# **Royal Centre for Public Speaking**



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Equipping Business & Corporate Professionals in the Art of Public Speaking



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# Introduction

One April evening in 2010, the 11th edition of the Ghana Music Awards was broadcasted LIVE. In addition to the display of brilliant musical performances and gorgeous fashion ensembles, award recipients, who by the way had sold millions of albums and become household names, were struggling with articulating their award acceptance speeches! One after the other, these icons were fumbling over their words and some had their hands (and voices) shaking more than the dancers on stage. Then came the *Defining Moment* and the dream for the Royal Centre for Public Speaking was conceived by our Founder, Samuel Jonathan. The primary objective of the Royal Centre for Public Speaking is to equip men and women with effective communication techniques, presentation mastery and exceptional public speaking skills. To date, we have received over 900 testimonials and 96% of clients have rated our coaching and training services as "Excellent"! Members of the Diplomatic Corps, distinguished Public Officials, Corporate Executives and Business Professionals from 13 countries have benefitted from our programmes countries **Public Seaking was** awarded "**Best Executive Coaching Company of the Year**" and "**Leading Providers of Public Speaking Training of the Year**" at the African Excellence Awards!

# **Course Overview**

From the showroom to the boardroom and from the classroom to the castle, public speaking has become an art which nobody can evade. It is also one of the subjects that was not a permanent aspect of the curriculum in school! The good news is that **Speaking and Beyond** is a wholesome learning experience for business professionals, entrepreneurs and corporate managers. The primary objective of the course is to enable the participants have practical understanding of the rudiments of public speaking; and utilise this art to improve the performance of their core functions and consequentially increase the generation of revenue.

# Hall of Excellence

Below is a <u>short-list</u> of companies and organizations which we have collaborated with, consulted for or provided public speaking services and/or training for their member(s) of staff/management:

- United Nations
- Nigerian Television Authority
- Bank of Ghana
- Nigerian Ports Authority
- Barclays Bank
- A C Nielsen
- UNICEF
- Ashanti Gold
- Stanbic Bank
- Ernst & Young
- Chamber of Mines
- Amadeus
- SHARP Japan
- Esoko
- Star Assurance
- Chartered Institute of Marketing Ghana
- OLAM Ghana
- Export Development & Investment Fund
- Silverbird Lifestyle
- Busy Internet
- University of Ghana
- Charter House
- Ghana Commercial Bank
- Global Entrepreneurship Week

- British Army
- Johns Hopkins University, USA
- The Conservative Party, UK
- KPMG
- Global Media Alliance
- BAYER
- ATS Namibia
- Ghanaian Armed Forces
- ROCHE Pharmaceuticals
- SC Johnson
- Societe Generale Bank
- Delta Airlines
- European Union Delegation to Ghana
- Ghana Judicial Service
- PUBLICIS West Africa
- Cadbury
- British International School
- Government of Ghana
- GT Bank
- Ghana Broadcasting Corporation
- Bank of Africa
- Women's World Bank Ghana
- Ghana National Chamber of Commerce & Industry



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# Speaking and Beyond

In today's competitive marketplace, despite the increase in use of Information Technology, 99% of our daily transactions involve the art of speaking. Yet, less than 1% of our business community, has gone through professional coaching in public speaking! Authored, designed and developed by our President & Lead Facilitator, Samuel Jonathan, **Speaking and Beyond** is the first public speaking course, in the world, to be accompanied by a Lifetime Guarantee! This enriching and intensive course empowers participants with tips, techniques and skills on how to connect with the audience and communicate effectively. We are proud to disclose that, since 2011, 98% of the course attendees have rated this course as "Excellent".

