



SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES

Detric Bailey

Executive Training Advocate, HUSH No More

Detric Bailey is a native of Bossier City, Louisiana. He has a strong passion for teaching and motivating others. He is a high quality, energetic, well-researched speaker that will deliver a down to earth, memorable presentation that your attendees will never forget. Mr. Bailey is an Executive Training Advocate with the non-profit organization HUSH No More. Traveling all around the world providing training on Advocacy Services and Male Victimization. He is a Care Coordinator in his hometown where he assists individuals in gaining access to needed medical, social, educational, and mental health services.

Mr. Bailey is a United States Marine Corp Disabled Veteran. He holds a Dual Bachelor's Degree in Psychology and Music with a Vocal Concentration from Benedict College. He also completed his Master's Degree in Psychology from the University of Phoenix in 2017. In his spare time, he enjoys music, traveling, sports, and spending time with his family.

George Brauchler

District Attorney, Colorado 18th Judicial District

George H. Brauchler was elected District Attorney in 2012 for the 18th Judicial District (JD), which includes Arapahoe, Douglas, Elbert, and Lincoln counties. Each of Colorado's 22 judicial districts elects a district attorney who serves as the chief law enforcement officer for that district. The 18th JD is the most populous in Colorado, with a population of over 1 million people. George's experience includes working as a Deputy District Attorney, Special Assistant U.S. Attorney, military prosecutor, and

just prior to his election, the Chief of Military Justice – the chief prosecutor for Fort Carson, the 4th Infantry Division, and the U.S. Division North in Iraq in Tikrit, Iraq.

Dana Fleitman

Associate Advisory, AEquitas Stalking Prevention, Awareness, and Resource Center (SPARC)

Dana Fleitman (M.A.Ed.H.D) has been an Associate Advisor of the AEquitas Stalking Prevention, Awareness, and Resource Center (SPARC) since 2018. In this role, she provides in-person workshops, online trainings, and technical assistance to multidisciplinary professionals across the country on recognizing and responding to stalking. Dana develops resources, curriculum, and publications on stalking and leads SPARC's National Stalking Awareness Month efforts each January.

Prior to joining SPARC, Dana was the Senior Manager of Prevention and Training Programs at Jewish Women International (JWI), the leading Jewish organization working to end violence against all women and girls. Her work at JWI included creating, delivering, and managing multiple educational programs on interpersonal and sexual violence for audiences ranging from teens to campuses to professionals in the field. She also wrote and supported federal and foundation grants and coordinated a monthly webinar training program for domestic violence service providers.

Dana's previous experience includes coordinating training and technical assistance for the HHS Office of Adolescent Health teen pregnancy prevention grantees. She also has direct service experience with groups including foster teens, refugees, and recent immigrants.

Dana graduated from American University with a Bachelor of Arts in International Studies and George Washington University with a Master of Arts in Education and Human Development. She is based in Washington, D.C.

Zoë Flowers

Author, Content Creator and Writer, Huffington Post

Zoë Flowers is author, content creator and writer with the Huffington Post. Her poetry and essays can be found in Stand Our Ground; Poems for Trayvon Martin and Marissa

Alexander, *Dear Sister: Letters from Survivors of Sexual Assault* and the new anthology, *Love WITH Accountability: Digging Up the Roots of Child Sexual Abuse*. Her articles and interviews can be found on *The Grio*, *Bloom Magazine*, and several online journals.

In 2004, Zoë interviewed women about their experiences with domestic and sexual violence. *From Ashes to Angel's Dust: A Journey Through Womanhood* is the book that emerged. *ASHES* - is a play that breathes life into the original stories chronicled in Zoë's book and includes new stories about the media, campus sexual assault, body image, and the journey to self-love. *ASHES* has had many successful performances including; Yale University's Fearless Conference, The White House's United State of Women Summit in 2016, National Coalition against Domestic Violence's National Conference, Smith College and Brown University in 2018.

For the past twenty years, Zoë's worked at several state domestic violence coalitions and spent the last 8 years at the Women of Color Network where she started as a consultant and transitioned to the Director of Survivor Programs. Zoë also served as a holistic healer at the Joyful Heart Foundation (JHF) which was founded in 2004 by Mariska Hargitay (aka Det. Olivia Benson on Law and Order SVU).

