

## Fall Leadership Symposium Series in Partnership with Manhattanville College: A Special Event at Reid Castle

# Discontentment: The Leadership Challenge

**Keynote: Jon Mertz**

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**9:30 am – 12:00 pm**

Manhattanville College, Reid Castle – 2900 Purchase St., Purchase, NY



*“Today, we focus too much on our generational, economic, racial, religious, and other differences...We have set the stage for discontentment, and we are receiving the results of what too many have built.*

*Today, we need to guide and challenge the best out of our leaders...by finding our common ground and building a better way forward with the diverse talents within our businesses, communities, states, and nation. Are you ready to rise to the great leader challenge? If so, what will you do today to begin to unravel the discontentment?”*

*~Jon Mertz*

This Leadership Symposium will focus on discontentment as an opportunity for great leadership. Discussion points will include unraveling:

- Discontentment in Politics
- Discontentment in Organization Culture
- Discontentment in Loyalty and Trust

Jon Mertz is one of the Top 100 Thought Leaders in Trustworthy Business and highlighted as one of the Leaders to Watch in 2015 by the American Management Association. He also is the author of *Activate Leadership: Aspen Truths to Empower Millennial Leaders*. Jon has a background as a farmer’s son in his formative years, a political appointee during this 20s, and a marketing and business development leader over the past twenty years. His work has been in large and entrepreneurial companies like Deloitte, IBM, and QuickArrow. Jon graduated with an MBA from The University of Texas at Austin, McCombs School of Business. He holds a BA in Government & International Affairs. To learn more about Jon, visit his website <https://www.thindifference.com/>

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