



# WELCOME TO MY LIVING ROOM

*Everyone Has a Story*

A Keynote Experience by Dr. Keyimani Alford

## KEYNOTE OVERVIEW

**Welcome to My Living Room: Everyone Has a Story** is a moving keynote experience that invites audiences into a space of truth, reflection, healing, and human connection. Using the living room as a metaphor for the places where people feel safe enough to be seen, heard, and understood, Dr. Keyimani Alford creates more than a presentation. He creates a moment.

Through deeply personal storytelling drawn from his own life, along with powerful stories of students he has served, Dr. Alford reminds audiences that behind every visible struggle, every choice, every policy, and every outcome is a real human being carrying a story that matters. This keynote helps participants slow down, listen differently, and reconnect with the heart of why they do the work they do.

Warm, reflective, and transformational, Welcome to My Living Room leaves audiences feeling seen, stirred, and reminded that simply showing up with care can become part of someone else's healing, hope, and breakthrough

## KEY THEMES

- Story and identity
- Belonging and human connection
- Resilience and healing
- The power of presence
- Reflection and purpose

## AUDIENCE OUTCOMES

Participants will:

- reflect on the stories they carry and how those stories shape how they see others
- reconnect with the importance of empathy, presence, and human-centered support
- better understand the role they can play in someone else's healing and growth
- leave renewed in purpose and reminded that every story deserves space

## IDEAL FOR

- Colleges and universities
- Student support and success teams
- Leadership retreats
- Educator and staff development events
- Faith-based gatherings
- Community and nonprofit audiences

## ABOUT DR. KEY

Dr. Keyimani Alford is an author, publisher, higher education leader, and motivational speaker whose work helps people lead with greater purpose, humanity, and intentionality. With over two decades of experience advancing student success, leadership development, and equity-driven practice, he is known for blending personal storytelling with practical insight that moves audiences from reflection to action. He is the founder of Keywords Unlocked, LLC, and the author of multiple published works, including his award-winning memoir, *Oakland Hills, Milwaukee Rivers: A Memoir of Survival, Identity, and Purpose*.



**Bringing Welcome to My Living Room to Your Audience**

Create space for reflection, renewal, and lasting impact.

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