



Deshauna Barber

FORMER MISS USA, HOST, NON-PROFIT CEO & MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER

about deshauna

Deshauna Barber is an Army Captain, former Miss USA, Non-Profit CEO, STEM Graduate, Social Media Influencer, Host and award-winning international speaker represented by a top agency.

Deshauna shows the power of perseverance and tenacity to now become a top-rated speaker that is widely sought after by Fortune 500 companies. Deshauna is currently receiving her Diversity, Social Justice and Inclusion Certification at University of Colorado, Colorado Springs. She has a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Management from Virginia State University and a Master of Science degree in Computer Information Systems and Services from University of Maryland University College. The 32-year-old uses her platform to encourage us to pay close attention to the mental health of our service members after deployments and their service to our country.

Deshauna has appeared on The Steve Harvey Show, The Rachael Ray Show, Fox and Friends, The Chelsea Show, Good Morning Washington, The Ellen DeGeneres Show, The T.D. Jakes Show, The Nightly Show, The Source on Sirius XM, The Daily Show, Lunch Break, Live with Kelly and Good Morning America.

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Army Reserve Captain

Captain Barber has served her country for over 11 years and currently works as cadet instructor at Howard University's Bison Battalion during her Army Reserve commitment. Her father, mother, sister and brother are all army veterans. She prides herself on being in a family that believes serving the United States Of America is a tradition and honor.



Former Miss USA

In June 2016, Deshauna made history by becoming the first soldier to win the prestigious crown of Miss USA. she spent her year-long reign advocating for our men and women in uniform by encouraging our government to provide additional support for soldiers suffering from Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD).



In January 2020, Deshauna was hired as the youngest Chief Executive Officer of Service Women's Action Network, the nation's leading 501c3 nonprofit organization advocating on behalf of all service women and women veterans in the country. She leads an all women, majority veteran team of dedicated employees who are committed to advancing the lives of female service-members and women veterans.





Motivational Speaker/Host

Deshauna travels the world as a full time
Motivational Speaker and Host. Deshauna has been
booked by numerous Fortune 500 companies and
some of the worlds top corporations such as Google,
Coca Cola, Estee Lauder, United Way and AT&T. She
has made it her life goal to encourage, inspire and
strengthen the people around her.