Biography

I joined Leading Edge Performance as a Team Coach in 2016 following a career leading teams and running retail businesses in the UK. After a firm grounding at BHS I joined Burton Group/Arcadia Group and held various positions including Area Manager, Head of Marketing at Top Shop and General Manager of the world's largest fashion store – Top Shop Oxford Circus. In my last role at Arcadia Group, Retail Director, I was responsible for a £300m business across all Arcadia brands. A three year period as Retail Managing Director at The Body Shop followed where I was fortunate enough to work with the late, great Dame Anita Roddick - an inspirational leader who taught me so much.

More recently I have been delighted to support charities and social enterprises, as COO, Chief Executive and Chair. For five years I was Chair of The ELLA Foundation that was set up to coach, mentor and inspire charity chief executives. Currently I Chair the charity Sing Inside that brings singing workshops into prisons to break down social barriers and encourage creativity, confidence and a greater sense of self-worth.

I love spending time leading, developing and facilitating teams as well as managing and driving change. Coaching and speaking are my passions and I describe myself as a 'champion of people engagement'.



Nigel Rothband
Team Coach

Clients

- The FA
- Jaguar Land Rover
- England Rugby
- Leadec
- Mars

- Carnival
- Levi's
- Whitbread
- TalkTalk
- Anzo Group

Qualifications

Trustee and Chair of the charity Sing Inside
 Insights Discovery Practitioner

Colleague View

"I love Nigel's energy and curiosity for knowledge and to better understand people. He always makes time for everyone and he is very skillful at flipping from crazily funny to ultrachallenging. He works really hard at building trust with the teams that he supporting and that affords him to get 'under the bonnet'. He is a skillful coach who uses his strong noticing skills to quickly assess the support that is going to be most helpful to help the teams thrive. I love being in Nigel's company as I'm always learning from him."

Client View

"It was a pleasure working with Nigel he was inspirational and motivational. It is not easy to work with a mixed group of people across Europe, not only due to the language barrier, but also because of the cultural differences between each Country. Nigel managed to bridge the gap and found common ground. I would be delighted to work with him in the future."