# Modus Operandi

With ten (10) or less participants, the course duration is four (4) consecutive days. With more, the course duration may be longer. Efficacy is of utmost importance to us! All the sessions are conducted LIVE (in-person) with a hands-on approach and coaching style. Bearing in mind that the secret to success in public speaking is in the

"Doing", presentation trials, speech workouts and role-plays are incorporated to foster an interactive and engaging learning atmosphere. Furthermore, audio-visual tutorials and video clips are utilised to facilitate comprehension. Your dedicated Coach, Samuel Jonathan, is an Executive Mentor, Master Public Speaking Trainer and Presentation Mastery Coach. He has delivered over 6,000 presentations and received 3200+ testimonials. He is the author of "Becoming A Public Speaker", "The Public Speaker's Pocket Guide" and the first-ever audio-coaching programme on public speaking (authored in Africa), "Speaking and Beyond". He has truly earned the trust of many leaders. *Your Coach's detailed profile can be viewed on the sixth page*.

# Course Modules and Areas of Focus

Speaking and Beyond involves three (3) in-depth modules. However, the delivery, illustrations and roleplaying exercises are fully customised and adapted to the daily application of the course participants.

#### The Art of Public Speaking

This introductory module will help with understanding exactly what public speaking is all about and what it takes to become an exceptional Speaker. Bearing in mind that Public Speaking is an art, and art is the expression of self, a significant component of this module shall be dedicated to assisting the participants understand their

personality type and personality traits; especially how it relates to stage-fright (nervousness) and what it takes to present their best when on stage or on-air. During this session, the Coach assists you in writing your Speaking Legacy. Many have found this module very empowering, especially when it comes to overcoming stage-fright and speech anxiety. It is a priceless learning experience.

#### Effective Communication Skills

Bearing in mind roles and positions of the participants, the focus of this programme goes beyond being eloquent. Being an effective Communicator is more valuable. Understanding what needs to be communicated and how it ought to be conveyed, is a priceless attribute of every Leader. This module will focus on the **verbal** (what to

say, choice of words, vocabulary), **vocal** (pace, pitch, volume, inflection) and **visual** aspects of your presentation (gesture, facial expression, posture, body language); as well as determining the appropriate speaking distance. Whether you are giving the keynote address at a conference or engaging a prospective client, this module laser beams on communicating effectively. One of the distinct attributes of this module is understanding that Every Word Matters (E.W.M). A Communicator takes responsibility for a) the comprehension of the audience; and b) each word he or she utters. Therefore, saying "Ummmhhh" or "Errrhhh" and other idle words, becomes abolished and eradicated by the conclusion of this module. The same applies to utterances such as "all protocol observed", "plans are in the pipeline", etc.







#### Presentation Mastery©

This is one of the most exciting modules. Sadly, presentation mastery is a level of skilfulness which many seldom attain. Essentially, it focuses on excellence in delivery. The previous module covered the Techniques of Communication. This module focuses more on the Dynamics of Communication. Being dynamic captivates and



sustains the attention of your audience and keeps them engaged ... even when they cannot see you (such as when on Radio or when people are listening to you from an "Overflow Room"). Topics to be covered shall include

- Preparing Your Speech (or discussion points)
- Courting Your Audience (breaking the ice)
- How to Author Suitable Illustrations
- Developing Memorable One-Liners
- Maintaining Audience Engagement
- Global Speaking Etiquette
- Local and International Media Engagement

Regardless of whether one's audience is in a boardroom or ballroom, Presentation Mastery<sup>©</sup> will equip you with how to prepare for Q&A segments, interact with the press/media, address questions with finesse and handle objections with grace.

We have come to the realization that the courses and programmes you run provide us with more value for money compared to the courses we send our staff for abroad – *Millicent Narh, Deputy Governor, Bank of Ghana*  The standing ovation accorded Samuel Jonathan is a strong credence to his pedigree as a world-class Facilitator. He's phenomenal! – *Wole Coker, Zonal Director, Africa's largest TV Network – NTA Lagos* 



To obtain more testimonials and learn more about what others have said about us, please visit our online office: www.RoyalCentreForPublicSpeaking.com

