

Desiree Bauer Bio 2011

Alberta-based “*Whole Brain Thinking*” expert, Desiree Bauer, has a history of drawing together diverse teams to reach common goals. She was the President and CEO of the award-winning Blindman River Regional Development Agency, a grassroots movement that partnered five different municipalities and their citizens to generate several successful economic and community development initiatives. Subsequently the Economic Developers Association of Alberta nominated her “Economic Developer of the Year”.

Fueled by a desire to teach people how to discover their strengths, Desiree studied under Herrmann International (HBDI™)*, one of North America’s foremost authorities on thinking style preferences and their impact on individual success, health and wellness. As a Certified Professional Development Facilitator, Desiree teaches her clients how to achieve personal and professional excellence by identifying and engaging their unique natural strengths.

In business since 2003, Desiree delivers business-based professional development presentations, on-site corporate training, conference workshops / sessions as well as the HBDI™ assessment.

Desiree has served on numerous Central Alberta boards including the *Blindman River Regional Development Agency* (President and CEO), *Rimbey Chamber of Commerce* (President), the *Leadership Centre of Central Alberta* (Director), *Alberta Women Entrepreneurs (AWE)* (Director), Past Chair of the *Red Deer Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors*, *Red Deer Chamber of Commerce* (Director), *Red Deer College Alumni Association* (2nd Vice Chair) and was a National Member of the *Canadian Association of Professional Speakers – Edmonton Chapter*.

Desiree’s client list includes the Canadian Red Cross, Chinook’s Edge School Division, Stantec, Vitalize Conference, Alberta Transportation, Calgary Real Estate Board, City of Red Deer, Local Government Administration Association. (See 2020mindsight.com or generationsatwork.ca for a complete listing.)

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