

Biography

Michael S. Jenkins, Jr.

A multi-hyphenate that is skilled at many things, but is passionate about empowering men and women of all ages to chase their dreams in the midst of facing adversity. Michael Jenkins, Jr. knows that tragedies will not define who he is or his goals and knows firsthand how to cope with adversity and overcome hardship after losing both of his biological parents to a murder suicide.

A native of Jacksonville, Florida, Michael is a proud graduate of Florida A&M University and holds a bachelor's degree in Computer Science, with a concentration in Mobile App Development and Cybersecurity. Michael is a leader with over a decade of experience within his field, Michael drives a robust business model that is the impetus for the growth and success of each of his business operations, while also being a Senior Information Security Analyst with FedEx Corporate.

As CEO of Golden Boy Enterprises, Michael operates six business portfolios that are managed across multiple industries. With a mission to foster successful ventures through data-driven strategy, partnerships and profitable investments, Michael is a thought partner in providing support and economic stability for underprivileged communities. Golden Boy Enterprises has proven to be a catalytic change within the Greater Jacksonville area and the United States.

As a proclaimed community advocate, Michael has the drive and dedication to change the narrative and enhance the communities in which he serves. Michael is a Trustee with the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated and one (1) of five (5) business partners of Legacy Restaurant and Lounge. Alongside his work, Michael is the curator of "Dream Big Weekend" and has been featured in First Coast News, WCTV among other global, national and local outlets. A sought-after speaker, Michael shares a message of inspiration with the goal of helping others realize that they too can rise above the losses of life and be found anew.