



## **Taryn Fletcher, Ed.D**

Dr. Taryn Fletcher is a school and business strategist, bestselling author, and master life and leadership coach. Her mission is to help change-makers pivot and evolve to their next chapter so that they have a greater and more equitable impact on the world. Taryn has reached millions of readers and viewers through national publications and media—like *The 74*, *Smart Brief*, and *The Hechinger Report*—where she's helped audiences solve complex problems by candidly sharing her own failures and successes. Today, she strategizes for schools and businesses in the metaverse! As a former New Jersey superintendent, founding charter school principal, and regional workforce development executive director, Taryn has been designing programs that value historically excluded communities and their lived experiences for the last two decades. While earning her doctorate in Educational Leadership and Innovation, Taryn's dissertation research and strategy influenced the complete revamp of an entire course offering within the university. As a little girl, she was known throughout her neighborhood for starting clubs so that everyone could feel like they had a place to belong. Not much has changed! Besides helping create community and consciousness everywhere she goes, she can be found curled up in the corner of her couch with a good book right before the sun rises.