

# WELCOME TO MOMENTUM

We are thrilled to have you join us as we gather to explore this year's theme: "Momentum: Moving on Mission with God." Whether you're a pastor, church leader, business professional, missionary, or involved in ministry, you're in for an inspiring and enriching experience.

Over the next few days, you'll have access to an incredible lineup of keynote speakers, powerful worship and prayer, and Momentum Tracks designed to inspire and equip you. We've crafted a program that offers practical tools, insightful discussions, and ample opportunities to connect with fellow attendees. Our goal is to help you gain momentum in your life, work, and ministry.

Community is at the heart of our conference. We've built in time for you to meet and network with others—whether it's over meals, during breaks, or at our Ice Cream Social tonight. Don't miss these moments to build relationships and exchange ideas.

We encourage you to approach the conference with an open heart and mind, ready to learn and grow. We believe that God has something special in store for you, and we are honored to be part of your journey.

Thank you for choosing to be with us at the Momentum Conference. If you have any questions or need assistance during the event, please don't hesitate to reach out to our team. We're here to ensure you have a fantastic experience.

Looking forward to seeing you and sharing this journey together!

Warm regards,

Dave DeVries, VINIA Executive Director  
& The Momentum Conference Team

# BIENVENIDOS A “MOMENTUM”

Estamos encantados de que se una a nosotros mientras nos reunimos para explorar el tema de este año: "*Momentum: Avanzando en la misión con Dios*". Ya sea usted pastor, líder de una iglesia, profesional de negocios, misionero o esté involucrado en un ministerio, le espera una experiencia inspiradora y enriquecedora.

Durante los próximos días, tendrá acceso a una increíble lista de oradores principales, adoración poderosa y oración, y *Momentum Tracks* diseñados para inspirarlo y equiparlo. Hemos elaborado un programa que ofrece herramientas prácticas, debates interesantes y amplias oportunidades para conectarse con otros asistentes. Nuestro objetivo es ayudarle a ganar impulso en su vida, trabajo y ministerio.

La comunidad está en el corazón de nuestra conferencia. Hemos creado tiempo para que usted se reúna y establezca contactos con otras personas, ya sea durante las comidas, durante los descansos o en nuestro *Ice Cream Social* esta noche. No se pierda estos momentos para construir relaciones e intercambiar ideas.

Lo alentamos a abordar la conferencia con el corazón y la mente abiertos, listos para aprender y crecer. Creemos que Dios tiene algo especial reservado para usted y nos sentimos honrados de ser parte de su travesía.

Gracias por elegir estar con nosotros en la Conferencia *Momentum*. Si tiene alguna pregunta o necesita ayuda durante el evento, no dude en comunicarse con nuestro equipo. Estamos aquí para asegurarnos de que tenga una experiencia fantástica.

¡Esperamos verle y compartir este tiempo juntos!

Un cordial saludo,

Dave DeVries, director ejecutivo de VINIA  
& el equipo de la conferencia *Momentum*

# Momentum Conference Schedule

## Tuesday

1:00pm	Registration Opens
<b>3:00pm</b>	<b>Kickoff &amp; Main Session 1 (Barb Bellefeuille)</b>
5:00pm	Dinner Onsite
<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Main Session 2 (Dave DeVries) &amp; Worship Night</b>
8:30pm	Ice Cream Social

## Wednesday

7:30am	Breakfast Onsite & Prayer
<b>9:00am</b>	<b>Worship &amp; Main Session 3 (Jesse Dueck)</b>
10:30am	Break
<b>11:00am</b>	<b>Momentum Tracks</b>
<b>12:00am</b>	<b>Lunch Onsite in Momentum Tracks</b>
2:00pm	Break
<b>2:30pm</b>	<b>Main Session 4 (Rodney Arnold)</b>
3:45pm	Break
<b>4:15pm</b>	<b>Main Session 5 (Paul Kaak)</b>
5:30pm	Dinner Break
7:00pm	Sound of Hope movie screening at Camarillo Regal Theater (Doors open at 6:30pm)

## Thursday

7:30am	Coffee & Prayer
<b>8:30am</b>	<b>Worship &amp; Main Session 6 (Ric Escobar)</b>
9:45am	Break
<b>10:15am</b>	<b>Main Session 7 (Cal Chinen)</b>
<b>11:30am</b>	<b>Closing Worship &amp; Communion</b>

# Speakers

## **Barb Bellefeuille**

Barb has been at Bethel University for 12 years, serving the last three years as President. She has worked in Christian Higher Education for a total of 33 years.

