

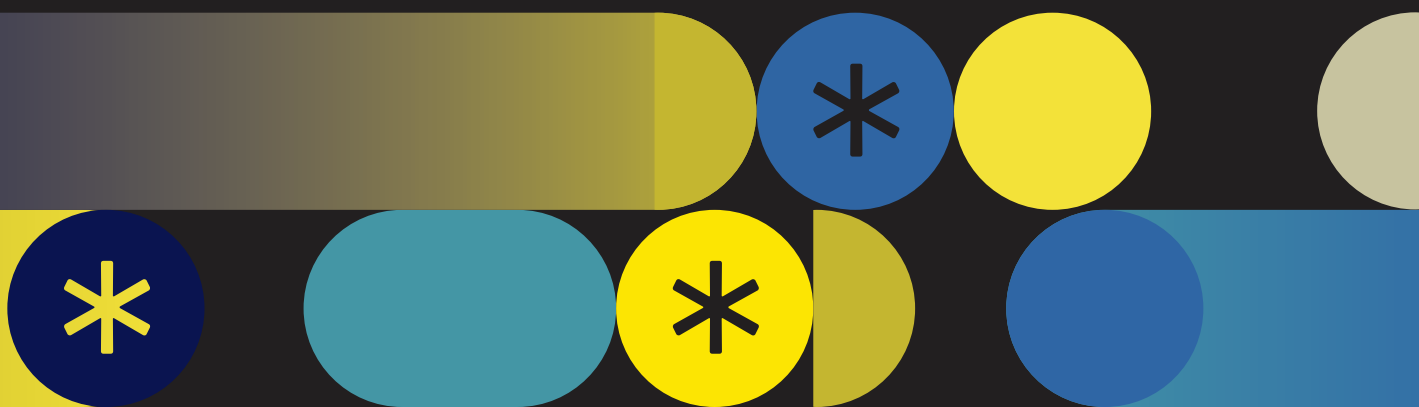


slowdown summit

Leadership Development Conference 2026

Designed for introverted, neurodivergent, and quiet professionals.

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ABOUT THE SUMMIT

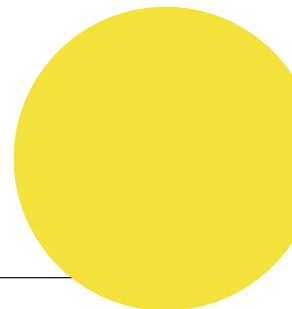
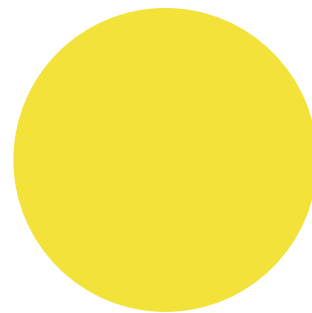
We honor identity, diverse learning styles, and quiet brilliance.

In a culture that rewards burnout, we champion authentic leadership and slowing down to create meaningful progress.

The Slowdown Summit is an industry-inclusive, day-and-a-half leadership development experience built to be neurodivergent-affirming, introvert-forward, and accessibility-centered. From space design to programming and content, inclusion is built into every touchpoint.

At our event, you can expect sensory-informed sessions, multi-style learning, and diverse voices in leadership and storytelling.

Learn more at slowdownsummit.co.



GOALS OF THE SUMMIT

We are rooted in systemic change, accessibility, and real outcomes.

Attendee-Level Outcomes

- Gain actionable strategies that prioritize authenticity to apply immediately in the workplace.
- Build meaningful, value-aligned connections through structured networking.
- Strengthen confidence in personal leadership style and ability to advocate for themselves and others.
- Develop clear 30/60/90-day goals to refine and grow leadership skills in alignment with strengths and lived experiences.

Organizational and Cultural Impact

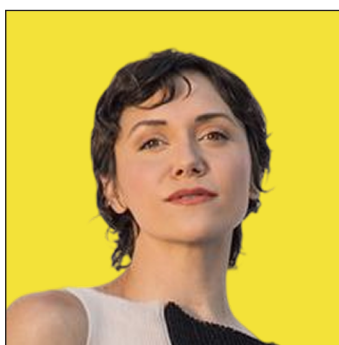
- Fill gaps in leadership development by offering introvert- and neurodivergent-forward recommendations and tools.
- Improve team dynamics and communication by equipping companies to better support a diversity of identities and learning styles.
- Reduce burnout and turnover through practical, organization-wide change.
- Expand leadership capacity and organizational outcomes by providing development opportunities for employees at all levels and broadening who is equipped to lead.

SUMMIT SPEAKERS

We believe in all voices.

The inaugural Slowdown Summit speaker lineup brings together a diverse mix of perspectives that expand beyond traditional leadership models. By drawing on the wide range of voices in our lineup, we ensure the content resonates with every kind of leader and creates space for connection, growth, and belonging.

Headliners



Alyson Stoner

Actor & Mental
Health Advocate



Cliff Tan

Architect &
Feng Shui Expert



Milly Tamati

International
Community Builder

A sample of summit speakers



Ashley Burton-Mims

Burnout Coach &
Wellness Strategist



Cait Wilson

Social Scientist,
Researcher & Author



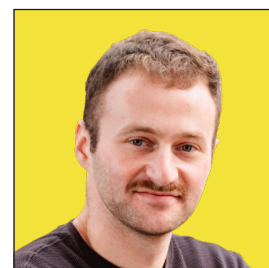
Imran Nuri

Artist, Author &
Motivational Speaker



Jessica Lee

Inclusivity Engineer &
Executive Director



Andrew Roth

Community
Builder & CEO

SPONSORSHIP TIERS

Platinum

\$25,000

Priority logo placement on all event materials, website, and pre-event communications

Dedicated full-page spotlight in the official event recap book

Prominent branded presence in all quiet and reflection areas throughout the venue

Exclusive sponsorship of a workshop session

Recognition as the official sponsor of the networking reception and social hour

Opportunity to co-host or introduce the keynote session

Premium "Conversation Hub" activation space designed to foster meaningful attendee engagement

Featured partner in Slowdown community year-round

6 complimentary Summit passes

Full access to the attendee list, both before and after the event

Gold

\$15,000

Prominent logo placement on event signage, materials, and select digital promotions

Half-page spotlight in the event recap book

Sponsorship of a workshop session

Recognized as the official meal sponsor (breakfast or lunch)

Custom "Conversation Hub" activation space tailored for interactive engagement

Recognition in the Slowdown community newsletter

4 complimentary Summit passes

Silver

\$10,000

Logo placement on the event website and printed event program

Quarter-page spotlight in the event recap book

Sponsorship of a workshop session

Custom "Conversation Hub" activation space tailored for interactive engagement

Recognition in the Slowdown community newsletter

3 complimentary Summit passes

Bronze

\$5,000

Logo placement on the event website and printed event program

Branded "Conversation Table" to encourage small-group engagement

Recognition in the Slowdown community newsletter

2 complimentary Summit passes

Supporting

\$3,000

Logo placement on the event website and printed event program

Recognition in the Slowdown community newsletter

1 complimentary Summit pass
