



Dr. Bahby Banks

Founder & CEO | Pillar Consulting, Inc.
Founder | ENVISION Empowerment Experience™

Envision this: Getting motivated. Getting stimulated. Getting a chance to elevate your sights, grab some new tools and become fully prepared to send your best self out into the world. It's all made possible thanks to the talent, experience, energy and enthusiasm of Dr. Bahby Banks — creator, host, guide, cheerleader and MC extraordinaire of ENVISION Empowerment Experience™.



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Bahby's been there, and she's done that, from earning her Ph.D. at the UNC Gillings School of Global Public Health to drumming her way through the streets of the Bull City as a member of Batalá Mundo; from presenting at scientific conferences in Mexico and Australia to hang gliding over the sandy beaches of Brazil; from founding and leading an international research consulting company to getting seriously silly whenever the mood strikes. (Karaoke anyone?). Along the way she discovered an ability and love for sharing her stories and insights. So she's shaped and funneled and boiled the stories she's lived and the lessons she's learned into ENVISION Empowerment Experience™, a half-day event where she shares her talents even farther and wider.

Dr. Bahby is passionate about encouraging her audiences to set audacious goals and define their own visions for success. Her sessions are always interactive, entertaining and inspirational; attendees leave invigorated, enlightened and ready to take on the world. With 15+ years of leadership and capacity building expertise, Dr. Banks' clientele has included the National Association for Female Executives, North Carolina Department of Administration, National Association for Educational Procurement, Wake Forest University and PriceWaterhouseCoopers.

Dr. Bahby's work has led to a career that has spanned research in the Americas, Africa, Europe, and Australia; she has co-authored several peer-reviewed publications in national and international journals. Under Dr. Banks' leadership, Pillar Consulting has spearheaded efforts funded by the National Science Foundation, DuPont Foundation, deBeaumont Foundation, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools, U.S. Department of Education, and the U.S. Health Resources and Services Administration.

In addition to serving as the CEO of Pillar Consulting, Dr. Banks serves as an adjunct faculty member at the UNC Gillings School of Global Public Health, an executive career coach, and facilitator of leadership intensives with topics including: effective networking, diversity, equity and inclusion, leadership, empowerment and personal branding.

RECENT FEATURES AND APPEARANCES



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RECENT CLIENTS



SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

KEYNOTES

- ENVISION Empowerment Experience™
- The Confidence Conundrum™
- Networking: Fruitful or Futile?
- (Re)Charge
- The 'I' in Leadership: Knowing Your Why
- Curiosity: Asking the Right Questions
- "One Mission, One Mile: Innovation in Inclusion and Diversity"
- "Measure Twice, Execute Once: A Primer in Sustainability and Social Impact"

TOPICS

- Diversity, Equity and Inclusion
- Effective Networking
- Effective Communication
- Professional Development
- Transformational Leadership
- Confidence/Empowerment
- Innovation
- Personal Branding

“ WHAT ARE PEOPLE SAYING? ”

"Dr. Bahby gave the most powerful presentation I ever experienced at any conference I've ever been to. Ever."

"The information provided was awesome! Dr. Bahby was exciting and very engaging with the audience!! I could have gone another hour with her!"

"Dr Bahby has a way of enlightening the soul with her laughter and positive demeanor."

"This will be one of those moments captured in time that will always be remembered!"

"I appreciated your honest discussion on career path, success and networking; these lessons are those that will always stay with me."

"Each aspect of ENVISION was an absolute knock-it-out-of-the-park move."