In 2012, Zoë left JHF to launch Soul Requirements, Inc. a healing centered consulting company that combines her artistic endeavors, domestic violence expertise and holistic healing practices. Since then, she's facilitated individual and group healing sessions, retreats, and workshops from New York to Ecuador. She returned to JHF as a consultant to run the trauma center the organization shepherded after the Newtown school shootings. Months later she joined the organization's retreat team. The organization's retreat model and healing techniques conducted by Zoë and her colleagues were evaluated by Georgetown University and can be found in *Traumatology*, 23(2), 143-152.

Zoë has appeared on National Public Radio, was the keynote speaker for The Florida Coalition Against Sexual Violence statewide conference, The New York State Coalition Against Domestic Violence, and The Maryland Women of Color Network's Conference. In 2019, she presented a workshop entitled, "Utilizing Performance as an Intersectional Response to Violence Against Women in Fez, Morocco and conducted listening sessions in London, UK and Edmonton, CA. She was also the keynote speaker at SUNY Adirondack's We. Say. No Conference, Delaware's Victim Service Conference, and returned as keynote for The New York State Coalition Against Domestic Violence Prevention Summit.

In 2020, she'll be speaking in front of 4 classes at the University of Florida and will speak and teach 1 class at Skidmore College. This fall, she will be keynote speaker at the National Latin@ Institute in New Orleans, LA, the Victim Justice Symposium on October 5, 2020 in Des Moines Iowa, and for the Oregon Coalition Against Domestic Violence on October 7, 2020.

Dr. Nathan W. Galbreath

Deputy Director, Department of Defense Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Office (SAPRO)

Dr. Nate Galbreath is the Deputy Director for the Department of Defense Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Office (SAPRO). In this position, he is the Department's expert for prevention and response programs and their relationship to behavioral health, forensic science, criminal investigation, and sex offender assessment and treatment. The Department selected Dr. Galbreath in December 2016 to be a senior executive and fill the role of Deputy. Dr. Galbreath previously served as the Department's Highly Qualified Expert on Sexual Assault Prevention and Response from 2012 to 2014. He has been affiliated with SAPRO since May 2007 when he served as SAPRO's first military deputy director before retiring from the Air Force in 2009.

He entered the Air Force in 1989 after completing a BA in Spanish and International Affairs at the University of Puget Sound, Tacoma, WA. He was assigned to Howard Air Force Base, Panama, from 1989 - 1990 as a Special Agent for the Air Force Office of Special Investigations (AFOSI). He went on to serve a total of 11 years with AFOSI as an agent, a forensic science specialist, and a Detachment Commander (Special Agent in Charge) at Air Force base offices in New Mexico, Colorado, and Utah.

Dr. Galbreath was competitively selected by the Air Force to earn a Master of Forensic Science from the George Washington University, Washington, DC (awarded in 1993), and a Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology, from the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences (USUHS), Bethesda, MD (awarded in 2004). He has also completed a number of internships and fellowships, including a fellowship in Forensic Medicine at the Office of the Armed Forces Medical Examiner, Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, Washington, DC, and a clinical psychology residency at Malcolm Grow Medical Center, Andrews Air Force Base, MD.

Dr. Galbreath's clinical experience focused on treating and researching sexual dysfunction and sexual disorders. He also evaluated and treated sex offenders with Dr. Fred S. Berlin at the National Institute for the Study, Prevention and Treatment of Sexual Trauma, which is affiliated with the Johns Hopkins Medical School in Baltimore, MD. He also served as the Behavioral Health Clinic director at Minot Air Force Base in North Dakota, where he supervised mental health, family advocacy, and alcohol/drug treatment programs from 2004 to 2007. He is currently a licensed psychologist in the state of Maryland.

Dr. Galbreath maintains close ties to the law enforcement community. He has provided training at national and international conferences hosted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Department of Defense, the Department of Justice, the Norwegian Ministry of Defense, and other non-governmental organizations. He serves as a Professorial Lecturer in the Forensic Sciences at the George Washington University, where he created one of the nation's first graduate level courses on child abuse investigations. He also teaches a graduate course on sexual assault investigations. He is an adjunct associate professor in the Department of Medical and Clinical Psychology at USUHS. Dr. Galbreath has also published a book chapter on child molesters, co-authored a chapter on sexual disorders and the Internet, and co-authored journal articles relating to sex offender recidivism and online sexual problems. He has been a primary author on the Department of Defense Annual Report on Sexual Assault in the Military since 2007.

