

SCOTT BACKOVICH

ENGAGE. CAPTIVATE. INSPIRE





HI SCOTT

Youth motivational speaker Scott Backovich has dedicated his life to doing one thing: inspiring teens to impact the world around them.

He's been the featured speaker at conferences and schools across North America, appeared regularly on both television and radio as a student leadership expert, and established himself as a worldwide teen advice guru that students can trust.

Witty by nature, caring at heart: for Scott, this is merely the tip of the iceberg. Scott's quirky yet powerful style and message speak to students at their own level, helping them to understand the true potential they hold.

Still in his 20's, Scott understands that students today need to be reached in new and innovative ways. From cell phones to Twitter updates, Facebook to YouTube, teens have both grown up in and created a culture that has redefined what it means to connect.

Scott understands. He has devoted his life to connecting with and empowering students everywhere. On any given day, he can be found receiving rave reviews on stages around North America, but also answering questions as a highly sought-after teen advice expert. For Scott, it's not about talking at students; it's about connecting with them where they are.

"Those bad things that have happened to you, that baggage that you have? It does NOT define you. How you choose to grow from it, will."

When listening to Scott, your teen audience will find themselves laughing and actively participating from start to finish, all while learning valuable lessons along the way.

His stories connect. His lessons inspire. Best of all—Scott's words stick.

Today, Scott resides in Southern California amongst friends and family who inspire him daily. When not speaking onstage, he can be found exploring Disneyland, relaxing with friends, or wrapping up in a warm Snuggie (yes, we're talking about the blanket with sleeves).

CONFERENCES, ASSEMBLIES, WORKSHOPS

Your schools, conferences, and students all have individual needs that deserve to be addressed in a powerful and memorable fashion.

The goal of each of these events, while unique in their own right, is always the same—to bring in a speaker who not only connects with the students, but who leaves a lasting impact on their lives... Scott's programs do just that.

From massive conferences to intimate retreats, high school assemblies to leadership trainings, Scott's wide range of packages offer the perfect solution to any program need.



Conference Keynotes

FFA, FBLA, DECA, Key Club, HOSA, BPA, state associations of student councils – the list goes on and on. Student leadership conferences are constantly searching for the perfect speaker to highlight their regional, state, and national conferences. Scott delivers.

"Scott was phenomenal! The ambassadors and volunteers loved him!! His message was funny, entertaining and inspiring. He was so great that I could not pass up the opportunity to include him in our seminar next year. I have already booked him for our next year's seminar!! One simple word to describe Scott - OUTSTANDING!!" CHENIQUE MURPHY, LEADERSHIP SEMINAR CHAIR, HUGH O'BRIAN YOUTH LEADERSHIP SEMINAR

With energizing and heartfelt keynote presentations that are remembered for years by students and advisors alike, Scott is the perfect speaker to make your conference one for the record books.

High School Assemblies

Campus respect, bullying, academic success, school spirit: we all have aspects of our campus population that need to be improved upon. Scott understands. By catering a message specifically for your campus, he can cut right to the core of the problem, inspiring students to make positive changes that last long after the assembly itself.

"The best speaker we have EVER had on our campus! The students were so excited. Every single one of them was up on their feet – they were participating, and they were cheering. It was fun, but it was also powerful!"

LAURIE WANN, DIRECTOR OF ACTIVITIES, GREENVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Best of all, with flexible programs for single assemblies, half-days, or even district/region-wide weeks, Scott's range of offerings makes him an ease on both schedules and budgets.



Workshops

Inspiring your students is always a key goal of any conference or assembly, but true skill building is equally important in creating a lasting impact on your teens. From interactive leadership trainings to action-packed lessons on teambuilding and communication, Scott's workshops challenge students to think outside of their comfort zone in order to aspire to a higher level of understanding and confidence.

Make sure to check out **www.ScottBackovich.com** to see a list of Scott's most popular workshops.

Scott's workshops are always interactive, always productive, and, most importantly, always memorable.

SPEAKING

Scott's time on stage begins as a party. In one moment, students are laughing hysterically, moving actively on their feet, and shouting at the top of their lungs.

Yet only minutes later, that same room is silent; students find themselves hanging on to every word of Scott's heartfelt and challenging message. It is at this point that the students in attendance realize they are no longer watching a presentation to an audience of hundreds or even thousands—they are hearing their own personal call to action.



MOST POPULAR KEYNOTE

Be a Catalyst

Teens have a huge impact on those around them—from their casual acquaintances at school to the close friends they see virtually 24/7.

At the same time, each and every student has the power to influence their world in some way, shape, or form. Before changing anything though, each student must undoubtedly recognize that the world they live in is not perfect by any means.

It takes passion and determination to make it a better place.

Regardless of the situation, capacity, or context, the only way students will truly change their circumstances is if they decide to be a catalyst—someone who is the change in their world

Ideal Events Include:

- Student Leadership Conferences
- High School Assemblies
- Teen Summit Programs
- Back-to-School Orientations
- Middle-School Assemblies

REVIEWS

"Scott was phenomenal! Engaging, passionate, and inspiring: Scott is everything you can hope for in a speaker. I look forward to having Scott back at our seminar for years to come!" JORDAN VOGEL, LEADERSHIP SEMINAR DIRECTOR, HOBY CA-CENTRAL

"Scott was incredible! His ability to connect with an audience is amazing! Our students learned how to think outside the box and what kind of things to consider when planning community events. Not only did Scott inspire the student leaders, but also the parents and program coordinators. Simply put, Scott was fantastic and we hope to have him at more of our events. Thanks Scott!"

NOEL LOUGHRIN, RIVERSIDE COUNTY YOUTH COMMISSION

"Scott is different because he doesn't demand anything. He simply asks students what they should be demanding from themselves and from each other... getting them to aspire to a higher calling, a higher purpose. Scott's speech laid the groundwork for our entire leadership program."

CRAIG SUTPHIN, DIRECTOR OF STUDENT LEADERSHIP, ST. MARY'S HS, BERKELEY, CA

"I used to think of you as that one dude who spoke at our conference, but now I think of you as a guy who helped change my life." STUDENT- CAMPBELL, CA

"I will never ever forget the day that you came to our school. On top of the fact that you are an inspiration, what you said at our assembly wasn't just a motivational speech. You had us do games and respond instead of just sit and listen. You had us laughing and thinking deeply at the same time. You, sir, are amazing and thank you SO very much for coming to our school! Come see us again!!! "

STUDENT. EMERYVILLE CA

He did amazing things with our students, breaking them up into groups and facilitating tons of interaction! Honestly, the best conference we have ever had!

CARRIE SIMONI, DIRECTOR OF ACTIVITIES, WESTON RANCH HIGH SCHOOL

"Scott Backovich has a way of relating to students that I have never seen before in a motivational speaker. By relating to them, the empowering messages he shared were ones that students remembered, and I know they took what they learned back to their communities."

MALLORY CYR, HUGH O'BRIAN YOUTH LEADERSHIP SEMINAR / PROGRAM ASSISTANT FOR MULTICULTURAL PROGRAMS AT UNLV

"Best speaker I've ever heard. Funny and motivational. You rock. I will stop being the kid in the corner who thinks that doing nothing won't affect me." *STUDENT, CA*

LET'S TALK.

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