

# St. Louis Titan 100 Testimonials



Ed Herman | Brown and Crouppen

*Being recognized as a Titan is one of those things that lets a person believe that they've actually achieved something special and uncommon. That they have proven their doubters wrong. It is a form of validation for many people, including myself who have spent their life trying to build something that goes beyond themselves. On top of that, it has given me the opportunity to meet a lot of people who have done some great things, and who are in a position to teach me how to do some of those great things. I have embraced being a part of a peer group, I look forward to what I can learn from them, and I only hope that I can offer them as much as I get back.*



Lauren Herring | IMPACT Group

*The value of this platform lies in its community. It's not just about individual success but about creating an ecosystem where everyone thrives. Whether it's through breakfast meetings, lunch discussions, or even impromptu business partnerships, I've found that the Titans are a group of people who genuinely want to see each other grow. I've been able to share referrals, support other businesses, and receive invaluable advice. This mutual support and collaboration are rare in professional circles, and it's been one of the highlights of my experience as a Titan.*

*The diversity of industries represented is another asset. From tech innovators to financial experts, the insights and perspectives I've gained have broadened my understanding of various sectors and have informed my own business practices. It's this collective knowledge, shared in a spirit of generosity and camaraderie, that makes the Titan 100 platform so powerful.*



Corey Then | Circle

*The Titans are an incredible group and I value the diversity of thought and expertise that they bring to the table. Being a Titan has given me a stronger bond with the St. Louis business community and has caused me to reflect on how I can become a better leader.*



Lynda Barris | Marsh McLennan  
Agency (MMA) St. Louis

*The Titan 100 program has provided immense value by offering opportunities to network and build meaningful relationships with fellow members and guests at various events. Connecting with accomplished leaders across industries has been inspiring and has fostered an exchange of ideas and insights that are both impactful and motivating. These experiences have not only expanded my professional network but have also deepened my understanding of effective leadership and innovation.*

*Looking ahead, I am excited to elevate this experience by participating in a CEO Peer Group in the coming year. This initiative presents a unique opportunity to engage in more focused and collaborative discussions with like-minded leaders, tackling shared challenges and exploring strategies for growth and success.*

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Rita Numerof | Numerof & Associates

“ Being recognized as a Titan 100 has been an incredible honor, highlighting my commitment to pursuing issues that resonate deeply with me both personally and professionally. This acknowledgment not only reflects my dedication but also opens the door to invaluable opportunities for interaction with other accomplished leaders. Engaging with such driven individuals provides inspiration, fresh perspectives, and a shared sense of purpose. I am truly grateful for the chance to be part of a group that values impactful leadership and strives to make a meaningful difference in our industries and communities. Thank you for this significant recognition. ”



Shaun Duvall | duvari

“ I'm a firm believer in surrounding yourself with people who continuously push you to break past the limitations we often place on ourselves. I've been part of several business groups, and I believe the Titan 100 platform has given me the chance to connect with top local leaders. It's been a reminder that we are all a work in progress, but by doing leadership together, we can anticipate obstacles before they arise, grow in areas we may not have been aware of, and build stronger systems by leveraging the strengths of such a diverse group. This recognition has opened up new possibilities for me to expand our impact and serve even more people. ”



Lauren Desantis-Then | Polsinelli

“ The greatest value of the Titan 100 platform lies in the relationships it fosters. Every event has provided me with the opportunity to connect with fellow Titans, where I've had enriching conversations and exchanged innovative ideas over lunches. These interactions have broadened my perspective and inspired me to think more creatively in my own work. Furthermore, I have taken an active role in promoting the Titan 100 community, sharing my experiences with others and encouraging them to apply. Utilizing social media to highlight the accomplishments and initiatives of my fellow Titans has also been a rewarding endeavor. By amplifying our collective voice, we can inspire more leaders to join this impactful network. ”



Chris Blackerby | Incisive Consultants

“ The platform's visibility and credibility offer a valuable means of sharing our success stories and learning from others who are similarly committed to making an impact. It helps amplify our voice in the industry, allowing us to advocate for important issues and contribute to the ongoing evolution of our field. Overall, the recognition as a Titan 100 has been more than just an accolade; it has been a catalyst for deeper engagement with a community of leaders, a source of inspiration, and a platform for driving continued growth and positive change for my brand. I am deeply grateful for the opportunity to be part of such a distinguished group and look forward to leveraging this platform to further our collective goals and make a meaningful difference. ”