

Accent Reduction for Trainers and Other Corporate Communication Opportunities

Welcome to fantastic opportunity! Corporate communication is a lucrative opportunity for speech-language pathologists. With our clinical background in speech mechanics, voice and resonance while holding a state license to practice, there is no better qualified professional. I have been a speech therapist for over 20 years and a successful corporate communication specialist for over 10. Other than having a lot of energy, there is not much difference between you and I. I am proud to say that I did it. I run my business full time and there is nothing better than working for yourself.

I first began by studying cultural speech habits as they relate to American English and found a method that successfully reduces accent and immediately improves clarity. Having in-depth experience with American intonation is the most important skill for successfully reducing accent because that will also minimize the foreign speech traits. Teaching missing sounds is the smaller detail. In addition to accent reduction, there are a multitude of other corporate communication services, speech therapists can tap into such as: Public Speaking

- Presentation Training

- Training for HR and Businesses on Cultural Diversity

- Private coaching

- Training company teams nationwide

- Just to name a few...

I started off low risk. I did it part-time out of my New York City apartment a couple of days per week. It was great. Extra cash and travel money. Then I gave up one full day from my day job to pursue this. Then I gave up two days and really felt I was booming with my part-time private practice. After a year of that, I took a big risk and quit my day job completely and have been operating a full time practice ever since. In 2016, I acquired a large, 1,100 square foot office building. I can now hire and have space for associates to help me. I have a conference room to offer my evening classes and seminars. I have now achieved my dream (after years of hard work) and have a full time corporate communication practice where I work with individuals and do training for companies, nationwide. It is exciting and it was worth every step of the journey.

I enjoy working with other speech pathologists making the transition into corporate America and creating amazing opportunities for themselves. Spend time on the website and see what you can create for yourself. If you have developed an interest, explore the bookstore. There are many training opportunities to get you started.

All the best,

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