Dr. Vanessa Guyton

Training Consultant, Consulting Experts & Associates, LLC

Dr. Vanessa Dunn Guyton established Consulting Experts & Associates, LLC, as a training consulting organization, to train Victim Advocates and organizations around the world. Dr. Guyton honorably served in the United States Army as a Human Resource Manager for 10 years. Additionally, she is a credentialed Victim Advocate and has certified over 3,200 Sexual Assault Response Coordinators and Victim Advocates. Her training is provided globally to thousands of military organizations, colleges, and corporations on The Hush Topics: sexual assault, sexual harassment, drug facilitated sexual assault, LGBTQBT sexual assault, disabled victims, sex trafficking, suicide prevention, domestic violence, bystander intervention, and refresher training. Additionally, she is the Founder and Executive Director of HUSH No More, a nonprofit organization that assists Survivors to share their story and to train the community on the HUSH Topics of sexual assault, human trafficking, sexual harassment, domestic

violence, incest, and child sexual abuse. Dr. Guyton was appointed by the National Organization for Victim Assistance (NOVA) as an Advisory Board Member for the National Advocacy Leadership Center in 2015.

Bill Jenkins

Speaker and Educator, WBJ Press

In August 1997, sixteen-year-old William Jenkins was on his second day of work at a fast-food restaurant in suburban Richmond, Virginia when the restaurant was robbed at closing time. While cooperating fully with the robber, William was shot and died instantly. His father, Bill Jenkins, quickly found that there were virtually no readily available resources that could answer his many questions as a survivor of a traumatic loss.

He began looking for help and found it, after a fashion, scattered in the bookstores, on the Internet, and in support groups and agencies. But nowhere was there a single, concise, practical, and eminently useful resource for bereaved families written by victims for victims containing the advice and guidance that he and his family needed following their loss. Several months later, using the information he had collected for his own personal well-being, this experienced teacher and speaker sat down to write the book that he should have received the night he was notified of his son's death, *What to do When the Police Leave: A Guide to the First Days of Traumatic Loss*. This landmark book on grief and bereavement quickly became an important resource for families dealing with the sudden or traumatic death of a loved one and the caregivers who work with them.

Now, a recognized expert on victims and trauma, Bill has served on the boards of directors for Murder Victims for Human Rights, the National Coalition of Victims in Action, and is the founder, along with his wife, Jennifer Bishop, of IllinoisVictims.org, a statewide victim rights watchdog group. He is also active in many other victims' rights and support activities and organizations, has been an instructor with the Virginia Institute of Forensic Science and Medicine, leads seminars on victims' perspectives for national organizations such as the National Center for Victims of Crime, the National Organization of Victim Assistance, and Parents of Murdered Children and also addresses local and regional conferences for law enforcement and victim advocates. He and his wife also speak at victim impact panels for youthful offenders and in support of funding for programs for children and young people that are proven to decrease crime.

In 2006, Bill received the Edith Surgan Victim Activist of the Year award from the National Organization of Victim Assistance, a singular honor that recognizes to his expertise in the field and his commitment to making society more sensitive to victims' rights and needs. In 2019, he was awarded the prestigious John Gillis Leadership Award by Parents of Murdered Children.

Bill has also written a full-length play, *Hearts Full of Tears*, that has been produced by two professional theatre companies so far. It deals with the emotional struggle of a family dealing with the shooting death of their teen-aged son. Critical and audience reviews have been very positive.

Returning to his educational roots and love of biology, his latest research is in the neurobiology of trauma and stress, how our brains respond to traumatic experiences, and what treatments are most helpful to victims and their families. He hopes that his own personal perspective and unique voice using the latest authoritative scientific discoveries will help victims understand how their brains respond to crisis and inform caregivers how best to help trauma victims in their work.

Bill is a professional artist and educator at the college level for over 25 years, he currently teaches and designs for the theatre program at Dominican University near Chicago, IL.

Alicia "Kocak" Kozakiewicz

Motivational Speaker, Advocate, Internet Safety Expert and Founder of The Alicia Project

Alicia "Kozak" Kozakiewicz is an internationally-acclaimed and highly sought-after motivational speaker, advocate, and Internet safety expert, and television personality who has inspired millions through her in person and on-screen appearances. Alicia's extraordinary life story exemplifies the strength of the human spirit's ability to overcome adversity and to deny defeat.

At age 13, Alicia became the first widely reported Internet-related child abduction victim, after she was kidnapped and held captive by an Internet predator. Following her miraculous rescue, Alicia has devoted her life to raising awareness of missing persons and protecting children against predatory crime.

