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Unbreakable Connections: A World Explorer's Passport to Stronger Relationships Your greatest success story starts with strong relationships. Yet in an era dominated by AI, screen-first communication, and automated customer journeys, genuine connection has never been harder to build or more critical to master. Connection can be built faster, more naturally, and more reliably than most people believe, if you have the right mindset and a set of repeatable practices. For more than a decade, Shane Feldman has been studying human connection on the ground in 100 cities across 6 continents, building relationships with strangers across cultures, languages, and social norms, and interviewing some of the most fascinating leaders on the planet. Along the way, he discovered something both hopeful and practical: connection isn't a personality trait, it's a skillset. And trust isn't built on luck: it's designed, practiced and protected through small, repeatable behaviors that anyone can master. In this session, keynote speaker, world explorer and serial-entrepreneur Shane Feldman will unpack the practical framework you can use immediately to build and sustain stronger relationships, especially in this age of AI and rapid change.

Future-Proof Passport: Driving Connection and Collaboration in This New World In today's unpredictable landscape, collaboration is your competitive edge. In this empowering, forward-looking talk, Shane Feldman goes beyond the hype and speculation to reveal a fundamental truth — in this new world of work, community and relationships are what will set you apart. Having researched community leadership and human behavior across 30 countries and five continents, Feldman brings audiences on a journey around the world, sharing lessons learned from global leaders. He decodes how to empower human connection, future-proof any organization, and optimize people, planet, and profit through real-world examples and clear strategies that can be applied right away. Audiences are left re-focused, re-connected, and ready to elevate their impact.

AI Passport: Elevating Relationships and Retention in this New World of Work Quite often, the difference between success and failure in business comes down to our relationships. In this new, high-energy keynote, perfect as an opening plenary, serial-entrepreneur Shane Feldman provides simple, actionable strategies to increase employee engagement and client retention in this new world of work. Recognized by the White House and UN for his achievements in community leadership, Shane helps teams increase resilience, trust, and loyalty in an ever changing environment, leveraging AI as a tool to bolster relationships rather than squandering them. Whether you're grappling with hybrid models, flexible work arrangements, service challenges or restructuring, Shane's "AI Passport" framework will help you embrace the power of AI and other technologies, while continuing to strengthen the trust and connection that makes work human-centric, and talent

irreplaceable. Having researched community leadership and human behavior on the ground across 100 cities, towns and villages, spanning 6 continents, Shane Feldman will take your audience on a journey, sharing unforgettable case studies from his travels. Every keynote is customized, but audience favorites include stories from his research in Albania , China, Ghana, France, South Africa, Vietnam and Spain. With actionable takeaways to increase engagement and retention, both internally and externally, this session is perfect for leadership, sales, and management audiences.

Leadership Passport: Attracting, Empowering and Retaining a High-Performing Team Having researched community leadership and human behavior in over 30 countries, Shane Feldman has uncovered universal strategies that make teams click and businesses thrive. In this captivating and actionable talk, Shane reveals how to cultivate a work environment centered around community, that enables individuals and teams to perform at their highest levels. Shifting common misconceptions surrounding organizational culture, Shane breaks down how to foster an inclusive work environment where teams are inspired to innovate, think creatively, and collaborate. Through engaging stories of remote African villages, bustling Asian cities and quaint European towns, Shane's dynamic talk demonstrates simple shifts to become a stronger, more inclusive leader.