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**Moving teams from fear-induced
hesitation to bold action**

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Meet

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Michelle "MACE" Curran is a highly sought-after international speaker known for her dynamic storytelling and expertise in overcoming fear and self-doubt. A former fighter pilot, she spent 13 years in the U.S. Air Force and made history as only the second woman to fly as the Lead Solo Pilot for the Air Force Thunderbirds, performing for hundreds of millions worldwide.

Mace has inspired teams at Microsoft, Boeing, John Deere, SpaceX, Purina, PwC, and more—helping them move from hesitation to decisive action. Her insights have been featured on The Kelly Clarkson Show, CBS Mornings, Glamour, and other major media outlets

Beyond the stage, Mace is an avid writer. She has authored hundreds of articles on personal growth, multiple children's books—including the bestselling *Upside Down Dreams*—and her newest book, *The Flipside: How to Invert Your Perspective and Turn Fear Into Your Superpower*, debuted in the top 20 on the USA Today Bestseller list. She also reaches millions each month through her social media platforms as a LinkedIn Top Voice.



KEYNOTE TOPICS:

✓ Flying Through Fear

Creating a Culture of Courage

Attendees Will:

- Reassess their comfort zone
- Learn to use vulnerability as a superpower to accelerate toward goals
- Realize the normalcy of self-doubt and identify how to combat it
- Recognize how to step into their boldness and let go of fears

✓ The Space Between

Winning the Moment Between Fear and Action

Attendees Will:

- Differentiate imagined fear from real fear—and understand how each shapes decision-making
- Learn how to respond instead of react under pressure
- Gain simple, practical tools to stay composed and think clearly in high stakes moments
- Build habits that strengthen trust, intuition, and execution





WORKSHOP:



Everyone Has a Callsign

Attendees Will:

- Reflect on lessons from a previous mistake/failure
- Find silver linings in things that didn't go as planned
- Identify how to reframe their view of failure
- Be empowered to face future mistakes with a new perspective and growth mindset
- Have fun and walk away with their own callsign



Going to War With Your Inner Critic

Attendees Will:

- Identify key attributes of their inner voice that have prevented them from taking action
- Understand their inner critic does not necessarily align with the truth
- Develop a new perspective on how to control the power their inner critic wields
- Have a plan to tackle at least one of their goals by a deadline
- Form accountability tools with the support of a wingman



WHO THIS MESSAGE IS FOR

- Leaders and teams working in high-pressure or high-performance environments
- Organizations navigating change, uncertainty, or rapid growth
- Teams that need to perform when the stakes are high
- Companies that want to build cultures of courage, trust, and accountability

What people are saying:

“ That is exactly what my team needed to hear! You are so inspiring. If MACE can do that, I can go make that sales call I've been avoiding.

Senior VP, Royal Bank of Canada

“ If you want to be Inspired, If you want to be challenged, If you want to feel something, learn something, be blown away but at the same time relate, attend this session. You must!

Carlisle Companies

“ Michelle is much more than just a motivational speaker, although her story is extremely inspiring. She relates to and connects with the audience in an unexpected way. We left feeling uplifted, but also with clear direction on how to take action toward our goals even when fear is part of the equation. I will be thinking of her words to keep me moving the next time I let self-doubt or fear creep in.