She has been featured on the Oprah Winfrey Show, Dr. Phil, Fox & Friends, Good Morning America, Anderson Live, Investigation Discovery (ID), Oxygen, Lifetime, The CW, ABC, BBC, A&E, CNN, MSNBC, and many others, as well as in international publications such as People Magazine and Cosmopolitan.

Internet safety expert and founder of [The Alicia Project](#), for the past 17 years, starting at just age 14, Alicia pioneered insightful Internet safety and sexual exploitation awareness presentations to children and adults. One of the most vocal and outspoken advocates for child safety legislation, she has testified before Congress, and works to pass Alicia's Law, her namesake, nationally, alongside [The National Association to Protect Children](#). Alicia's Law provides a dedicated revenue stream to the Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) task force. Recently, an electronic-sniffing K9 Officer was added to the Wisconsin DOJ. He was named "Kozak" in honor of Alicia.

Additionally, she is an Airline Ambassador International representative, spokesperson, and Human Trafficking Awareness Trainer.

Her mission is to promote Internet and child safety awareness, advocate for missing and recovered persons, and battle against child sexual exploitation and human trafficking. Alicia's life, mission, and passion prove that she - that all of us - are more than our stories.

Anna Nasset

Activist, Expert and Writer, Stand Up Resources

Anna Nasset is an emerging expert, activist and writer in the field of stalking and sexual assault. For the last 9-12 years Anna has been stalked by a man she does not know. In August 2019 Anna was the main victim and witness in the case of Washington State vs. FR which resulted in conviction of felony aggravated stalking and felony cyberstalking. This conviction led to the historic sentence of the maximum 10 years in prison. With her business Stand Up Resources, Anna has turned her experience of psychological and sexual abuse into working with law enforcement, victim service agencies, DOD, universities and more to be part of the solution through speaking and training. When Anna is not travelling to speak she resides in Vermont with her 3-legged dog, where she also provides graphic and web design for victim service organizations.

Colleen Phelan

Victim Advocate, Pima County Attorney's Office

Colleen Phelan is a Victim Advocate for the Pima County Attorney's Office in Tucson, Arizona. Joining the office in 2010, she specializes in the Special Victims Unit focusing on cold case sexual assault kit notification and prosecution. She began working as an advocate in 2005 at the Southern Arizona Center Against Sexual Assault (SACASA). Starting as a Volunteer hospital response crisis advocate, Ms. Phelan joined the fulltime staff of SACASA in 2008.

As the Crisis Advocate Coordinator, she managed and trained advocates for the 24-hour crisis line and SARS hospital response program. Additionally, she is the handler for Blake, the Courthouse Dog for the Pima County Attorney's Office. Ms. Phelan is recipient of the 2019 Arizona Prosecutor's Advocate of the Year Award.

Rachel Ramirez, MA, MSW, MISW-S, RA

Founder and Director of the Center on Partner-Inflicted Brain Injury at ODVN

Rachel Ramirez is the Founder and Director of The Center on Partner-Inflicted Brain Injury, a project of the Ohio Domestic Violence Network (ODVN). For the past 13 years at ODVN, Rachel has led multiple initiatives on trauma-informed approaches as well as other topics. She has trained hundreds of audiences and co-authored Trauma-Informed Approaches: Promising Practices and Protocols for Ohio's Domestic Violence Programs, as well as journal articles in the Journal of Family Violence and the Journal of Aggression, Maltreatment and Trauma. Rachel is a licensed independent social worker and is a registered advocate with senior standing in Ohio.

Karen Vadino, LCSW

Motivational Speaker, Humorist, Trainer and Consultant

Karen Vadino is a Motivational Speaker, Humorist, Trainer and Consultant. In her thirty-plus years as a human service professional, most of Karen's experience has been in the field of chemical dependency, both as a licensed clinician and as a certified prevention specialist. She has considerable experience working with children and families, having served as a clinician and supervisor in Children's Services group homes and a Children's Psychiatric Hospital. For the past twenty-five years, Karen has been a nationally recognized speaker and trainer sharing her

inimitable insights with thousands of people – adults and youth – each year. Karen has been described as “one of those rare people who can make you laugh and cry in the same moment”.

Regardless of the topic, Karen’s workshops and presentations are humorous in nature, reflecting her own insightful approach to dealing with life’s daily challenges. She is well known for her “Vadinoan Theories”, including her exhortation to “release your dolphins” and her firm belief that we should never wait until we are entirely happy before we laugh.

