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## *About Dominique*

I'm a proud FIRSTIE™ (the first in my family to graduate college and navigate corporate america). I coach at the intersection of leadership and identity.

I help highly talented individuals to:

- Secure their dream job and add significant value
- Navigate challenging work situations that could derail their success
- Prepare for high stakes conversations and presentations

Dominique holds a B.S in Business Administration from Clark Atlanta University and an MBA from Marquette University. She began her career as a management consultant at Deloitte and has been recognized for her passion, commitment and leadership over the past 25 years. She currently sits on the Board for Chicago Public Library and Chicago Public Radio (WBEZ). She and her 11 year old daughter recently co-authored a book entitled: Little Black Pearls for Little Black Girls which is meant to inspire pride and confidence in little girls who will be tomorrows leaders.



WE SPEND MOST OF OUR  
WAKING HOURS AT WORK. WHY  
NOT BE GREAT?





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## THINGS YOU WON'T FIND IN A GOOGLE SEARCH

- She speaks Spanish fluently
- She learned Spanish as a Peace Corps Volunteer in Panama
- Long story...Quarter Life Crisis!
- Her 11 Year old daughter danced for the Chicago Bulls
- She is the first in her family to graduate high school...and college.
- Her first job was as a management consultant with Deloitte. She has her MBA.
- She beat out 20,000 applicants to be selected as an inaugural Obama Fellow
- She is a Certified Life Coach | Life Coach Training Institute
- She is a member of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Inc.
- Glamour Magazine identified her as a hometown hero
- The first time she was ever in the newspaper was in the 6th grade because she won an essay contest about the world's greatest mom
- She lived on a pig farm in her teens. She also raised chickens in Panama!
- She was vegetarian for 6 years but now believes that everything is better with bacon.
- She was born in Chicago's Michael Reese Hospital but was raised in Niles, Michigan
- She loves trap music but knows how to code-switch well
- Her Myer Briggs personality type is ENTP: the visionary. It's also called "Debater"



**YOUR VOICE HAS THE POWER TO CHANGE THE  
WORLD SO FIND SOMETHING YOU ARE PASSIONATE  
ABOUT AND SPEAK ON IT!**

# NEWS & MEDIA

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## EDUCATION, LEADERSHIP & DIVERSITY EXPERT

Dominique is consistently sought out to speak about issues related to education and the college going process specifically for minority populations. She was a member of the Board of Education for Chicago Public School. She is also the CEO of one of a major college access and success organization.



### DOMINIQUE JORDAN TURNER

A dynamic nonprofit helps teach kids the largely unspoken rules of success.

"I have seen the transformative power of education," says Dominique Jordan Turner, president and CEO of Chicago Scholars (chicagoscholars.org). "Success is not just about the right education or the right grades. If you grow up poor, black or brown in this city, that is not enough." Born to a teenage mother, Turner grew up in a Chicago housing project and is also the first member of her family to graduate from college. At her innovative nonprofit, she leads a team that works to ensure that students from under-resourced communities have a path to college and success, more broadly defined. Each student who enters the seven-year program is counseled, trained and mentored; even those who already have many of the skills they need learn the unwritten rules for success. "There can be a successory



# PUBLIC SPEAKING

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## DYNAMIC, ENGAGING STORYTELLER

Dominique spends a significant amount of time getting to know the people in the room before her actual speech as well as the day of the big event. She refuses to give canned remarks but instead wants to ensure that the audience needs are being met and they are engaged every step of the way. Participants remarks include how engaging, personable and relatable she was.



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# AWARDS & RECOGNITION



## Mother, daughter honored

Ronald Sather of J.C. Penney presents Dominique Jordan (middle), the grand prize award in the letter writing contest the store hosted in conjunction with Mother's Day. As a part of the grand prize, Domini-

Daily Star photo: Vickie Phillipson

que's mother, Pearl Jordan, (left) received a J.C. Penney gift certificate, dinner for four from Mr. B's Steaks Plus and a corsage from The Flower Cart.

## These kids think mom's great

NILES — More than 800 youth four from Mr. B's Steaks Plus and Elizabeth Deal, Evelyn Olson, Jill

## PASSIONATE LEADER & VISIONARY

Dominique has been courageously using her voice since the 6th grade when she beat out hundreds of her peers in a city wide writing contest. She has a natural entrepreneurial spirit and sees potential in uncommon places. When you combine her vision with her work ethic, great things happen! From her small town newspaper to the Mayor of Chicago and the President of the United States, they agree that DJT is a leader that our country needs.



