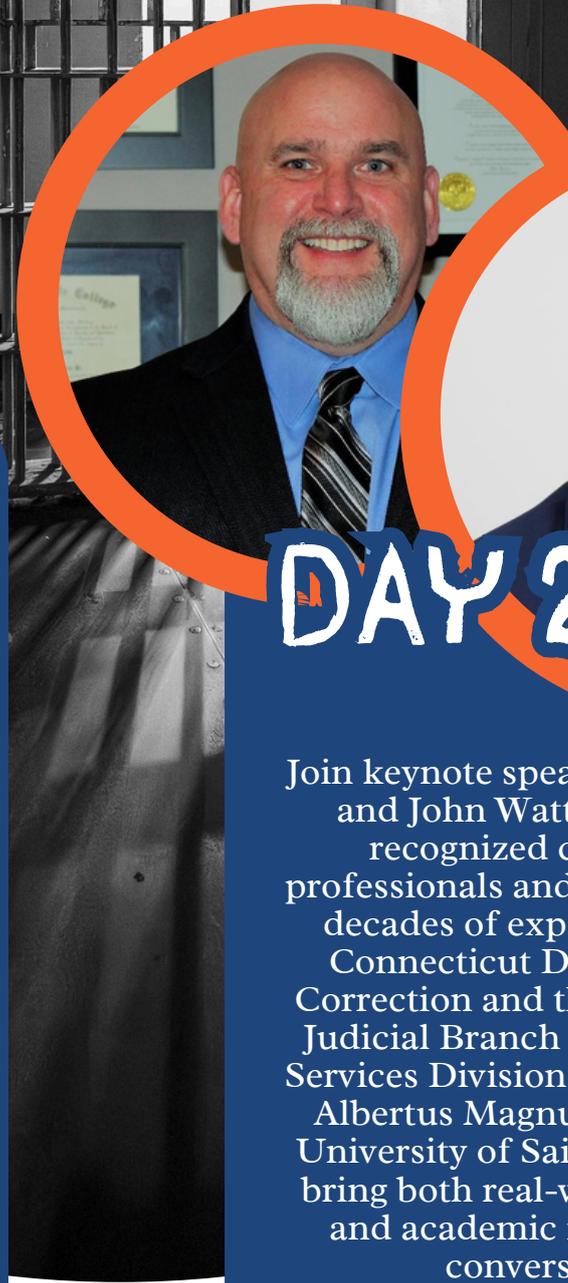


# DAY 1



Michael Laidler is a leadership speaker and resilience strategist with 20+ years of frontline experience in high-pressure roles across law enforcement and federal leadership.

Through his Failure F.U.E.L.S. Growth™ framework, he equips organizations to reframe setbacks, strengthen team culture and lead decisively in uncertainty. Michael has empowered audiences worldwide—from Fortune 500 companies to government agencies and mission-driven organizations—to turn pressure into performance and internal battles into breakthroughs.



# DAY 2



Join keynote speakers Jay Lawrie and John Watts, nationally recognized corrections professionals and educators with decades of experience in the Connecticut Department of Correction and the Connecticut Judicial Branch Court Support Services Division. Now faculty at Albertus Magnus College and University of Saint Joseph, they bring both real-world expertise and academic insight to the conversation.

# DAY 3

Jane Doe  
*No More*

Jane Doe No More is a national 501(c)(3) nonprofit founded in 2007. Our mission is to empower survivors of sexual crimes to find their voice, advance their healing, and educate others.

The organization was founded by Donna Palomba, whose lived experience as a survivor of sexual assault and the revictimization she faced when reporting the crime exposed critical gaps in how survivors are treated and believed. Her experience helped catalyze meaningful legislative change in Connecticut, including the removal of the statute of limitations for sexual crimes involving DNA evidence.

