



## Dave Greenberg: Speaker bios

### LONG BIO

Dave Greenberg CSP helps leaders and teams perform under pressure.

For 25 years, Dave was a rescue crewman on Wellington's Westpac Rescue Helicopter, completing more than 4,000 missions. These included being lowered into 10-metre seas to rescue a sailor who had fallen from a rescue harness, and helping locate a crashed RNZAF helicopter and rescue its sole survivor. Alongside his time on the helicopter, he spent 15 years on Life Flight's senior leadership team.

During New Zealand's Covid-19 response, Dave was a Response Manager and Acting Controller in the National Outbreak Response Team, working with senior leaders across government to help manage outbreaks. He later served as Controller during the health response to the Waikato DHB cyberattack.

Dave helped save his first life at 13, performing CPR on a stranger on a New York City street. Wellington audiences may also know him as the helicopter's "Eye in the Sky", delivering live traffic updates.

Today, Dave delivers keynotes that give audiences practical frameworks for making clear decisions, building trust, and staying resilient when the pressure is on.

He is a Certified Speaking Professional, an aviation Crew Resource Management instructor, and the author of *Emergency Response: Life, Death and Helicopters*, originally published by Penguin Random House.

**Medium and short versions of Dave's bio on the next page.**

## **MEDIUM BIO**

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