# KEYNOTE SPEECHES

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# 01

## THE (NEW) FACE OF LEADERSHIP

By the year 2044 the United States will be majority minority and DJT is an expert in what this diverse group of leaders needs to thrive in the workplace. Having spent significant time in Corporate America and in the nonprofit sector, she serves as the perfect translator for both employers and employees. This workshop is for those who want to understand how to recruit and retain diverse talent.

## POVERTY IS A SUPERPOWER

When you come from humble beginning and are the first to do many things, it can illicit so many emotions like fear shame and doubt. Dominique believes that those attributes typically seen as deficits are actually the qualites that help you go from good to great. Those qualities are your superpowers! She will teach you how to activate them.

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# 03

## DARE TO BE THE FIRST

This is targeted to First Generation graduates or First Generation professionals in the workplace. Having studied leaders and very successful people for over 20 years, Dominique teaches the FIRST FORMULA for success in life and work.

## MANAGING DIFFICULT CONVERSATIONS

Whether it's talking about race or delivering constructive feedback, Dominique has a formula for successfully managing difficult conversations in the work that could ultimately derail your career.

# 04



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# AWARDS, RECOGNITION, MEDIA, CLIENTS, ETC.

*\*this is not a comprehensive list.*



## AWARDS & RECOGNITION

- INAUGURAL OBAMA FELLOW
- INAUGURAL IMPACT FELLOW
- LEADERSHIP GREATER CHICAGO – 2017
- LEAD THE WAY FELLOW
- 40 UNDER 40 GAME CHANGERS AWARD
- CHICAGONISTA WOMEN DRIVING EXCELLENCE AWARD
- ZETA PHI BETA WOMAN OF THE YEAR
- GLAMOUR MAGAZINE HOMETOWN HERO
- SALUTE HER COMMUNITY ACTIVIST AWARD
- STEVIE AWARD FOR WOMEN IN BUSINESS

## NEWS & MEDIA OUTLETS

- CNN
- FOX 32 CHICAGO
- GLAMOUR MAGAZINE
- THE WASHINGTON POST
- BLACK ENTERPRISE
- ABC7 CHICAGO
- WCIU
- WTTW
- WBEZ
- IN THE LOOP
- CHICAGO TRIBUNE
- WVON
- WBBM
- COMCAST NEWSMAKERS

## SPEAKING CLIENTS | AUDIENCES

- COMPLEXCON
- TEDX NORTH PARK UNIVERSITY
- SXSW
- TRIO
- BMO HARRIS
- POSSE FOUNDATION
- CHICAGO SCHOLARS
- CRANE HIGH SCHOOL
- CITY YEAR CHICAGO
- CIVITAS EDUCATION PARTNERS
- CUTTERS STUDIOS
- BONFIRE WOMEN



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## BOOK DOMINIQUE TO SPEAK

Would you like to book DJT for your next conference or retreat? She is skilled at working with corporations, nonprofits and educational institutions. Her target audience is college level and beyond. Dominique Jordan Turner is a speaker, author, coach and video blog host. She has served as a keynote speaker, panelist and moderator. She was invited as a keynote at the SXSW Conference in Austin as well as a featured speaker at a local TEDx event in Chicago. She believes that using your voice has the ability to change the world. Topics important to the speaker are: Education, Leadership, Diversity, Race & Identity, Workforce, Women's empowerment, Personal Branding, African American culture, First Generation experiences.

### SPEAKER OFFERINGS & RATES

- 2-4 Hour Workshop Facilitation: \$3500 plus travel expenses
- (Virtual) Keynote Address \$3,500
- CHECK WEBSITE FOR UPDATED SERVICES AND FEES

## YOUR INVESTMENT INCLUDES:

- Phone or video planning / consulting call with Dominique
- Pre-planning time allotted with event organizers
- A customized and interactive presentation to meet the needs of your audience and overall event
- A handout/worksheet for all participants (if applicable)
- Book signing with Dominique (optional)



To book Dominique for your next event, please email [info@dominiquejordanturner.com](mailto:info@dominiquejordanturner.com) or call 773-234-4650 to receive a customized quote.