



CORPORATE KEYNOTE SPEAKER | TACTICAL EDUCATOR

CAPABILITY UNDER PRESSURE

Ivana Ries equips people to notice more, take responsibility, make decisive choices and act effectively when the stakes are high.

LEADERSHIP

Ownership and execution

HUMAN PERFORMANCE

Judgement under pressure

ENVIRONMENTAL INTELLIGENCE

Awareness and earlier action

Boardroom relevance. Real-world credibility.



SHORT BIO

Ivana Ries is a corporate keynote speaker, tactical educator and founder of Storm Combat. Drawing on experience training police, bodyguards, security professionals, emergency responders and civilians, she translates high-stakes principles into practical tools for leadership, judgement, resilience and environmental intelligence.

FULL BIO

Ivana Ries is a corporate keynote speaker, tactical educator and capability builder whose work sits at the intersection of leadership, human performance and real-world pressure.

She is the founder of Storm Combat and architect of Integrated Combat Systems. A Black Belt Krav Maga instructor with extensive experience across close-quarter combat, tactical firearms and bladed weapons, Ivana has trained police, bodyguards, private military personnel, security professionals, emergency responders and civilians.

Her professional world has taught her that knowledge alone is never the outcome. Under pressure, people fall back on what they have prepared, understood and made usable. On stage, Ivana brings those lessons into the corporate environment through direct, memorable keynotes that sharpen observation, strengthen ownership and improve decisive action.

Her delivery is engaging, practical and grounded in environments where poor decisions have real consequences.

"Not another hour of inspiration. A measurable shift in capability."

Three urgent business needs. Three clear choices.

LEADERSHIP, ACCOUNTABILITY AND EXECUTION

MISSION CRITICAL

A field-tested leadership system for visible ownership, clear priorities, decentralised command and decisive follow-through.

ENVIRONMENTAL INTELLIGENCE AND PERSONAL SAFETY

THE SECRET AGENT MINDSET

A practical, compelling keynote that teaches audiences to notice more, read a room, recognise anomalies and act earlier.

HUMAN PERFORMANCE AND RESILIENCE

THE PRESSURE-PROOF MIND

A powerful examination of what pressure does to perception and judgement - and how preparation helps people retain functional capability when adrenaline rises.

AVAILABLE FORMATS

Keynote: 45-60 minutes **Interactive masterclass:** 90 minutes-2 hours **Capability programme:** Half-day, full-day or multi-session

EVENT ORGANISER INFORMATION

Based in Johannesburg, South Africa	Contact info@ivanaries.com 083 735 0303	To enquire Include date, location, audience size and desired result.
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