

# **GIVE YOUR IDEAS THEIR BEST SHOT**

Coming up with a good idea is one thing - but convincing others to back you is another. And we often make it hard for ourselves by not giving our ideas what they need to be bought by others. This is where the PITCH comes in. Entrepreneurs must be able to successfully pitch to investors. Business executives must be able to successfully pitch ideas and products to customers, management and their own teams. Most people think they are fairly good at pitching, yet few have really understood or mastered how to condense a long presentation into a short, dynamic pitch that will have impact and influence on audiences. Pitching is not just something you do in an elevator, it's how you prepare your listeners to open their minds and start the process of getting buy-in for your new ideas and proposals.

Join us in this blended (online/offline) learning experience where you and your team will learn how to give ideas their best shot at succeeding. This interactive workshop series is designed to improve a participant's ability to pitch an idea, product or service powerfully, being more brief, clear and compelling.

### Who Should Participate in this Training Program?

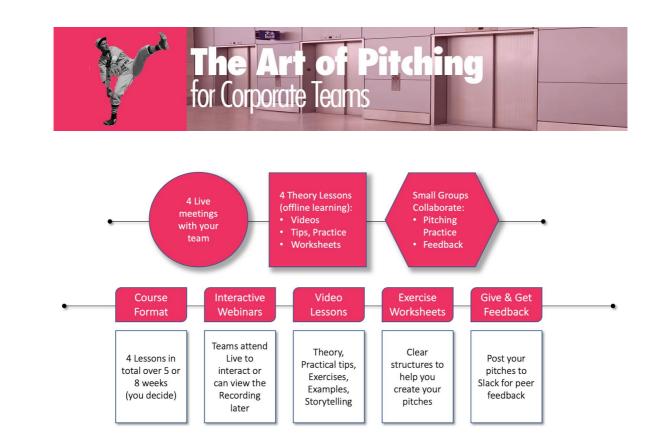
This workshop has been specially designed for corporate teams. Because we know you are busy and bored with traditional learning courses, we have designed this to be a fun, fast-paced and highly interactive training experience. You can learn theory at your own pace from videos and online worksheets. You will work in small teams (triads) to write, record and get feedback on your practice pitches. And you can participate in live, interactive webinars with all your colleagues for sharing best practices, group learning and mastery.

## In this Training Program you will Learn to:

- Pitch better to avoid "death by powerpoint" corporate mentality
- Communicate a complex message quickly & clearly
- Connect, build rapport and change people's minds
- Craft and deliver strong and clear
   messages
- Learn how to move your audience
   emotionally
- Encourage greater teamwork and team spirit through feedback
- Get faster "buy-in" from stakeholders
- Stop being so boring ;-)
- Be more authentic in your comms







Target Groups:	Challenges:
Corporate executives who lead teams	• Delivering a clear message that inspires teams and moves people to action
Salespeople who pitch products	Communicating solutions to real problems to create raving-fan customers
Marketing people who pitch ideas	Selling-in new and innovative ideas that create real change
Entrepreneurs who pitch to investors	• Establishing connection and rapport that inspires collaboration & investment
Networkers who pitch themselves	Having lasting impact and influence when meeting new people

#### Business OUTCOMES... How will this workshop improve your business?

#### Clearer Communication

Learn to speak-up and communicate with more Impact and Influence

• Better Team Alignment

Improve communication within your teams to become better aligned and reach higher levels of performance

Quicker Decisions

Learn how to listen better, ask better questions, be precise and make quicker decisions

- Improved Pitch Confidence
   Improve pitching confidence by practicing giving and receiving
   feedback from other participants
- Improved Feedback Skills
   Teams that learn to give & receive feedback are stronger and
   more resilient
- Bottom-line Improvement
  Increase sales effectiveness, attract better customers, improve
  internal project efficiency

To learn more about this program, contact Rick Salmon (<u>rs@quickminds.net</u>) and book a time to talk.