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## **Dr. Tobias Leipprand**

- Serial entrepreneur
- digital change consultant, expert, change consultant, speaker, facilitator
- Founder and Chief Leadership Enthusiast at LEAD Academy
- Co-founder of stiftung neue verantwortung
- Doctorate in management on leading in uncertain times
- Yoga teacher & practitioner



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## CV

**Dr. Tobias Leipprand** is a serial social entrepreneur. He is founder and Chief Leadership Enthusiast at LEAD Academy, a non-profit organization that offers executive education to leaders from the non-profit sector, the private sector and government. Through LEAD's consulting branch LEAD Mindsets & Capabilities Tobias provides consulting services in the area of (digital) leadership, change management, top team development, leadership coaching, but also interactive methods such as scenario planning or design thinking.

Prior to his position at LEAD, he helped build Stiftung Neue Verantwortung, a Berlin-based non-profit, independent think-tank, and served as member of its executive board. There, he researched contemporary leadership as well as sustainability in the context of urban planning. He also ran the organization's leadership program for its 100 associates. Before joining Stiftung Neue Verantwortung, Tobias worked as a strategy consultant at McKinsey & Company focusing his consulting work on large-scale change and capacity building programs.

Tobias holds a master's degree in theoretical physics from Cambridge University, UK, and a Master in Public Policy from the Harvard Kennedy School, where he was a McCloy Scholar. He received his doctorate from Freie Universität Berlin for a thesis on how top executives in hypercomplex environments practice sensemaking. Before his studies he took a gap year working for a charity NGO in Guatemala. In 2010/11 he was a Global Governance 2020 Fellow. He taught applied leadership at CEU's School of Public Policy within their Skills for Impact program. Tobias writes on topics of contemporary leadership, and his commentary has appeared in German and international newspapers. He has reached a wide audience co-hosting several TEDx events with up to 1,600 guests. Tobias is a member of the advisory board of the Executive MBA "Leadership and Human Resources" at Quadriga University of Applied Sciences Berlin. Following his belief that a more balanced life leads to better decision-making he practices and teaches yoga.