



Profile Of Nikhil Desai

Nikhil Desai is the Director of The Centre For Excellence and an International Motivator, Trainer & Coach.

He is passionate about enabling individuals and organizations to unleash their true potential. A powerful presenter with an energetic speaking style, Nikhil inspires & motivates his participants to produce lasting change.

More than a quarter million participants of more than 300+ cities of 42 countries worldwide including from India, USA, Canada, UK, Sweden, Germany, France, Switzerland, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, Croatia, Macedonia, Romania, Kosovo, Barbados, Greece, Kenya, South Africa, Zimbabwe, Ghana, Botswana, Nigeria, Australia, Azerbaijan, Turkey, Egypt, UAE, Saudi Arabia, Oman, Qatar, Kuwait, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Nepal, Japan, Philippines, Indonesia, Brunei, Hong Kong, Singapore, Malaysia and other countries have attended and benefited from Nikhil Desai's programs with excellent feedback. He plans that during this decade half a million participants will benefit from his programs worldwide.

Nikhil graduated with an MBA from USA where he stood first in his university. Thereafter he worked in New York. Started as an entrepreneur after returning to India and set up manufacturing facilities and industries in the textile and automobile sectors. Grew from 1 business to 8 businesses in 8 years. As a sportsman he played cricket with former Test and Ranji trophy players. He was also in the first ever cricket coaching series that was telecast all over India on Doordarshan – Cricket with Poly Umrigar.

In 1991 when India liberalized the economy Nikhil established The Centre For Excellence which was awarded as the HR & Training Company of the Year by the CEO Magazine.

Nikhil Desai also had the honour of receiving the Lifetime Achievement Award at the World HRD Congress in the presence of delegates from all over the world.

Nikhil was featured in the special issue of The Human Factor on The Learning Panaroma -Industry Best Practices Revealed with other eminent icons worldwide.

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Nikhil Desai is the only speaker & trainer in the world who has the combined strength of an MBA from U.S.A, business acumen through his own business enterprises, a qualified corporate yoga practitioner and has 29 years of experience in conducting motivational sessions and training programs.

This wealth of experience enables him to share rich ideas and experiences with the audiences during his sessions which are very interesting, interactive and impactful.

He has also appeared on Television & Radio in India, New York, California, Philippines, South Africa & Oman.



Nikhil Desai conducts the following power packed programs including his flagship trademarked program which is the need of the hour and is popular worldwide:

- Unleashing The Potential In You & Your Organization In Turbulent Times™
- Achieving Excellence Thru Stress
 Management®
- 3 All Types Of Motivational Programs
- Manage Your Time, Manage Your Stress, Energise Your Life
- Mastering Time Management
- 6 Art Of Leadership
- 7 Oorja For Leadership Excellence
- 8 Achieving Excellence At Work
- 9 Work Life Balance
- How To Double Your Productivity
 When Working From Home
- 11 Excellence In Customer Care
- Successful Selling Skills
- Delivering High Impact Presentations
- 14 Excellence In Communication Skills
- Email Etiquette
- Team Building & Inter Personal Skills
- Conflict Management
- Overcoming Digital Eye Strain
- 19 One to One Coaching
- 20 Train The Trainer

Nikhil Desai's participants also include executives of more than 2000 organizations including Abbott, ACC, ACG Worldwide, Aditya Birla Group, Airtel, Ambuja, Aon Global, Apollo Tyres, Asian Paints, Bank Muscat, Bank Sohar, Barclays Bank, BASF, Blue Dart, BNP Paribas, BSE, Cadbury, Cap Gemini, Castrol, Caterpillar, Cipla, Clariant, Deloitte, Deutsche Bank, DHL, Dow, Dr.Reddys, DSP Merrill Lynch, EY, Essar, Exim Bank, Fiserv, Fosters, GE, Godrej, Holcim, Hyatt, ICICI, Indoco Remedies, Infinti Retail, IPCA, ITC, ITD Cementation, Jindal, JK Cement, Johnson & Johnson, Kalyani Group, Kirloskar, Kone, Kotak, L&T, Levi Strauss, Lowe, Maersk, Mahindra, Motherson, Nestle, Novartis, NTT Data Global Centers, Oberoi Hotels, Omantel, Pepsico, Pfizer, Piramal Healthcare, PwC, Radio City, Ranbaxy, Reliance, Sandoz, SBI, Schiller, Sequent, Shell Gas, Siemens, Sigma Electric, Standard Chartered Bank, Sterlite, Sun Pharma, Synechron, Syntel, TCS, Tata, Torrent Power, TVS Group, Uflex, Ultratech, Unilever, UNO MINDA, UPS, USV, Vedanta, Victorinox, Voltas, Whirlpool, Wipro, Zydus Cadila & various other organizations.

A partial list of national and international events where Nikhil Desai has presented workshops or sessions:

- GTA Global Conference, 2020
- International HR Conference, 2020
- IIT Entrepreneurship Cell Summit, 2020
- The Human Resources Forum, Dubai, 2019
- Oman Society for Human Resource Management (OSHRM) Conference, 2019
- Intent Leadership Summit, 2019
- World HR Summit, 2018
- Baku HR Summit, 2018
- IBA Banking Conclave, 2018
- People & Management HR Extravaganza, 2018
- The CEO Weekend, 2018
- Mice Conclave, 2018
- BIG CIO Summit, 2018
- National Corporate Campus Conference, 2017
- RBC and Confederation of Indian Industry (CII), 2016
- World Training & Development Congress, 2016
- Aquaculture CEOs Forum India and AI Awards, 2015
- Annual Controllers' Conference, Ministry of Communications & IT, 2015
- Indo Canada Chamber of Commerce, Canada, 2014
- OGTC International Conference, 2014
- National Institute of Financial Management, 2014
- The 4th Indian Business Leader Summit, 2013
- Oman HR & Nationalization Congress, Oman, 2013
- SHRI HRD Conference, Singapore, 2012
- 4th Annual Managing Local Talent Conference, Qatar, 2012
- Singapore HR Congress, Singapore, 2012
- 1st Excellence Conference, Philippines, 2012
- Human Asset Summit, Oman, 2011
- HR & Training Congress, Philippines, 2011
- HR Grand Prix, Malaysia, 2011
- Dubai Human Resource Forum, Dubai, 2011
- International Society for Performance Improvement Europe Conference, Sweden, 2010
- HR Africa Summit, South Africa, 2010
- International Society for Performance Improvement Europe Conference, Ireland, 2009
- The HR Summit, Singapore, 2008
- The Economic Times Leadership Conclave, 2008
- IFFPS Global Speakers Summit & The International Gathering, Dubai, 2007
- Asia Pacific Speakers Summit, Singapore, 2007
- Singapore Quality Institute, Singapore, 2007
- International Society for Performance Improvement Conference, U.S.A, 2007
- World Conference on Training & Development, Malaysia, 2006