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Anne Bonney is an energetic and engaging speaker, workshop facilitator and creator of *Floor It: Power Principles to Accelerate Your life*. After 20 years in highly successful leadership positions in various corporate settings, Anne founded Different Shoe Enterprises and now uses her experience, education, and expertise to ignite her audiences courage to embrace the uncomfortable; in change, in communication and in becoming influential with others. She shares fun and relevant stories, time-tested knowledge, immediately applicable strategies for action, and by sharing her belief in everyone's ability to be stronger, to be better, and to live the successful lives they want.

A key asset Anne brings to her keynotes and interactive seminars is her wealth of varied experiences. Personally, and professionally, Anne has done a lot, from international marathons, animal training, winning a figure competition, volunteering at an elephant sanctuary and singing opera at a performing arts school. Through engaging and entertaining storytelling, Anne makes strong experiential connections to her points, planting seeds that remain in the minds of her audiences, igniting courage well beyond their time together.

She is proud to have worked with many companies including Under Armour, The New England Aquarium, the CFDA, Marriott Hotels, several government agencies, Ecolab, Shell Oil and Wells Fargo as well as many entrepreneur, women's and human resource associations and conferences. She is the assistant director of the longest running Rotary high school leadership conference and is the co-founder of a life changing women's empowerment conference called Breaking My Boundaries.

Anne has enthusiastically and passionately spoken with large and small groups both nationally and internationally. She is a proven leader, educator and motivator, and empowers people to catalyze powerful change in their lives by embracing those uncomfortable moments people might have turned away from in the past.

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