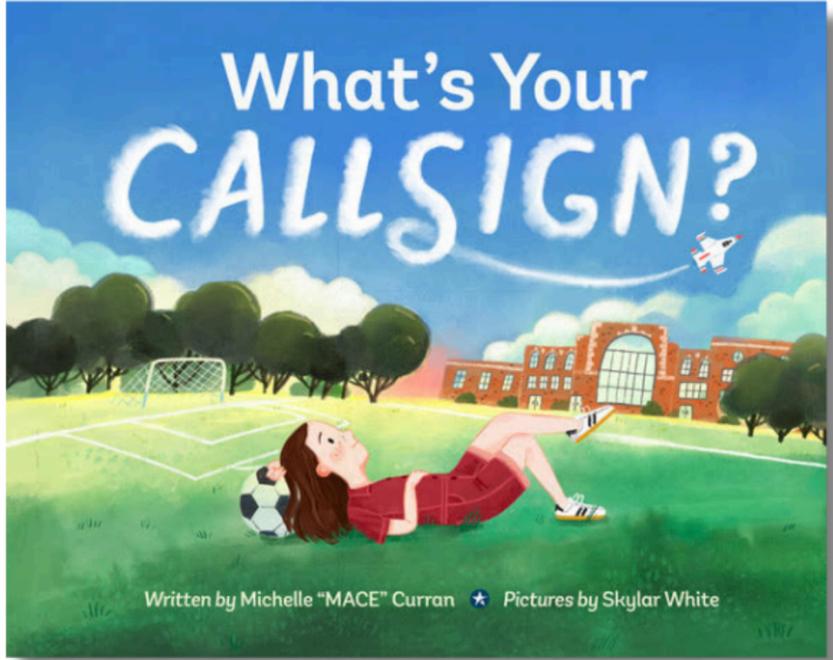
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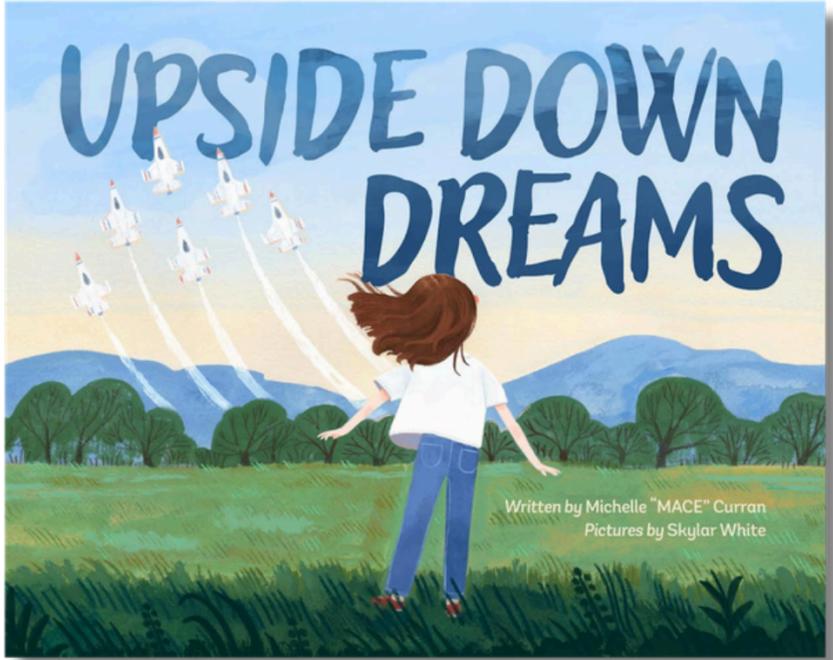
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