## **Dave DeVries**

Dr. Dave DeVries is a coach, trainer, and strategist – executive director of Vinia and founder of Missional Challenge. His training skills have been used to mobilize church planters, pastors, and ministry leaders across the country and around the world to advance discipling movements globally.

## **Jesse Dueck**

Jesse Dueck is a Los Angeles based filmmaker and co-founder of Room1041, the leading creative studio for creators. Jesse has spent 10 years building many of the biggest channels on the internet, generating over 500 million monthly views.

## **Rodney Arnold**

Before being elected president of the Missionary Church last year, Rodney planted and pastored OneLife Church in Knoxville, TN, which went on to plant numerous campuses and church plants throughout East Tennessee and was named one of Outreach Magazine's top-100 multiplying churches in the US. He holds a master's degree in evangelism and church planting from Liberty Theological Seminary and lives in Knoxville with his wife, Harrison, and their three children.

## **Paul Kaak**

Dr. Paul Kaak is a coach, university educator, preacher, trainer, consultant, and recent founder of TheoMetrics. With Paul's expertise in missional leadership, intellectual formation, and interdisciplinary learning, you will receive theologically-grounded insights and practical tools for leading with wisdom and impact.

## **Ric Escobar**

Ric started out doing sports evangelism in Latin America, graduated to sharing Christ in universities in Colombia, and became national director for OC International in Colombia. Eventually, he became Latin American director for One Challenge. Presently, he is training, mentoring, and coaching pastors and organizational leaders.

## **Cal Chinen**

Cal & Joy Chinen are the Regional Directors of the Pacific Rim Region, MCUSA. They also serve as the CEOs of Transform Our World Hawai'i. They have witnessed God's incredible work of transformation in churches, communities, and cities of Hawai'i.

# Become the Leader You are Called to Be

A proven framework for fruitful leadership

CLARITY | CONNECTION | CONFIDENCE

## Do You Struggle With...

- Knowing how to guide your organization through changes and challenges?
- Feeling unsure and isolated?
- Not seeing the growth you'd like to see in your organization?

## You Deserve to Feel Confident in Your Leadership!



### Get Clarity

Both personally and professionally as you work with a coach to develop a life impact plan.



### Gain Connection

With Vinia's network of like-minded leaders as you work together through Vinia's leadership framework.










### Grow Confidence

As you learn how to navigate change and challenges with the support of your coach.

## How It Works

1. **Connect With Us** – Talk with us so we can explain the Vinia Framework and help you discern your next steps.
2. **Find Clarity** - Work with a coach to develop a Life Impact Plan with will provide a clear vision for the road ahead.
3. **Gain Confidence** - As you progress through the Vinia framework with the support of your coach and a like-minded group of leaders.

## Vinia Tools and Services

-  **Cohorts** – small groups of fruitful leaders meeting monthly
-  **Annual Conference and Live Events** – large groups of fruitful leaders meeting quarterly
-  **Webinars and Workshops** – online and onsite, plus a video “replay” library
-  **Church Leaders Institute (CLI)** – live online classes in English & Spanish, plus on demand courses
-  **Consultations** – building trellis systems to grow disciples, leaders, and new churches
-  **Coaching** – personal coaching for groups, teams and individuals
-  **Impact Plans** – write a strategic plan—explore your identity, purpose and direction—for your life, your ministry, and your church



**Plus** – We offer a wide variety of additional services and benefits to Vinya churches and pastors:

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# Prayer

We are making prayer an important part of this conference. We will have seven dedicated prayer times throughout the conference. Please use the lines below as a prayer journal to help make your prayer time more fruitful.

## Prayer topic: Conference overall

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## Prayer topic: Trust and Relationships

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## Prayer topic: Exhibitors/Partners

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**Prayer topic: Momentum in church and in life**

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**Prayer topic: Change my mind, change my ways**

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**Prayer topic: Individual churches**

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**Prayer topic: Your conference experience**

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# **Main Session 1 – Poised for Momentum**

Barb Bellefeuille

**1. Formal and specific preparation for momentum**

**2. Informal and general preparation for momentum**

**3. Personal and disciplined preparation for momentum**

## **Main Session 2 – TRUST MATTERS: Moving at the Speed of Trust**

Dave DeVries

**1. Choose to TRUST.**

**2. Be TRUSTWORTHY.**

**3. Don't Sabotage TRUST.**

**4. TRUST God.**

## **Main Session 3 – What's up with Gen Z?**

Jesse Dueck

## Main Session 4 – Mounting Momentum

Rodney Arnold

Momentum is \_\_\_\_\_ when the \_\_\_\_\_ domino \_\_\_\_\_.

