

## Beth Sanner

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**Exploring the Nexus Between Intelligence and Emerging National Security Threats.** Having spent her career leading and advising at the highest levels of national intelligence, Beth Sanner possesses unparalleled expertise on the issues that threaten our nation's security. Audiences feel as though they're inside the room at the center of critical intelligence meetings as she provides a high-level overview of cyber, space, and nuclear threats and emerging and disruptive technologies as the world's powers navigate the potential for conflict. Telling a compelling story of the powers at play, she effectively breaks down complex geopolitical elements in a way that is easily digestible and shares predictions for how various scenarios may unfold.

**Global Intelligence Brief: The Worldwide Implications of Region-Specific Threats.** As a trusted presidential intelligence briefer and adviser to government leaders and foreign partners, Beth Sanner's insights have informed U.S. policy and strategy on China, Russia, Iran, South Asia, North Korea, and various other pivotal regions around the world. She possesses unparalleled expertise on region-specific intelligence matters and shares her sharp, ear-to-the-ground analysis on flashpoint issues, as well as the potential ripple effect these issues may have on the U.S. and its businesses. Sanner expertly tailors her analysis to illustrate how organizations in specific industries may be impacted by global events.

**The Change Agent's Journey: Leading Your Organization's Next Evolution.** As a former national intelligence leader and presidential adviser, Beth Sanner developed a reputation as an impactful change agent in her three decades leading some of the government's most complex agencies. A battle-tested difference-maker, she measurably improved engagement within her teams while executing on values-based missions and strategies, and she adapts her expertise to help any organization do the same. In this talk, she reveals how leaders can uncover the untapped potential of their people, empower a more diverse and inclusive workforce, spark productivity, and leverage the talents of each individual to create impactful change internally, and beyond their organizations' traditional domains. Her sought-after insights on facilitating change, and navigating any obstacles encountered along the way, provide leaders with a solid foundation from which to ignite their organization's next transformation.

**Crisis Management: How to Prepare for the Unpreparable.** Through three decades of leadership, former ODNI and CIA official Beth Sanner has been tasked with navigating tens of thousands of employees through unimaginable challenges. From the Covid-19 pandemic and 9/11 to political scrutiny on issues ranging from the Afghan war to Russia, Sanner has set the standard for guiding her teams to the other side of a crisis through ethical and forthright leadership. Drawing from her experiences leading through crisis, she shares an evidence-based approach to assessing and analyzing a crisis that leaders can use to determine the best course of action for managing the situation at hand and driving success through challenging times.

**Intelligent Innovation for Your Organization.** Never one to resist change, Beth Sanner was often at the forefront of advancing technological innovation in her organizations and leading the integration of new systems and processes to advance her team's capabilities. With a forward-looking approach to the way we get things done, she discusses why innovation is the backbone for advancing your organization and provides a framework for adopting an innovator's mindset to develop ideas and solutions that align with your mission and power your people to success.