



# Kristen Donnelly

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Empathy Educator  
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“She commands the space while also maintaining an intimate connection with her audience. Her years of study and humble curiosity create the perfect container to talk about hard things.”

- Tricia Brouk, Award winning director and producer

## SPEAKER BIO

Dr. Kristen Donnelly is an award winning, four time TEDx speaker, empathy educator, writer, and business owner who believes that curiosity can change the world.

She and Dr. Erin Hinson form The Good Doctors of Abbey Research, who exist to help individuals and organizations as they cultivate inclusivity and engage empathetically with those around them.

She has spoken internationally - from Oxford University, to TEDxChicago, to national association conferences - and her work is routinely featured in global media publications.

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## AS SEEN IN:



## SPEAKING TOPICS

- [The Limitations of Tolerance](#)
- [Exhausted? Blame the Puritans](#)
- [“Back to Normal” is a Lie and Trauma is Not Comparable](#)
- [“Everyone’s Replaceable” and Other Lies We Live By](#)

## SPEAKING FORMATS

- Conferences, Keynotes, and TED style talks
- Interactive Workshops and Trainings
- Podcasts and other Media

## AS SEEN ON:

