International Forgiveness Institute Founding Board Member Profile

Dr. Roy T. Lloyd



Roy T. Lloyd is a passionate communications professional whose diverse career includes more than 42-years as an on-air radio commentator who conducted in-depth interviews with prominent political and governmental leaders from around the world.

Dr. Lloyd hosted a talk program three times per week for 1010 WINS (an allnews AM/FM radio station covering New York and surrounding states) from 1975 to 2017. During that time, he was the creator, producer, and interviewer of notable leaders including President Bill Clinton, Mother Teresa, Soviet dissident Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn, Filipino President Maria Corazon Aquino, South African President Nelson Mandela, and many others.

Following 6 years as Communications Director with the Council of Churches of the City of New York, Dr. Lloyd spent 8 years as Broadcast News Director with the National Council of the Churches of Christ in the USA (New York), 10 years as Communications Director/Crisis Manager at the American Bible Society (New York), and 14 years as a communications/strategic planning consultant for firms in New York, Vermont, and Missouri.

Not only was Dr. Lloyd a Founding Board Member of the International Forgiveness Institute (IFI) but he has continuously served as Board President since its founding in 1994. He has represented the IFI in a variety of capacities including as an on-air forgiveness expert during Archbishop Desmond Tutu's series of appearances on national television stations and as the media officer for the Rev. Jesse Jackson's 1999 mission to Yugoslavia that resulted in the release of three captive Americans.

Dr. Lloyd's many professional awards include a *Gold Award* from the New York International Film and TV Festival, a *Videographer's Gold Award of Excellence*, and the *International Peace and Justice Award* from the Rainbow PUSH Coalition.