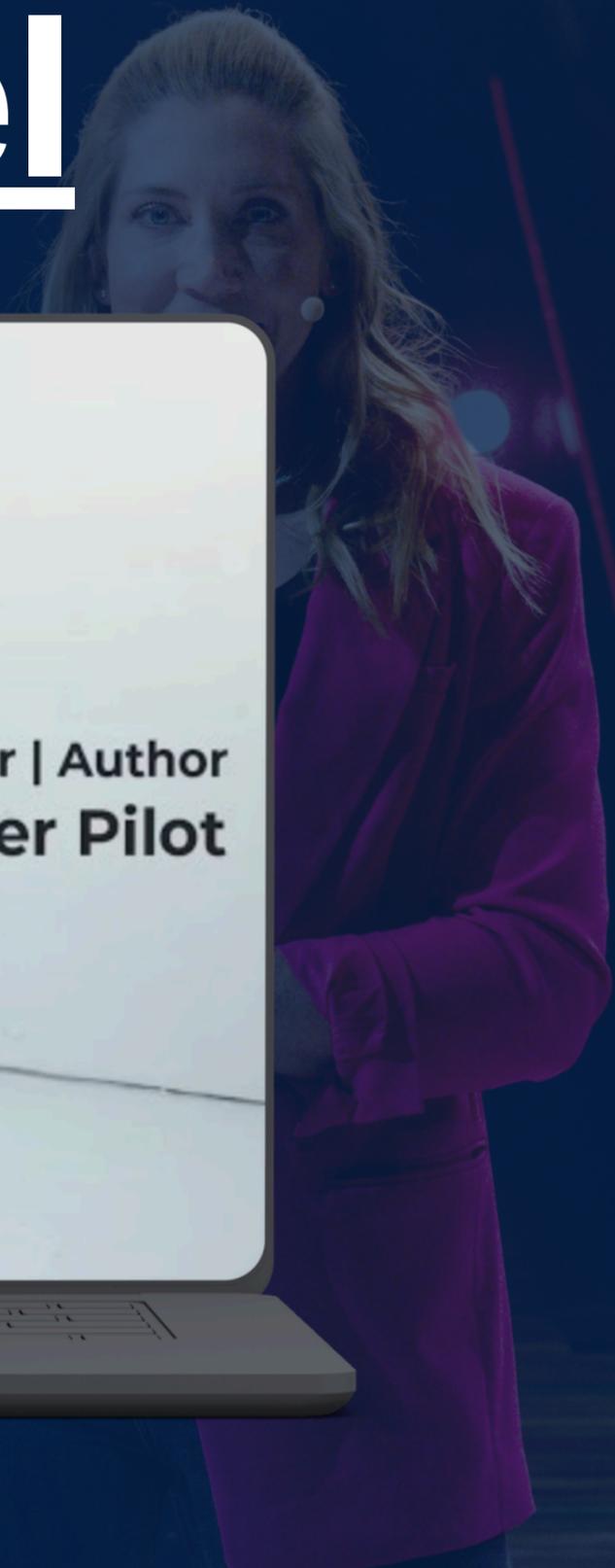
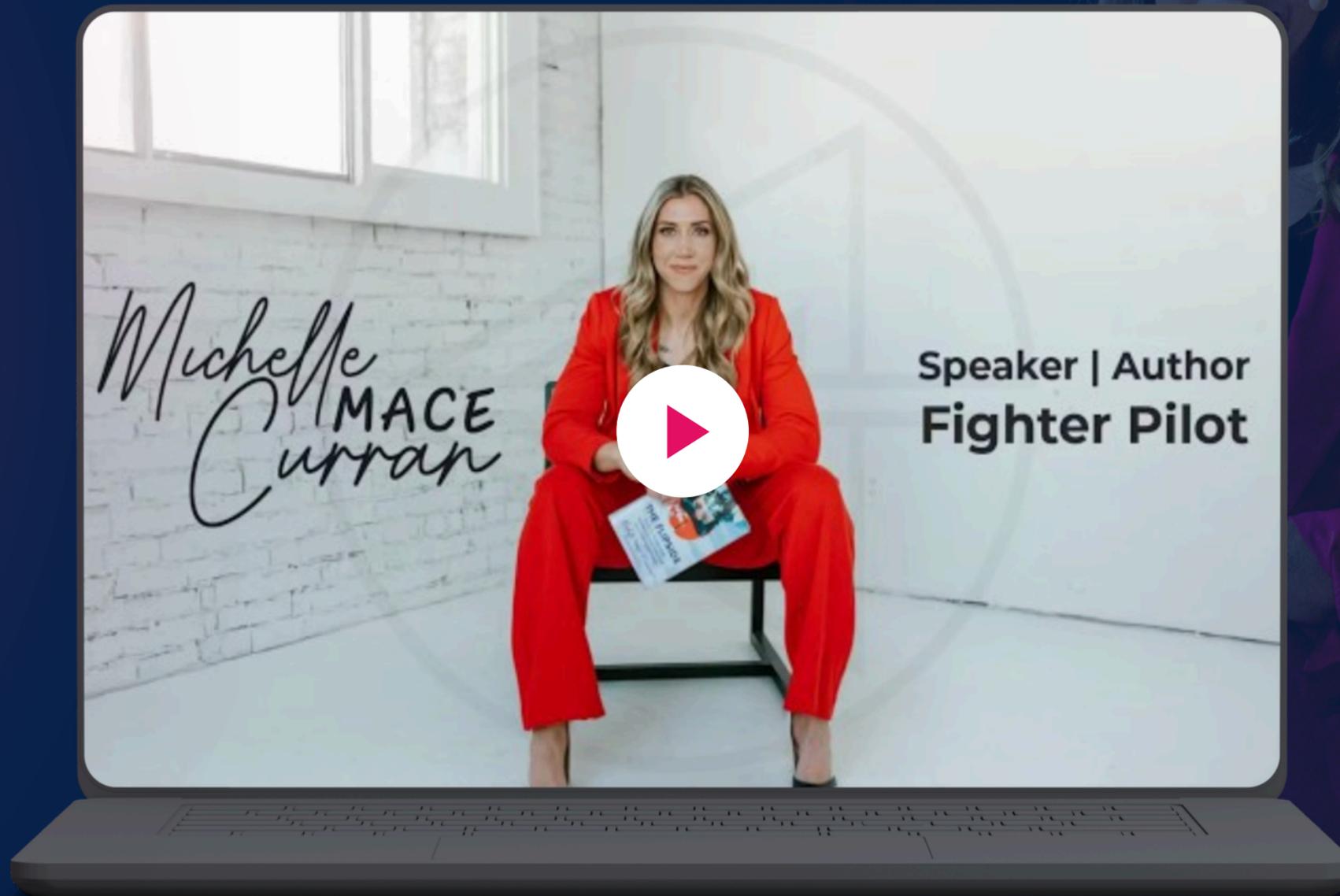
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