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Linda Braun-Leibowitz is the co-founder and joint CEO of GloCo Leadership Consulting, a boutique consulting firm located in San Diego, California. She is a Clinical Psychologist and a certified Integral Coach®. She has twenty-four years of experience in leadership development, team coaching, executive coaching, life coaching, and group facilitation. She has consulted to a wide range of leaders, from CEO's to senior and middle managers. She has also coached and mentored students training to become Integral Coaches. Linda was born in South Africa. She lived and worked in Johannesburg until immigrating to the United States in 2009.

Linda is passionate about working with her clients to develop their full potential so that they can achieve excellence and fulfillment in their professional and personal lives. Working within a holistic framework, she combines presence, deep inquiry, challenge and rigor in a way that supports and empowers her clients to achieve their goals. An emphasis on self-awareness, self-correction and self-generation of solutions ensures that her coaching delivers lasting results.

Linda was educated as a Clinical Psychologist at the University of the Witwatersrand in Johannesburg, South Africa, where she graduated Cum Laude. She worked both as a Clinical Psychologist in private practice and as a consultant in leadership development for several years, before committing herself exclusively to the field of leadership development and coaching. Linda earned her Integral Coach® certification from the Center for Coaching at the University of Cape Town's Graduate School of Business, in affiliation with New Ventures West (San Francisco). This certification is accredited by the International Coach Federation.

Linda has coached and consulted to senior business executives in the Financial Services, Financial Regulatory, Management Consulting, Biotech, Retail, Pharmaceutical, Computer and Health Insurance industries. She has designed and facilitated a variety of group processes in the areas of assertiveness, conflict resolution, effective communication skills, diversity and inclusion, presentation skills, and stress management. Some of the organizations that she has consulted to include: McKinsey, PepsiCo International, Accenture, Deloitte, Merck, JSE Securities Exchange, The Bond Exchange, KPMG, Relypsa, Patheon, Stryker, and Planned Parenthood.

After certifying as an Integral Coach, and before immigrating to the United States, Linda was a member of faculty at The Center for Coaching situated at the University of Cape Town's Graduate School of Business in South Africa. Since moving to the United States, she is an adjunct faculty member at New Ventures West, San Francisco. She is also a consultant trainer for the National Conflict Resolution Center (NCRC), facilitating workshops on resolving conflict and communicating across differences. She facilitates NCRC workshops with student leaders on the campuses of UCSD, SDSU and various community colleges throughout San Diego. Finally, she is currently a part-time lecturer in the School of Leadership and Education Sciences at the University of San Diego, lecturing a class in the Leadership Coaching Certificate Program.

Linda lives with her husband and two sons in Carmel Valley, San Diego. When not working she loves to spend time with her family and friends, read, meditate, dance, and play tennis.

# RESUME

## EDUCATION & TRAINING

- Organization & Relationship Systems Coaching (ORSC) Fundamentals with CRR Global – February 2015
- Leadership in Action 2 – Strozzi Institute, Petaluma, California – November 2012
- Leadership in Action 1 – Strozzi Institute, Petaluma, CA – August 2012
- Certified Integral Coach - Center for Coaching, University of Cape Town's Graduate School of Business, Cape Town, South Africa/New Ventures West, San Francisco, USA – 2008-2009
- Process Work Training – Dr. Stephen Schuitevoerder , The Process Work Institute – 2008
- Associate Coaching Course - Center for Coaching, University of Cape Town's Graduate School of Business, Cape Town, South Africa/New Ventures West, San Francisco, USA - 2007
- Coaching to Excellence - Center for Coaching, University of Cape Town's Graduate School of Business, Cape Town, South Africa/New Ventures West, San Francisco, USA - 2007
- Masters in Clinical Psychology (Cum Laude) – University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa – 1989-1992
- Licentiate in Speech and Drama - University of South Africa – 1992
- Honors in Clinical Psychology (Cum Laude) - University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa – 1987
- Bachelor of Arts – University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa – 1983-1986

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### PART-TIME LECTURER UNIVERSITY OF SAN DIEGO

SCHOOL OF LEADERSHIP & EDUCATION SCIENCES

Spring 2018 to present

- Lecturing the Coaching Practice class which forms part of the Leadership Coaching Certificate

### LEADERSHIP, EXECUTIVE AND LIFE COACH

GLOCO LEADERSHIP CONSULTING LLC - Founding Member & CEO (San Diego, California, USA)

2011 to present

- Coaching senior business executives and leaders in organizations
- Coaching private individuals
- Team coaching and workshop facilitation
- Adjunct faculty member at New Ventures West – mentor to students in the coaching program; panelist for certification
- Consultant trainer for the National Conflict Resolution Center, focusing on conflict resolution, diversity & inclusion

### FACULTY MEMBER – CENTER FOR COACHING

CENTER FOR COACHING, UCT GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS / NVW (Cape Town, South Africa)

2009 and 2010

- Supported the course leaders during the Professional Coaching Course
- Guest coach for student assessment
- Phone coach for students on the program, coaching them on their self-development plans
- Immigrated to the United States in 2009 and continued as phone coach for one year

### OWNER AND MANAGING MEMBER

ACCENTS cc (Johannesburg, South Africa)

1998–2009

- Coached senior business executives in corporate environments – individually and in group settings
- Designed and facilitated group programs for leadership development
- Coached private individuals
- Expertise in the following areas:
  - Personal growth and development

- Executive and leadership coaching and development
- Stress management
- Interpersonal communication skills
- Conflict resolution skills

### PRIVATE PRACTICE AS A CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST AND CONSULTANT

*(Johannesburg, South Africa)*

1992 – 1999

- Ran a Private Practice as a Clinical Psychologist
- Worked with young adults, adults, couples and families focusing on psychological and interpersonal issues
- Consulted to corporate environments on Interpersonal Communication Skills and Stress Management – worked with middle and senior management

### VOLUNTEER IN NON-PROFIT ENVIRONMENT

*COMMUNITY AIDS RESPONSE (Johannesburg, South Africa)*

2000–2002

- Trained 5<sup>th</sup> year medical students in pre- and post HIV test counseling skills
- Coached field workers in stress management
- Coached field workers, in the role of community educators about HIV/AIDS, in communication skills

## MEMBER ASSOCIATIONS

- International Coach Federation (ICF)

## REFERENCES

COMPANY	NAME OF REFEREE	TITLE	CONTACT DETAILS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New Ventures West</li> </ul>	James Flaherty	Founder, Senior Faculty	(415) 221-4618 <a href="mailto:james@newventureswest.com">james@newventureswest.com</a>
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