

## AN INSIDE LOOK AT THE UNCONSCIOUS MINDS RUNNING BOTH, THE REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTIONS

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Last week I profiled five Republicans who spoke at the convention. This week it will be the candidates for the office of president, vice president and other political figures in their conventions. They will be analyzed, and evaluated regarding their conscious and unconscious motivations based on their Goodfield Personality Types and subsequent predictable behavior.

As much as is humanly possible this evaluation will be unbiased and will strictly adhere to the observable psychological dynamics presented by the top officials in both parties.

## The Democratic National Convention Philadelphia, July 25 - 28, 2016 Part 5

## Hillary Clinton

Hillary Diane Rodham Clinton's father, was of Welsh and English descent; he managed a successful small business in the textile industry. Her mother, was a homemaker of English, Scottish, French, and Welsh descent. She has 2 brothers and was raised a Methodist. Raised in a politically conservative household, Rodham's early political development was shaped most by her high school history teacher (like her father, a fervent anticommunist who introduced her to Goldwater's The Conscience of a Conservative), and by her Methodist youth minister (like her mother, concerned with issues of social justice and with whom she met civil rights leader Martin Luther KingJr., Chicago in 1962).

Hillary Rodham was the first student commencement speaker at Wellesley College in 1969, and she earned a JD from Yale Law School in 1973. In 1974 she was a member of the impeachment inquiry staff in Washington, DC, advising the House Committee on the Judiciary during the Watergate scandal. Rodham helped research procedures of impeachment and the historical grounds and standards for impeachment. The committee's work culminated in

the resignation of President Richard Nixon in August 1974. By then, Rodham was viewed as someone with a bright political future — she had the potential to become a future senator or US President.

In 1975 she married Bill Clinton. She co-founded Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families in 1977. She became the first female chair of the Legal Services Corporation 1978 and the first female full partner at Rose Law Firm in 1979.

From 1983 until 1992, Hillary Clinton was the First Lady of Arkansas. From 1993 until 2001, she was First Lady of the United States. Her major initiative, the Clinton health care plan of 1993, failed to gain approval from the US Congress. Her years as First Lady drew a polarized response from the American public. The only First Lady to have been subpoenaed, she testified before a federal grand jury in 1996 regarding the Whitewater controversy, but was never charged with wrongdoing in this or several other investigations during her husband's presidency.

Her marriage to the President was subjected to considerable public discussion following the Lewinsky scandal of 1998. Clinton was elected in 2000 as the first female senator from the state; she is the only First Lady ever to have run for public office. Following the September 11th attacks, she supported military action in Afghanistan and the Iraq Resolution, but subsequently objected to the George W. Bush administration's conduct of the Iraq War. She opposed most of Bush's domestic policies. Clinton was reelected to the Senate in 2006. Running in the Democratic primaries in the 2008 presidential election, Clinton's campaign won far more primaries and delegates than any other female candidate in American history, but she narrowly lost the nomination to Barack Obama.

As Secretary of State in the Obama administration from January 2009 to February 2013, Clinton was at the forefront of the US response to the Arab Spring and advocated the US military intervention in Libya. She took responsibility for security lapses related to the 2012 Benghazi attack, which resulted in the deaths of American consulate personnel, but defended her personal actions in regard to the matter. Clinton gave testimony to two congressional foreign affairs committees on January 23, 2013, she said she had had no direct role in specific discussions beforehand regarding consulate security. Clinton visited more countries than any other Secretary of State. Leaving office at the end of Obama's first term, analysts commented that Clinton's tenure did not bring any signature diplomatic breakthroughs as some other Secretaries of State had, and highlighted her focus on goals that she thought were less tangible but would have more lasting effect.

When Clinton left the State Department she became a private citizen for the first time in thirty years. She and her daughter joined her husband as named members of the Bill, Hillary & Chelsea Clinton Foundation in 2013 till April 2015. She authored her fifth book and undertook speaking engagements. She received \$200,000–225,000 per speaking engagement, often appearing before Wall Street firms or at business conventions. She also made some unpaid speeches on behalf of the foundation. For the fifteen months ending in March 2015, Clinton earned over \$11 million from her speeches. For the overall period 2007–14, the Clintons earned almost \$141 million, paid some \$56 million in federal and state taxes, and donated about \$15 million to charity. As of 2015, she was estimated to be worth over \$30 million on her own, or \$45–53 million with her husband.

In March 2015 the email controversy arose. Clinton had exclusively used personal email accounts on a non-government, privately maintained server—in lieu of email accounts maintained on federal government servers—when conducting official business during her tenure as Secretary of State. Some experts, officials, members of Congress, and political opponents, contended that her use of private messaging system software and a private server violated State Department protocols and procedures, and federal laws and regulations governing record keeping requirements. Clinton revealed she had deleted about half her emails from her years as secretary of state, saying she had turned over to the Obama administration all correspondence about government business but had erased records of communications about private matters, like yoga routines, her daughter's wedding and her mother's funeral.

April 12, 2015, she announced her second run for the Democratic nomination in the 2016 presidential election.

On July 5, 2016, the FBI concluded its investigation into her e-mails. Among the findings reported by FBI director James Comey were that Clinton both sent and received 110 emails that were classified at the time as "Top Secret/Special Access Program level" including a "small number" that contained classified markings, though they were not properly marked as such. They found that Clinton used her personal email extensively while outside the United States, both sending and receiving work-related emails in the territory of sophisticated adversaries. The FBI assessed that it "is possible that hostile actors gained access to Secretary Clinton's personal email account." Comey stated that although Clinton was "extremely careless in their handling of very sensitive, highly classified information," the FBI was expressing to the Justice Department that "no charges are appropriate in this case." On July 6, 2016, US Attorney General Loretta Lynch confirmed that the investigation into Hillary

Clinton's use of private email servers while secretary of state will be closed without criminal charges.

