

Steve Schmitz Speaker Intro

Steve Schmitz is an inspiring speaker and a successful businessman who had the vision to see a unique opportunity in a financial crisis, and acted on it. Steve shares his own business success story in his book, ***Whatever It Takes*** (published in 2017). Steve co-founded American Residential Properties, Inc. with an idea he thought up on his back patio in 2008 and sold it 6 years later in 2016 to American Homes 4 Rent (NYSE: AMH), one of the largest publicly traded single-family rental REITs.

Whatever it takes has been his own mantra for years, and he encouraged his team members at American Residential Properties, Inc. to embrace it and live it. Steve believes this is what made ARPI different and the real reason why people were excited to come to work every day.

Today, Steve is inspiring business leaders, entrepreneurs and team members throughout a variety of industries to adopt this, “Whatever it takes” mindset to reignite their purpose and unleash their best. Steve believes anyone can achieve the life they’ve been dreaming of with the right attitude.

Please welcome... Steve Schmitz (pronounced - shmitz)