



Communication *Transformation*



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Communication Transformation: Biography of Felicia J. Slattery, M.A., M.Ad.Ed, Founder & President

The Founder and President of Communication Transformation is Felicia J. Slattery, M.A., M.Ad.Ed. During her professional and academic career Slattery has personally trained more than a thousand people in various forms of communication skills so they can live their happiest and most successful, fulfilled lives at work and at home. She has spoken to groups both large and small about all aspects of communication and customizes each presentation to the group's and organization's needs.

Having founded the personal side of her communication consulting and life coaching business, Transformative Journeys Life Coaching in February 2006, earlier this year Slattery introduced the professional side of communication consulting through Communication Transformation in January 2007. Prior to her current consulting business, Slattery worked in both the academic and private sectors during her nearly 20-year professional career. She continues to work in the academic arena educating college students in the Chicago area about communication as an adjunct instructor of public speaking and communication at several institutions.

Slattery began her professional career in the private sector working in various roles in advertising, public relations, and sales. In the midst of a highly successful yet stressful sales career, Slattery decided to further her education with a second master's degree. Slattery holds Bachelors degrees in communication and French from Bradley University in Peoria, Illinois (1992); a Master's degree in Adult Education and Training from National-Louis University based in Evanston, Illinois (1995); and a Master's degree in Communication from the University of Illinois at Chicago (2004). She has been public speaking for 30 years.

Being honored with various awards has remained consistent throughout Slattery's career. She has won accolades including multiple sales person of the month awards and was the first recipient of National-Louis University's CARE award in 1995 for outstanding customer service in the enrollment department. She was a contributing member of the national championship forensics team at Bradley University in 1989 and 1990. She continues to judge speech and forensics competitions today.

Slattery is a member of the International Association of Coaching.

Slattery is the wife of Brent Parkhill, MBA, CPT, President of Flexx Fitness Personal Training and Sports Performance, Inc., and mother to two daughters, ages five and two. She is active in her daughter's school, serving as incoming Chairperson of the Fundraising Committee for the Home and School Board for the 2007-2008 school year. Her hobbies include scrapbooking, photography, gardening, and cooking. She is a published scrapbook artist and holds a Bachelor of Scrapbooking Arts (2006) from Creating Keepsakes University. Slattery and her family reside in the far west suburb of Chicago, Oswego, Illinois.

