

John Sileo, CSP, CPAE

Keynote Speaker | Cybersecurity | Privacy | Tech/Life Balance



John Sileo left hi-tech consulting and became an entrepreneur to reclaim his greatest priority – being present, every day, for his wife Mary and their dream of starting a family. Six successful years, a \$2M business and two precious daughters later, he lost it all to cybercrime.

Because the cybercriminal, a company insider, masked the crimes using John's identity, John was held legally and financially responsible for the felonies committed. The losses destroyed his company, decimated his finances and consumed two years of his life as he fought to stay out of jail.

John molded these first-hand experiences into a suite of successes as an award-winning author, *60 Minutes* guest and keynote speaker to the Pentagon, Schwab and thousands of audiences ready to take concrete action on cybersecurity, privacy and tech/life balance. His specialty on stage is making security fun and engaging, so that it sticks.

John is CEO & President of The Sileo Group, a Denver-based technology think tank. He graduated with honors from Harvard University and was recently inducted into the National Speakers Hall of Fame.

When not speaking, John spends time hiking with his family in the Rocky Mountains, reading psychological thrillers and earning his 3rd-degree black belt in Taekwondo, where he is regularly thrashed by teenagers half his size.

