## Master Rick Rando

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Keynote Empowerment Speaker • 24-Year Business Owner • 7th Degree Black Belt Master



## **CREDENTIALS**

- Owner of One of the Largest Karate Studios in the World
- 5 Time Published Author
- Co-host of The Victory Couch Podcast
- Board Member of the Vicki Via Dotson Leukemia Foundation
- 2018 US Martial Artist Associate Hall of Fame - "Inspiration of the Year"
- 2019's "Distinguished Alumni Achievement Award" - Frostburg State University (Magna Cum Laude Graduate)
- Eagle Scout / Order of the Arrow
- Congressional Award Winner for Community Service under President Clinton
- 2019 President's Council on Sports, Fitness & Nutrition Community Leadership Award under President Trump
- One of Allegany County's "Most Fascinating People" in 2013 and 2019
- 2023 World Karate Union Hall of Fame Inductee / 2024 Austrasia MA Hall of
- 2024 Positive People Award (Maryland) Disney Institute Graduate

Master Rick Rando's experience in business culminates not only on the martial arts training floor, but in mentoring executives and their TEAM members in the corporate world. At a very young age, he ascended into a position of leadership through entrepreneurship, and learned very quickly the value of *leading by* influence. This combined with the concept of practicing servant cohesiveness, blends together a powerful *leadership through example* application.

A traditional taekwondo practitioner for the past 36-years, he currently owns one of the largest, open-spaced martial arts studios in the country. Rando is a Master Instructor endorsed by martial arts legend, Grandmaster Bill "Superfoot" Wallace, and has been featured on the cover of both Allegany and MASuccess Magazines as a modern-day marketing/customer service expert.

Labeled a keynote empowerment speaker, Rando has conducted thousands of demonstrations/presentations in the business community and in academia. He's been the featured presenter working with organizations such as Chick-fil-A, Frostburg State University, the Belt Group, Cintas, Columbia Gas/NiSource, the West Virginia Health Care Association, Hunter Douglas, Western Maryland Health System, Flagship Rehabilitation, Century Martial Arts, and Charm City Cakes (from Food Network's hit show: "Ace of Cakes").

Rando is passionate about inspiring people to become *fire-starters*. He wants **self-motivation** and **leadership through example** to sweep every business, non-profit, academic organization, and family unit throughout the world, making our daily interactions positive and memorable. With well over two thousand speaking engagements/seminars under his "belt," he'll be sure to KICKSTART the ascension of confident leaders in your organization.

"Your presentation was uplifting, entertaining, and enlightening. You shared refreshing topics in a manner that was both humorous and entertaining, while still getting your message across to the entire audience. That's a hard combination to achieve, but you did it with style and grace. Your connection with the organization and willing to share your interest in doing so is the exception not the rule. Your enthusiasm is contagious, and you would be a huge asset to ANY group who is looking for an amazing, one-of-a-kind speaker."

Mr. John R. Hampton (Maryland State Highway Administration)



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