

About Greg Giesen

www.GregGiesenAssociates.com

Greg Giesen has been involved in management development and training since 1980. With a masters degree in personnel services and counseling from Miami University, Greg spent nine years counseling, training and implementing programs as the director of student activities on the campuses of Washington University and the University of Redlands. Following his higher education experience, Giesen joined the world headquarters' staff of Toastmasters International, where he managed the membership and club development department.

Giesen came out to Colorado in 1990 where he joined the management development department at Mountain States Employers Council. During his tenure at MSEC, Giesen designed and presented over twenty different training courses to member companies throughout the United States.

In 1998, Giesen created Greg Giesen & Associates, Inc., a leadership and management development organization out of Highlands Ranch, Colorado. His company's specific focus areas include:

- **Keynote/Motivational Speaking**
- **Employee Conflict Resolution**
- **Management Coaching**
- **Team Building**
- **Executive Team Retreats**
- ***Leading From Within* Workshop**



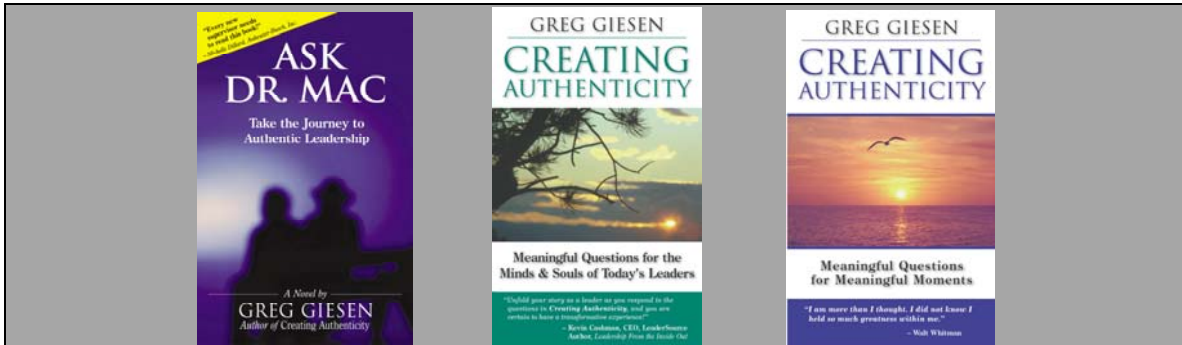
Some of the specific training workshops include: Eight Simple Rules to Managing Conflict and Improving Relationships, Team Leadership Skills, True Colors Personality Training, and Public Speaking Skills. GGA also offers a comprehensive Certificate Management Training Program (*Macology 101*) now available for organizations and associations.

Giesen is also the architect and lead-facilitator for the workshop, **Leading From Within**; a highly successful three-day, two-night intensive leadership development workshop designed to help participants achieve optimal performance as a leader in both their personal and professional lives. Now in its eleventh year, Leading From Within was recently awarded *Best Practices in Training Programs* by the American Society for Training & Development. For more information, go to www.LeadngFromWithin.net.

In addition, Giesen teaches graduate courses at the University of Denver in the areas of public speaking, leadership, organizational conflict, and team development and was recently honored with the distinction of Master Teacher. Giesen has also written four books on Creating Authenticity, including his latest book, *Ask Dr. Mac: Take the Journey to Authentic Leadership*, which is available on his website. *Ask Dr. Mac* recently won a bronze medal for best business fable from the 2008 Axiom Business Books Awards.

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Giesen's professional development includes (*but is not limited to*):

- Myers-Briggs Qualification (*National Training Laboratory*)
- Coaches Training (*Coaches Training Institute*)
- Group Process Consultation (*National Training Laboratory*)
- Conflict Mediation Training (*CDR*)
- Challenge Course Certification (*Advanced Systems & Designs*)
- Facilitators Training (*Great Works Unlimited*)
- Wilderness Therapy Practicum (*Colorado Outward Bound*)



Recent Articles by Greg Giesen:

- 1) ***Conflict Between Two Employees May Reflect on Organization***, the Denver Business Journal.
- 2) ***Meeting Management: Let's Cut to the Chase***, The Advisor Magazine.
- 3) ***From Conflict to Collaboration***, Executive Excellence Magazine.
- 4) ***Leading From Within***, Personal Excellence Magazine.
- 5) ***Motivational Mastery***, Sales & Service Excellence Magazine.
- 6) ***Eight Simple Rules to Resolving Conflict and Improving Relationships***, HRSource Magazine.

**All articles can be found on Greg's website as well.*

Giesen is available to speak on the following topics:

- Conflict in the Workplace: Who's to Blame?
- Authentic Leadership: Five Keys to Living and Leading Life with Purpose & Passion.
- Eight Simple Rules to Resolving Conflict and Improving Relationships.
- Playing With Purpose: How to Create a Life Worth Living.
- Ask Dr. Mac: Answers to Today's Top Employee and Management Concerns.

Giesen lives with his wife Tanya in Highlands Ranch, Colorado.