

## Leslie Kaufman

## Executive Coach & Facilitator

Leslie Kaufman is an Executive Coach and trusted advisor who enjoys helping both individuals and teams tackle challenging issues. She is a perceptive and insightful listener who draws upon her understanding of organizational dynamics combined with her training and experience in coaching to bring a pragmatic, business-focused approach to supporting clients.

As a coach, she leverages her experience as a human resources professional, having helped leaders prepare for expanding roles, adjust to increasing demands and accomplish their goals in fast-paced environments. Leslie has shaped her career around her two passions: science and people. She has over thirty years of experience in the biopharmaceutical and consulting industries working in organizations ranging from small start-up biotechs to global pharmaceutical organizations. She has held leading Human Resource positions at TESARO (GSK), Syros Pharmaceuticals, Millennium Pharmaceuticals (Takeda), and the Medicines Company. Within these organizations, she has worked closely with leaders and teams from around the globe, and with a broad range of corporate functions including Research & Development, Finance, Legal, Information Technology, and Commercial. Her career began as a consultant with Arthur D. Little, where she led technology-based consulting projects with organizations in fine chemicals, pharmaceuticals, and food manufacturing.

Leslie holds an MBA from Babson's F.W. Olin Graduate School of Business and a Bachelor of Science degree from Cornell University. She received her Executive Certificate in Leadership Coaching from the Georgetown Institute for Transformational Leadership. She is a Professional Certified Coach (PCC) through The International Coach Federation and a Certified Team Performance Coach through Team Coaching International, and she holds certifications in Insights Discovery, the Hogan Assessment, the EQ-i 2.0 Emotional Intelligence Assessment, Applied Neuroscience, and the Predictive Index.

When not at home looking after her hens, Leslie enjoys skiing and hiking in the White Mountains with her family.

