

Professional Biography - Margie (Thirlby) DuBois, CPC



Margie (she/her) is the CEO and founder of <u>The Thirlby Company LLC</u>, a coaching and consulting practice that helps people gain confidence and become who they are meant to be in work and in life.

As a confidence coach and leadership consultant, Margie works with businesses, nonprofits, and individuals, helping people develop essential leadership and communication skills they need to make a positive impact in the world. Margie is described by her clients as approachable, fun, and empathetic, with a unique ability to help others feel more empowered.

With 12 years of executive leadership experience, Margie has a unique perspective of having worked with countless organizations across the country. Prior to opening her own business, Margie served as a senior executive director at Reading Partners, overseeing three regions and working with her team in Denver to deliver one-on-one literacy instruction to over 3,300 K-4 students in the community. Prior to moving to Denver, Margie served for seven years as an executive director, national board member, and national affiliate council member at

Rebuilding Together, a national low-income housing organization. Margie also worked in development at an education foundation in Seattle, helping coordinate a \$40m capital campaign. Margie's other professional experience includes public relations, marketing, and journalism.

In Denver, Margie is a graduate of Leadership Denver, a volunteer with Reading Partners Colorado and Salute Colorado, and a previously appointed state board member of the Tony Grampsas Youth Services Board (CDHS). Margie graduated Magna Cum Laude from St. Olaf College (Northfield, MN) with an English Major and Media Studies Concentration, and received her Nonprofit Management certification from the University of Washington. Margie is a certified professional coach (CPC) trained by iPEC, the highest ranked coaching program accredited by the International Coaching Federation (ICF). Outside of work, Margie is an avid reader, hiking enthusiast, and sports junkie. She loves laughing, learning, and spending quality time with her husband and friends.

Margie's Core Values: Joy, Community, Connection, Laughter, Kindness Margie's Top 5 Strengths: Positivity, Woo, Developer, Empathy, Activator