July 22, 2016, she announced Tim Kaine as her running mate.

In my book *Are They Crazy?* (2015) I profiled Hillary Clinton and also in an interview in The Netherlands <a href="https://goo.gl/C9nDLU">https://goo.gl/C9nDLU</a>. Down below is an excerpt



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# **Goodfield Personality Type 2.3 The Pouncer**

Move over the first woman is coming through

## **First Impression**

Strong and powerful Very bright Focused Street smart Worldly Charming

## Five reasons why this person is The Pouncer Type 2.3

- 1. Shock showing in eyes
- 2. Shifting of jaws
- 3. Tight top lip
- 4. Eyebrows pulled together (furrowed)
- 5. Block in throat



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#### PERSONALITY CHARACTERISTICS

This Goodfield Personality Type has the following characterization:

- A powerful person when it comes to facts, data and people
- A critical player in major decision-making situations
- Privately admits to feeling living life behind a glass wall
- Able to see but limited in his ability to be a full participant
- Often found at the center of policy decisions
- Often found at center of the fray when action is required
- Knows what is necessary to obtain objectives
- A keen observer and insightful about dynamics of situations

- When the time is "right," will not hesitate to speak up
- Will notice quickly those who agree and those who don't
- Can choose to be the center of attention showing power
- Has skills and outstanding organizational abilities

# COMMENTARY BASED ON PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS AND PSYCHOLOGICAL OBSERVATION

Former Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton is likely one of the brightest people running for the presidency in 2016, (with the possible exception being Dr. Carson). She is certainly one with more political baggage than anybody else. Clinton is strong, powerful, driven and focused regarding her objectives. She is well-educated, street-smart and worldly. She has had personal contact with most world leaders with whom she would have to work if elected. Many see her endorsement by the Democratic party as a foregone conclusion, a thought that curls the toes in the boots of many Republicans.

She is often found at the center of the fray when action is required on a national or international level.

Clinton is a relentless fighter for her objectives; moreover, she is quite experienced at managing a crisis. She skillfully watches a crisis unfold and then takes action. To the chagrin of many, she will present her thoughts and solutions whether they are wanted or not.

When Clinton sets her mind to something, she will devote her full energy to achieve her objectives. Her years of experience on the international scene and her difficulties in her domestic life with husband Bill have shown what strengths and weaknesses she has. Her lifestyle and name recognition make any cause a potential cause célèbre for former Secretary of State Clinton.

The good and bad news is basically the same, if Clinton believes in you or your cause, she will dogmatically fight for what she believes. Although she has superior intelligence, her tactics are often rigid and miss the nuances expressed in divergent opinions.

She is a pressured person. When she feels anger she may show it, or she may repress the impulse and wait for another time and place. This behavior is a partial explanation of the use of Calculated Emotional Response (CER). The other explanation for the use of CER is her distrust and reluctance to act impulsively, lest she derail her course of action in reaching her objective. What is sure is that she will neither forgive nor forget.

Clinton presents a strong well-developed knowledgeable image often seen as confident, sometimes too confident. She may be perceived as arrogant and sometimes aloof. Clinton can be orally cutting and witty in her expression of her basic aggressive impulses. Like an Abrams tank, she has a tough exterior. When combat is necessary, she battens down the hatches and tunes out conflicting noise and feedback around her. This tactic could win a battle but lose the war.

Former Secretary of State Clinton is without doubt one of the most qualified persons to seek the White House in this election cycle. She is, however, quite a polarizing personality. Her pragmatic attitude and liberal philosophy, as it is with many candidates, allows a kind of myopathy that propels her forward, regardless of the negative response she received in the media.

To the extent that she was a confidant of President Bill Clinton, and perhaps even a "kingmaker," the prospect of a sitting and former president under one roof is either an exciting or horrifying prospect, depending on one's political persuasions.

For America it is an interesting time in history — one that some feel we might not survive.

## Hillary Clinton and the Democratic National Convention participation

The division that is so apparent at the Democratic National Convention is between two different philosophical positions about the direction of the democrats party for the next four years.

Hillary Clinton's platform has been modified by Bernie Sanders, of this there is no doubt. Whether it can be made palatable and even workable it will become the product upgrade talks, and even more sophisticated negotiations.

Hillary Clinton is more open to negotiation, especially in the position in which she finds herself as the designated democratic candidate for the presidency. Her outstanding skills in this area will be put to the test as she attempts to replace recalcitrant resistance with unity and goodwill.

If anyone can create this reality or at least the illusion of reality, it is Hillary Clinton who has dealt with many more public and private challenges in her years of political existence and marriage to Bill Clinton. Of course the real test is in November when unity boils down to one person in a voting booth casting a vote.

An election predicated on the position that "I'm the best choice of two poor choices" is not what our founding fathers had in mind, of this I'm sure.

Regardless of how people feel about Hillary Clinton or Donald Trump only a fool would count either of these strong, controversial contenders out.

Tuesday nights touching endorsement, and stroll through the years of courtship and marriage by Bill Clinton was a moving reflection on a successful marriage. Unfortunately, his infidelity from the beginning cast a shadow on the fairytale life of this power couple. What we believe in what we want to remember is always the test of memory, and how it is packaged and presented.

Let no one doubt, this is as strong an alliance as has existed in the White House in days of old. The "grand alliance" between Roosevelt and Churchill pales to insignificance when one considers the possible impact of an unofficial duel presidency.

A historical event for sure, to have the first female president in the White House, if she is elected, but in the long run it may be overshadowed by the work that will be done by a sitting and former President of United States.



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