIN
CHRIS COWDREY	DAVID GOWER	MIKE BREARLEY	PHIL EDMONDS
GEOFF MILLER	IAN BOTHAM	HENRY BLOFELD	RACHEL HEYHOE FLINT
GRAHAM GOOCH	ALLAN LAMB	CHRIS BROAD	PHIL TUFNELL

ATHLETICS

DEREK REDMOND	MICHAEL JOHNSON	KRISS AKABUSI	SALLY GUNNELL
ROGER BLACK	STEVE CRAM	MARY PETERS	TANNI GREY THOMPSON
STEPHANIE COOK	COLIN JACKSON	JAMIE BAULCH	JONATHAN EDWARDS

SWIMMING

NICK GILLINGHAM	KAREN PICKERING	SHARON DAVIES	DUNCAN GOODHEW
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MOUNTAINEERING AND ARCTIC/ANTARCTIC EXPLORATION

SIR RANULPH FIENNES	CATHY O'DOWD	MICHAEL STROUD	PEN HADOW
IAN WOODALL	REBECCA STEPHENS	CHRIS BONINGTON	
GEOFF SOMERS	MATT DICKINSON	ALAN WILKINSON CHAMBERS	

TRIATHLON

CHRIS JONES

TENNIS

SUE BARKER	DANNY SAPSFORD
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SPORTS PRESENTER

ADRIAN CHILES	HAZEL IRVINE
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FOOTBALL

GARY LINEKER OBE	ALAN HANSEN	BOB PATMORE	JACK CHARLTON
RAY CLEMENCE	GARTH CROOKS	GEOFF HURST MBE	DES LYNAM
JOHN MOTSON	TREVOR BROOKING	LAWRIE McMENEMY	JIMMY HILL

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After dinner speakers and entertainers booked by DBA Speakers include:

- Rob Andrew** – England's most-capped Rugby fly half; entertaining, excellent
Tony Ball – “After dinner speaker of the year”, witty, charming, motivational and ... Welsh
David Battie – entertaining speaker on his career in antiques
John Benjamin – expert on antique jewellery and diamonds; often on the Antiques Roadshow
Jennie Bond – the BBC's former Royal Correspondent
Gyles Brandreth – TV radio host – and celebrated after dinner speaker
Rory Bremner – no introduction necessary! Great for awards ceremonies and after dinner
Pamela Brown – graphologist (handwriting analysis expert)
Geoff Burch – the best in his class.....by miles!
Bunny Campione – leading expert on dolls, teddy bears and automata
Frank Carson – Irish comedian and TV celebrity
Patrick Cordingley – leadership, motivation, teamwork, strategy (former leader of the Desert Rats)
Barry Cryer – well-known and excellent after dinner speaker: not “blue”
Graham Davies – after dinner speaker, host and link presenter
Sue Dawson – author of the sequel to *The Forsyte Saga*: founder of Talking Books
Janet Dowling – professional storyteller who tailors her speech to your audience
Frances Edmonds – after dinner speaker, broadcaster and writer
John Gummer – expert orator; witty, well-informed and uses no notes
Dave Gunson – Air Traffic Controller at Birmingham Airport, after dinner speaker
Pen Hadow – the “thinking person's explorer”, first successful solo unsupported Briton to both Poles: environmentalist
Monty Halls – effective leadership, excitement and adventure; motivation
Christine Hamilton – “battleaxe”, celebrity, entertaining speaker, not forgetting husband **Neil**
Simon Hoggart – political sketchwriter for *The Guardian* and *The Observer*
Ian Irving – after dinner speaker – loves golf!
Jim Lawless – charismatic, inspirational and popular speaker on business change, facing personal challenges
Jimmy Tarbuck and Kenny Lynch – no introduction required. As seen on TV!
Richard Madden – explores the real meaning of adventure and travel
Penny Mallory – first woman to compete in a World rally car: TV presenter and motivational speaker
Miriam Margolyes – international actress and voice artist: star of Harry Potter films
David Mellor – politics and sport; after dinner speaker
Steve Nallon – impressionist. Just the person if you want many celebrities at your event!
Ash Nazir – palmist and entertaining speaker
Tom O'Connor – TV celebrity and after dinner speaker
Greg Page – entertaining and humorous; “How to murder your husband” and other stories
Marc Paul – close-up magician and mindreader
Allan Pease – humour blended with antipodean charm
Nick Reade – close-up magician
Dame Stella Rimington – former boss at Security Service MI5; author; candid and charismatic
Rebecca Stephens MBE – first British woman to climb Everest; motivational and inspirational
Peter Skellern and Richard Stilgoe – pianist and lyricist who will write special songs if required
Stan Taylor – former submariner, after dinner speaker
Sandi Toksvig – TV and radio celebrity – radio presenter and host; awards host
Terry Waite – inspiring, entertaining and unexpectedly humorous
Gregg Wallace – “The King of Veg” as seen as TV's *MasterChef* and *Celebrity MasterChef*
Charlie Whelan – current and entertaining, on sport, politics and current affairs
Nicholas Witchell – media and broadcasting, life with the Royal family
Dave Wolfe – comedian and after dinner speaker
Professor Heinz Wolff – combining science, invention – and “science cabaret” after dinner (!)

..... plus magicians, musicians, steel bands, dance bands, jazz bands, choirs, harpists, lookalikes and soundalikes, origamists, graphologists, string quartets, soloists, casinos, event planning and decoration.

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