Dr. Chris Wilson

Director, Being Trauma Informed

Dr. Chris Wilson is a licensed psychologist from Portland, Oregon and the Director of Being Trauma Informed, an organization dedicated to making the science of trauma accessible and practical. Prior to starting BTI, Dr. Wilson had a private practice conducting evaluations and psychotherapy, while also providing training with a focus on domestic violence and sexual assault. For seven years he worked in the Oregon Department of Corrections and for ten years ran groups for abusive men.

Edward Wilson

International Spoken Word Artist, Advocate and Author

Edward Wilson, stage name Obbie West is a native of Los Angeles, a retiree from the United States Army. Aside from serving his country, he is an International Spoken Word artist, an Advocate and Author of a Poetry book entitled Blossom.

Obbie’s life with Poetry began in 2011 in Killeen, TX under the tutoring of the Killeen Poetry Slam and has thrived ever since. He travels the world as a guest speaker, presenting life depicting Poetry on a variety of topics. In 2016, he altered his concentration to sexual violence. His discussion, Poetic delivery, and awareness focuses on prevention of disruptive behaviors. He is an avid sexual violence prevention advocate and is committed to promoting awareness through training and education. He is also a social activist motivating individuals through Poetry. Edward has invested a personal and sincere interest in bringing awareness to and changing the climate surrounding sexual assault and harassment throughout the U.S. Military, universities, and communities at large.

Edward offers Poetry presentations from a unique and captivating angle. His uncut, straight forward approach is thought provoking and serves as a call-for-action for all in attendance. His signature Poem, "The Perpetrator's Perspective", was recognized by Department of the Army, MG Keith L. Ware Communications Award, 1st Place; Long Form Production Video. The widely known Poem has been incorporated into sexual assault training throughout the military. By using this modernized method of speaking he has creatively designed a training outline that is impactful and attractive to all audiences, assurance to reach younger generations.

Edward Wilson is the owner of Words of West, LLC. and is known primarily by his stage name "Obbie West"

Helen Witty

National President, Mother's Against Drunk Driving (MADD)

Helen Witty joined MADD in 2001, less than a year after her 16-year-old daughter, Helen Marie, was killed by a drunk and drugged teen driver while rollerblading on a designated bike path near the family's Miami home. Shattered by the sudden, violent loss, Helen found hope through MADD, which soon gave her a platform to help others who had suffered similar tragedies.

Before becoming National President in 2019, Helen spent 11 years as a MADD volunteer victim advocate, helping survivors and victims. In addition, she spent seven years as a staff member facilitating MADD's prevention programs in South Florida.

Helen believes it is stories like hers and others that hold the power to create change. As MADD's national spokesperson, Helen speaks to lawmakers around the nation about the importance of drunk driving laws, including ignition interlocks for all offenders. She also continues to share Helen Marie's story, believing it is what her daughter would have wanted.

In addition to MADD, Helen has worked for Delta Air Lines and Miami-Dade Public Schools as a college advisor. She graduated from Sweetbriar College in Virginia with degrees in Spanish and German.

A native of Miami, she lives in the childhood home her father built, with her beloved husband, John. They have a surviving son, John.

Bill Woolf

Director of Human Trafficking Programs, U.S. Department of Justice

Bill Woolf is the Director of Human Trafficking Programs at the Department of Justice and a former detective with the Fairfax County Police Department in Virginia. He was last assigned to the Child Exploitation Unit as a task force officer with the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He also served as the lead investigator and co-director of the Northern Virginia Human Trafficking Task Force. In addition to managing the Task Force, he was responsible for investigating all facets of human trafficking, compiling intelligence on trafficking trends and methods, tracking and interdicting trafficking activity, and disseminating information throughout the DC Metropolitan area in an effort to make the war against human trafficking more effective.

Mr. Woolf continues to provide training to law enforcement, social services, schools, and the community on awareness of the issue, prevention, education, and intervention of trafficking scenarios both nationally and internationally. Mr. Woolf has been recognized as a national expert in the area of sex trafficking with a particular focus on the victimization of those exploited; having been called upon to testify in front of the United States Congress as well as assisting other government agencies in the development and implementation of policy.

Bill was previously the Executive Director of the Just Ask Prevention Project, a nonprofit dedicated to ending human trafficking in the U.S. and around the world through education, prevention and intervention. For his tireless efforts, Bill received the 2018 Presidential Medal for Extraordinary Efforts to Combat Trafficking in Person.