1. Mounting momentum reveals \_\_\_\_\_ glory not \_\_\_\_\_!
2. God \_\_\_\_\_ mounting momentum \_\_\_\_\_.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ from the \_\_\_\_\_ threatens momentum.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ from the \_\_\_\_\_ threatens momentum.

# **Main Session 5 – Underwhelming Presence of the Kingdom: Reimagining Missional Momentum**

Paul Kaak

## **Main Session 6 – The Scattered Church**

Ric Escobar







**Main Session 7 – In You All the Families of the Earth  
Will Be Blessed and All the Nations of the Earth Will  
Be Blessed**

Cal Chinen




# Vinia Coaching Program

## GET A COACH

**Four key benefits you can expect to experience with your VINIA Coach:**

-  You will go further faster through guidance, support, and feedback, so you can achieve your goals more efficiently and effectively.
-  You will gain clarity on the next steps to attain your goals by identifying and prioritizing what's important and what's not.
-  Your self-awareness will rise to a new level as you challenge your limiting beliefs and assumptions and develop new perspectives and mindsets.
-  You will set better priorities as you align your values, goals, and actions and create a clear path towards your vision.

### **Types of Coaching Available:**

-  Taste and See (1<sup>st</sup> month) Two introductory 50-minute sessions, **complementary**
-  Quick Start (3 months) Two 50-minutes sessions per month, with a Vinia Certified Coach intern, at cost
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Questions? Email [coaching@vinia.org](mailto:coaching@vinia.org).

## **GET A LIFE IMPACT PLAN**

### **1. Clarify your goals and aspirations.**

This process helps you identify your most important goals and develop a plan to achieve them.

### **2. Create a roadmap for your life**

Your plan will help you stay focused and motivated, even when faced with obstacles and challenges.

### **3. Align your actions with your values**

When you are clear about what you want out of life, you can make decisions that are in line with your values and goals. This helps you avoid distractions and stay true to yourself.

### **4. Measure your progress**

By setting specific, measurable goals and tracking your progress, you can see how far you have come and identify areas where you need to improve, making adjustments as needed.

### **5. Live a more fulfilling life**

When you are clear about your goals, values, and aspirations, and you have a plan of action to achieve them, you can pursue the things that matter most to you and make a positive impact on the world around you.

## **Format**

8 Coaching Sessions, 60 minutes, Individual, Couples, Groups of 2-4.

## **Cost**

Contact us for cost.

## GET TRAINED TO COACH



### Taste and See webinar (3 hours)

- Learn three skills that will impact your leadership.
- Personally experience the interactive training.
- Cost: FREE!



### Coach Essentials (1 day)

- Learn to:
  - listen actively so others feel you understand them.
  - ask powerful questions that initiate a change of thinking.
  - generate feedback that avoids defensiveness.
  - design action steps that will actually be accomplished.
  - follow-up to increase learning and accountability.
- Cost: \$149



### Coaching Foundations (3-day)

- In-depth development of the COACH model skills and knowledge
- Prepares you to become an effective Christian coach.
- Cost: \$399, scholarships available

## BECOME A VINIA CERTIFIED COACH

- 👑 The essence of the Vinia Coach Internship:
  - Establish a custom internship pathway
  - Complete the orientation classes
  - Receive specialized mentoring
  - Gain 30 hours of coaching experience using the COACH Model
  - Establish a primary coaching focus
  - Attend the Coaches Playground quarterly
  - Participating in peer coaching
  - Recommendation by Mentor Coach
  - Compensation - educational credits
  - One-year commitment required
- 👑 Cost: \$399 Scholarships available.

# Join us for...

## Bi-Monthly Vinia Prayer Meeting

Join us on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays of every month at 10am for a prayer meeting on Zoom. An email goes out the day before with the Zoom link.

If you'd like us to pray for something specific, you can send prayer requests to [info@vinia.org](mailto:info@vinia.org).

## Global Leadership Summit

Watch the Global Leadership Summit online on August 8-9, 2024. This year's theme is *Equipping You to Design Your Tomorrow*.

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Learn more and register at: <https://globalleadership.org>.



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THE STORY OF POSSUM TROT

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The fight for kids begins July 4. Inspired by the powerful true story, *Sound of Hope: The Story of Possum Trot*, follows Donna and Reverend Martin as they ignite a fire in the hearts of their rural church to embrace kids in the foster system that nobody else would take. By doing the impossible—adopting 77 children—this East Texas community proved that, with real, determined love, the battle for America’s most vulnerable can be won.

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