

# Authentic Leadership: The Courage to Lead

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*"Courage is the ladder on which all the other virtues mount"*

Clare Bootle Luce, American diplomat and playwright 1903-1987

**Courage** .... from old French *cuer* meaning heart

1. The quality of mind and spirit that enables a person to face danger with bravery.
2. (*Obsolete*) The heart as the source of emotion. Compassion, empathy
3. Acting in accordance with one's beliefs and values in the face of criticism or danger.

| Keynote Speakers     |                              | Key Themes               |
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| Philippa Foster-Back | Institute of Business Ethics | The Ethics of Leadership |
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| Philip Hayday-Brown  | Polar Explorer               | Self Leadership          |

*An unparalleled opportunity to hear senior leaders from industry, the military and the public and private sectors discuss how a focus on values, ethics and pro-social leadership, exemplified by the Authentic Leader, can support us through the challenges of the 21st century.*



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