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NEAL PETERSEN

Transform your organization through innovation by turning set-backs and barriers into opportunities—then solutions!

How do you navigate forward, dealing with constant wind shifts and sudden storms, conquering fear and isolation, all while dealing with today's ever-changing world? [Neal Petersen](#) takes audiences on a captivating journey around the world, using his remarkable life-story to demonstrate that you can achieve your goals by turning setbacks and barriers into opportunities. All it takes is the right attitude and the ability to foster innovation, build strong teams, adapt under pressure, and cultivate a mindset that does not focus on barriers... only solutions!

World-class, history-making extreme adventurer Neal Petersen completed two amazing journeys in his life. One was a single-handed yacht race around the world, encompassing 27,000 miles and 9 months at sea. He did this alone, navigating around Cape Horn in the small, not-at-all funded boat he designed and built himself. His other journey was the even more arduous and eventful trip of overcoming racial prejudice during the harsh Apartheid era in South Africa. Neal withstood poverty and a childhood physical disability, overcoming these hurdles just to make it to the "starting line."

Neal connects his remarkable story to audiences' unique challenges. His presentations redefine courage and human potential. With high energy and a fully engaging presentation style, Neal's audiences are spellbound from the moment he walks onstage until he departs. They are left with a fresh perspective on turning disadvantages into advantages. He has challenged global audiences to prevail against their own formidable barriers and setbacks while igniting passion and the mindset to never give-up!

Faced with huge challenges and rapid changes in today's world, it's easy to get bogged down with negativity. Striving for goals and success helps us to remain positive and to remember what's really important.