

# DAVID SHANDS

ENTREPRENEUR

SPEAKER

TEACHER

AUTHOR

## MISSION

**OUR MISSION IS TO CREATE AWARENESS THAT ENTREPRENEURSHIP IS A VIABLE CAREER PATHWAY.**

We strive to ignite the spark of innovation and cultivate a mindset that embraces creativity, resilience, and leadership. Through tailored programs, mentorship, and hands-on experiences, we aim to equip young individuals with the skills, knowledge, and confidence needed to take on the world however they see fit.

Our commitment extends beyond traditional education, fostering an environment where curiosity is celebrated, challenges are seen as opportunities, and every idea is valued. We aspire to unleash the untapped potential within each young mind, inspiring them to envision, create, and lead the way to a future defined by innovation and impact.

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**IGNITING THE ENTREPRENEURIAL SPIRIT IN EVERY STUDENT, SHAPING THE INNOVATORS OF TOMORROW.**

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# WHO IS DAVID SHANDS?

**As a visionary, educator and passionate advocate for cultivating young minds, David Shands stands at the forefront of a transformative movement in education.**

With a profound commitment to instilling the principles of entrepreneurship, David is a seasoned expert in guiding children towards a future of innovation and self-reliance. David is also a multifaceted individual known for his entrepreneurial prowess, podcasting, writing, speaking, and mentorship. As the CEO of David Shands LLC, a leading business training and coaching firm, he specializes in empowering individuals to unlock their fullest potential.

Before venturing into a successful entrepreneurial career, David honed his skills for over a decade in the hospitality industry. There, he mastered the art of serving, developing, and connecting with people.

An accomplished author, David has penned two insightful books, "Dreams Are Built Overnight" and "Networking No-No's," aimed at guiding individuals through the transition from employment to entrepreneurship. His nationally renowned podcast, The Social Proof Podcast, showcases interviews with champions of entrepreneurship and business.

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## DAVID IS CURRENTLY BOOKING FOR:

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

PANEL FACILITATOR

STAFF DEVELOPMENT

EMCEE

## ON THE TOPICS OF:

✓ Entrepreneurship

✓ Financial Literacy

✓ Personal Development

✓ Critical Thinking

✓ Character Education

✓ Soft Skills

✓ Global Impact

✓ Emotional Intelligence

...AND  
MANY  
MORE!

## DAVID HAS SHARED HIS MESSAGE WITH:

- Atlanta Public Schools
- Clayton County Schools
- Morgan State University
- Fulton County Schools
- Burlington County Schools (NJ)
- LAUSD
- Dekalb County Schools
- Huntsville City Schools
- Atlanta Hawks
- Cobb County Schools
- Madison County School System
- InvestFest

## SOCIAL MEDIA FOLLOWING

Instagram

@Dshands

**320K**  
FOLLOWERS

YouTube

@RealSocialProof

**581K**  
SUBSCRIBERS

**90M**  
VIEWS

facebook

David Shands

**12K**  
FOLLOWERS

X

@SleepIs4Suckers

**12K**  
FOLLOWERS

TikTok

@DavidNeverSleeps

**26.5K**  
FOLLOWERS

# TRAILBLAZING THE PODCASTING LANDSCAPE

Over **20M** podcast **downloads** on 'The Social Proof Podcast' and founder of the thriving **Social Proof Podcast Network**, home to six influential podcasts.

## SOCIAL PROOF

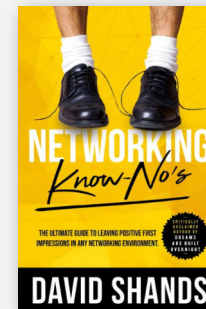


## AUTHOR OF TWO BOOKS



### Dreams are Built Overnight:

*How to Create a Bridge Between Your Day Job and Your Day Dream*



### Networking Know-No's

*The Ultimate Guide To Leaving Positive First Impressions In Any Networking Environment*

## BOOK DAVID TODAY!

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