

Breaking the limiting beliefs on how big you can grow your firm



Your hosts





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Agenda

- Kristy's story
- Common limiting beliefs of growing firms
- Why mindset matters
- Real-life examples
- 3 mindset shifts
- How to take action
- Q&A



Kristy's story

- Then & now
- Building a business from scratch
- The **one thing** that changed her life and her business

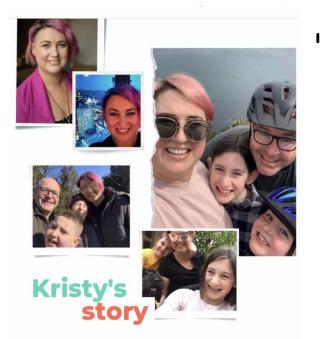
Then VS Now

Before

- Prioritising client work over family
- No annual leave
- Scared of hiring
- Struggled to delegate
- Goals with no clear path.
- Working IN the business more than ON the business.
- Will I always need to 'work' when I go anywhere?

After

- Time off over Christmas and Easter school holidays.
- Client managers and production team working together to deliver on client fulfillment.
- Growing my leadership skills.
- Owning my CEO title.
- Knowing my revenue goal to achieve my passive income goal.
- Feeling more in-control than controlled by my business.
- 2 week holiday in Paris.





Common limiting beliefs in a growing firm

- "My firm can't grow beyond this size."
- "I need to be involved in everything for my firm to succeed."
- "Scaling means more work and stress."

Begin with the end in mind.

Stephen Covey





Why mindset matters

Remember, your firm's growth starts with how you think about it.

The power of a growth mindset:

- How your mindset directly impacts your firm's potential
- \cdot Breaking the cycle of limiting beliefs is the first step to unlocking growth



Real-life examples

Chan & Naylor

- \cdot 30+ years in the industry with 5,000 active clients
- Ed Chan hasn't worked a day IN his own firm in the last 20 years

Sky Accountants

- \cdot 20+ years in the industry + a \$7 million dollar firm
- Jamie Johns works I day a week



Mindset shift 1: Delegate to elevate

Limiting belief: "I need to be involved in every decision."

New mindset: Empower your team to handle more, so you can focus on growth

- Build a strong leadership team
- Free yourself from the day-to-day tasks to focus on strategy



Mindset shift 2: Think bigger

Limiting belief: "My market is too small to grow."

New mindset: Expand your vision beyond current clients and markets

- Explore new service offerings and niches
- Look at opportunities for acquisitions or strategic partnerships



Mindset shift 3: Growth ≠ burnout

Limiting belief: "Scaling will mean more work and more stress."

New mindset: Build efficient systems and processes to scale without sacrificing quality of life

- Use technology and automation to streamline workflows
- Develop repeatable systems to reduce stress



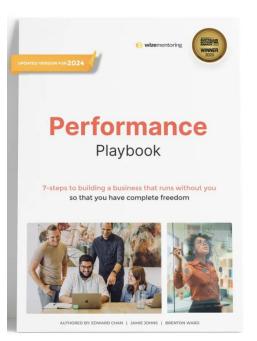
How to take action

- 1. Identify one limiting belief holding you back
- 2. Reframe it with a new, empowering belief
- 3. Take one actionable step today to challenge that belief





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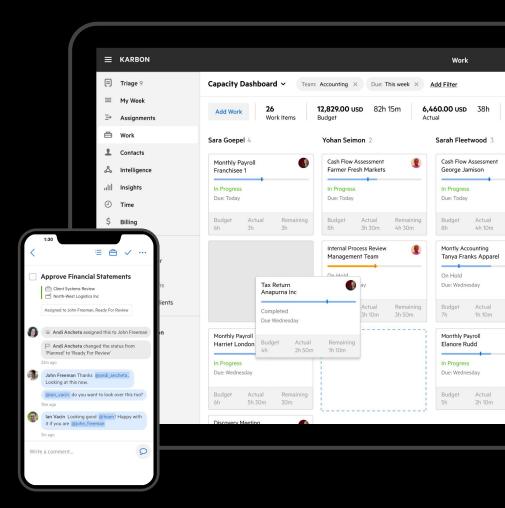




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