

## Executive "Presence" is Not In Your Genes -- You Can Learn These Skills!

A Vanguard Global Network Dialogue with Joe Kwon and Paul Hastings on October 20 From Noon - 1:30 EDT

NEW YORK (PRWEB) September 30, 2021 -- The Vanguard Network today announced a "Learning From Experience" Forum for C-suite leaders on the intangible, but essential, quality of executive presence. Presenting will be Joe Kwon, also known as "The Connection Counselor" and Paul Hastings, Chair of BIO and CEO and Chairman of NKarta Therapeutics.

"Executive presence can give leaders an edge over the competition," said Ken Banta, founder and principal of The Vanguard Group for Leadership. "Command of the room, soft-spoken but firm, a great listener but also ready to make their own point. These are the qualities we all look for in great executives."

But are these seemingly soft and elusive capabilities genetic, or can they be learned? According to Kwon and Hastings, the answer is yes, these skills can be developed.

As always, this Vanguard session will be intimate, interactive, pragmatic, and confidential.

This online event is open to members of The Vanguard Network. Other C-suite leaders can request an invitation and learn more about membership at <a href="https://Bit.ly/LE2021\_1020linkedin">https://Bit.ly/LE2021\_1020linkedin</a>.

The conversation is one of an array of membership benefits of the Vanguard Network, which organizes events, publishes content and connects C-suite leaders.

Ken Banta is a top management advisor who works with CEOs and senior executives on leadership, organizational transformation and corporate positioning. Ken has helped to lead eleven successful global transformations and turnarounds, and has advised on many more. He writes regularly for HBR and is a Contributing Author of "HBR's 10 Must Reads for CEOs."

Vanguard's roster of more than 100 advisors and session leaders includes David Pyott, past CEO of Allergan, Ashley McEvoy (J&J), Jeremy Levin, Chair and CEO of Ovid Therapeutics, Cameron Durrant, (Humanigen), and Tom Sabatino, GC of Tenneco and past GC of Aetna, United Airlines, Walgreens and Schering-Plough.

For more information about the Vanguard Group for Leadership, visit <a href="https://www.thevanguardnetwork.com">https://www.thevanguardnetwork.com</a>.

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