



Keynote

PRESENTER:

laura brewer, [How to Make Love](#)

BIO:

“An inspiring revolutionary of these times, a brave social changer, a heart opener who talks about ... the most confronting issues.” -Cristina Palma

laura brewer is the voice of radical heart and authenticity. A voice she evolved while growing up gay in the Southern United States. Those early years taught her a great deal about living in fear. And they also taught her that hiding her love was the only way to stay safe. As laura grew older and began to take on prominent leadership roles and work in social justice, she got an intimate look at just how significant the cost and consequences are of fear-based living and leading. And how urgent the need is to make more (revolutionary, radical) love in our world, with intention. Today, she’s embraced the super powers that were forged from her pain as a kid to help others figure out how to re-relate to their fear and make more love in their lives – unabashedly. From learning to lead with more heart and less head to developing radically inclusive teams and organizations, laura helps leaders confront the things that scare them the most – so that they can make a life, a team, and organization, a relationship, a world filled with revolutionary -- and just -- love.

laura has impacted thousands of lives through individual coaching, public speaking at places like Harvard University, and teaching as an adjunct faculty at American University. Her work has influenced audiences of teachers, corporate teams, and CEOs and has produced a strong track record of transforming culture, connection, courage, and inclusivity.

laura is the host and creator of popular 5-star podcast “How to Make Love.” She currently lives as a fish out of water in Los Angeles, CA with her wife, her cats, and one chicken. She loves to surf and use profanity.

TIME:

8:30am – 9:30am on Thursday, May 30th

LOCATION:

Riverbend Ballroom