



Bio of Mary Foley

Mary is a national thought leader for women, with a reputation for her spunk and experience.

Fresh out of college, Mary set aside her hard-earned engineering degree, to search for a career that she loved. She took a job as an \$8 an hour customer service representative at a then-unknown computer startup, called “America Online.”

During AOL’s hyper-growth, Mary was promoted four times, and she survived six layoffs, to become AOL’s first head of Corporate Training. But her rapid rise through the ranks at AOL came to a sudden end, when she hit the glass ceiling. Not satisfied to settle, Mary made the bodacious decision to leave AOL and build her career another way.

She went on to earn a Master’s degree in Organizational Development, and became co-owner of a human resources company called HumanR. She then started her own company, Bodacious! Ventures, where she proudly refers to herself as “Woman in Charge.”

Through her books, *Bodacious! Woman*, and *Bodacious! Career*, speaking engagements, consulting, Live Like Your Nail Color Club, and more, Mary inspires women to be bodacious and live like their nail color.