



## Leah Daughtry

### Topics

Activism and Social Justice, Business and Management, Culture and Society, Diversity and Inclusion, Politics and Pundits, Women's Interests

### Travels From

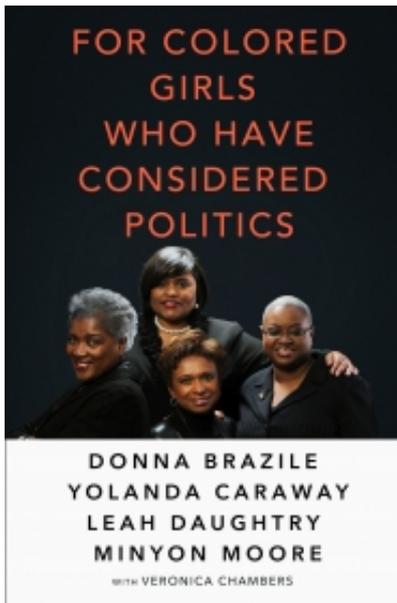
District of Columbia

### Bio

Leah Daughtry is a multi-faceted leader with expertise in problem solving. Her hard work and determination have led her to thrive in strategic and event planning, project management, community engagement, and internal and external communication strategies. Leah Daughtry's proficiency has led her to take on the role of president and CEO of a boutique strategic planning firm, On These Things, LLC. Through this company, Leah has built an outstanding reputation for transforming businesses and organizations into well-run entities for global impact. After graduating from Dartmouth College and earning her bachelor's degree in government, Leah began her political career on Capitol Hill. Soon to follow, Leah started with the Democratic National Committee (DNC) where she pursued a position at the Labor Department when she became the U.S. Secretary of Labor. In 2008 and 2016, Leah served as the Chief Executive Officer of the DNC. She is the first person in Democratic Party history to hold this position twice. Named one of the 12 most influential Democrats in the nation on faith and values politics by Religion News Service, Leah also works with Faith in Action, the Democratic party's outreach program to communities of faith. In 2002, she graduated from Wesley Theological Seminary, becoming an ordained minister. Leah currently serves as pastor of the House of the Lord Church in Washington, D.C. Further, Leah served as Resident Fellow at Harvard University's Institute of Politics where she focused on the role faith and values play in American politics. Leah sits on the Executive Committee of the National Council of Negro Women. From pulpits to public forums to political

platforms, in her own way, Leah Daughtry is an alchemist. An electrifying speaker full of power and charisma, she travels the world transforming corporate teams, congregations, and communities for the better. Beyond her amazing career, she's also a loving aunt, dedicated mentor, and avid shoe lover.

## BOOKS



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