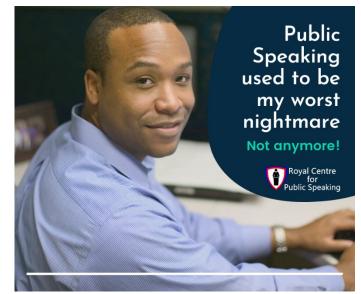


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## Facilitator's Profile

Starting from his inspiring name to his aspiring legacy, everything about this gentleman is unique. Samuel Jonathan is an Author, Executive Mentor and Public Speaking Coach. From Fortune 500 companies in North America to the Ghana Club 100 in West Africa, Pastor Jonathan has served as an Expert Facilitator and Trusted Adviser. Many have described him as Africa's leading Public Speaking Trainer. It is no surprise that companies and institutions in other countries and of global repute, such as John Hopkins University (USA), the United Nations, Britain's ruling party (The Conservatives), Barclays, KPMG and The British Council, have enjoyed his coaching



legacy. From Ghana's largest media empire (Multimedia Group) to Africa's largest TV Network – NTA (Nigeria), broadcasters, presenters and On-Air Personalities have benefitted immensely from his signature coaching style! He has authored 286 audio-books, courses and training materials. Samuel Jonathan authored the first audio-coaching programme in Africa, "Speaking and Beyond". Some of his best-selling titles include "Public Speaker's Pocket Guide", "Becoming a Public Speaker", "Anointing to Speak and Grace of Eloquence", "Challenging Your Excuses" and many more. As a result of his unparalleled commitment to providing exceptional value, Samuel pioneered the legendary "Lifetime Guarantee" for public speaking coaching. His signature coaching style has earned him over 3,200 testimonials. 98.5% of his audiences and clients have rated his empowering and coaching style as "Excellent". Above all the awards, applauds and accolades, Samuel Jonathan is blissfully married to his wife, Lynda, and blessed with amazing children.

Below is a <mark>short list</mark> of companies and organizations from which individuals, managers and executives have attended training/coaching programmes conducted by Mr. Jonathan



# Lifetime Guarantee

The Royal Centre for Public Speaking is the first public speaking training company (in the world) to give a lifetime guarantee! This priceless value-adding dimension started with our flagship course Speaking and Beyond in 2011. Today, all of our major courses and executive coaching programmes are accompanied by our legendary Lifetime Guarantee. Upon successful completion of this course, the Lifetime Guarantee allows participants to attend future editions of our group courses at no cost ... for as long as the individual works for your company! This is important because Public Speaking is predominantly an Art. Unlike Mathematics or Science, where you can memorise the formula and automatically get the right answer, the Arts require frequent and consistent practise and coaching. The Royal Centre for Public Speaking wants to ensure that, for the rest of their career lives with your company, your staff (and Managers) are always "In-Shape" public speaking-wise. Hence, the Lifetime Guarantee. We are proud to offer it to you for this course.

# Financials and Costing

The course fee is Two Million and Five Hundred Thousand Naira. The aforementioned requires payment-infull no later than ten (10) business days prior to the commencement of the programme. Ultimately, the scheduling of your coaching sessions is confirmed by full payment being received. An invoice is available upon request.

The course fee includes the following:

- LIVE Hands-on Tuition/Training
- Preparation, Design and Delivery
- In-house/On-site facilitation
- Course Materials

Interactive Audio-Coaching Programme (for continuous development after the course)

- Video Resources (to take home)
- Certificate of Completion
  Lifetime Guarantee i.e. FREE Admission to all future group courses in Ghana, Nigeria and England

You shall be solely and entirely responsible for the following:

- Suitable and conducive venue for the training programme
- Participants' catering, refreshments, etc.

# Conclusion

The value offered by this iconic learning experience far exceeds the cost. Whether it is at the AGM, boardroom, industry-wide event or in front of the press, each time a member of staff or management steps forward to speak, they are speaking on behalf of your brand. This means, at that particular occasion, that individual is your *Brand Ambassador*. The



ability to articulate one's ideas, insight and illustrations with clarity, charisma and precision is priceless and peerless! We hope you will find this programme to be of immense value to your team and your brand. In the words of our President & Lead Facilitator, Samuel Jonathan, "The relationships we build, determine the harvest we yield". We hope this will inspire the commencement of a mutually beneficial relationship.



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