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This book is useful for B.Com., M.Com., and MBA students of all Indian Universities. Presentation of various aspects of entrepreneurship is the most salient features of this book. Clarity of all topics has been given throughout. Description of the most difficult topics, in a simple and easy to follow style, has been the authors main attempt. At the end of the each chapter Assessment Questions are included in this book. Glossary, Bibliography, Author Index, Subject Index and Abbreviations are incorporated at the end of the book. Getting back to the business basics no degree required **The Meat and Potatoes Guide to Business Survival** is the hands-on, entrepreneurial roadmap to achieving your business dreams - regardless of your educational background. Author, business owner, and 40-year entrepreneur Ed Basler serves up a healthy helping of sound business principles and practices to start a new business or to jumpstart a current one. Through failure and success, economic upturns and downturns, Ed shows you how to be profitable using dedication, wisdom, and hard work instead of degrees and book theories. Inside these pages you'll learn to: Develop a clear vision Find and incorporate good ideas to improve hiring and quality Run a lean, money-efficient operation Get more efficient using checklists and deadlines Improve customer service to generate referrals Avoid small business landmines The first and only guide to a subject of vital interest to every entrepreneur Written by an author team that brings together the expertise of two leading Wharton academics and an entrepreneurial superstar, **Entrepreneurial Marketing** arms entrepreneurs with cutting-edge marketing approaches-including the latest Web-based segmentation and positioning techniques-that will provide their new ventures with solid foundations on which to build, grow, and thrive. The first book devoted exclusively to marketing strategies for new entrepreneurial ventures Covers cutting-edge strategies for finding, exploiting, and even creating powerful niche marketing opportunities for new ventures on the Internet The business titans and #1 New York Times and Wall Street Journal bestselling authors of **Winning** return with a modern, essential guide for everyone in business today—and tomorrow—that explores the most pressing challenges related to creating winning strategies, leading and managing others, and building a thriving career. In the decade since their blockbuster international bestseller **Winning** was published, Jack and Suzy Welch have dug deeper into business, traveling the world consulting to organizations of every size and in every industry, speaking before hundreds of audiences, working closely with entrepreneurs from Mumbai to Silicon Valley, and, in 2010, starting their own fully accredited online MBA program, which now has approximately 1,000 students enrolled. Over the same time frame, Jack has advised more than seventy-five companies through private equity, and dozens more in a senior advisory role at IAC. Now, Jack and Suzy Welch draw on their experiences to address the biggest problems facing modern management—and offer pragmatic solutions to overcome them. Going beyond theories, concepts, and ideologies, they tackle the real stuff of work today. When you get down to it, they argue, winning in business is all about mastering the gritty, inescapable, make-or-break, real-life dilemmas that define the new economy, the old economy, and everything in between. Work is a grind. We just got whacked. My boss is driving me nuts. I'm stuck in career purgatory. My team has lost its mojo. IT is holding us hostage. Our strategy is outdated the day we launch it. We don't know what our Chinese partners are talking about. We're just not growing. These are some of the day-to-day issues the Welches take on. Coupled with Jack's years of iconic leadership and Suzy's insights as former editor of the *Harvard Business Review*, their new database of knowledge infuses **The Real Life MBA** with fresh, relevant stories and equally powerful solutions that every manager at any level can use right now. Clint Arthur inspires and educates Entrepreneurs around the world so that they can live lives filled with Freedom, Power, and Adventure... Freedom to run your life and your business any way you want... Freedom to make your own hours... Freedom to deal with only the people you want... Freedom to produce and sell only the products or services that excite you... Freedom to fulfill a career vision you once thought possible only in your dreams... Power to make things happen in your personal and professional life... Power to be effective... Power to get things done... Power to change what you want to change... Power to be the man or woman you've always wanted to be... Waking up every day with the thrills that only come to those who live with a true sense of Adventure... Adventure in your personal life... Adventure in your business & career... Adventure in discovering your true potential as a leader... Adventure in discovering who you really are as an Entrepreneur and a Human Being... Donald Trump, Warren Buffet, and Clint Arthur are some of the most recognizable business leaders to emerge from the Wharton Business School. Clint Arthur's emphasis on personal responsibility has propelled his 11-year entrepreneurial career to leadership of his industry niche, with clients including Ritz-Carlton, JW Marriott, Four Seasons, Starwood Resorts, MGM-Mirage Corporation, and Trump International Hotels. ***** "Congratulations! You're Have Been Selected..." That's the way the letter from the Dean of Admissions starts out when they send you that gorgeous fat envelope in the mail letting you know that your dream has come true -- they want you. I'll never forget how my heart was pounding as I pulled that bulging cream-colored packet out of my mailbox and ripped it open. It was the culmination of years of focussed hard work and dedication to my vision of attending the world famous Wharton Business School. I started preparing to go to Wharton when I was just 14 years old. Three and a half years later I had the GPA, SAT scores, Achievement Tests, AP Classes, Extracurriculars, Letters of Recommendation, and everything else it takes to claim a spot among the most elite students in the world. Luckily for you my friend, with this book, I'm giving you instant admission to those hallowed halls -- and best of all, I'll be there every step of the way as your personal tour guide,

so you can cut out all the fluff, and focus only on the most important stuff. Now you're probably a bit skeptical. That's normal and healthy. 4

Reasons To Believe What I Say: I'm an actual graduate of the Wharton Business School, and I earned my spot in the class of '87 on my own. Nobody in my family had ever gone to an Ivy League university before, my dad's name was not on any of the buildings, and I did not know anybody who had ever donated any money to the school. I not only made it all the way through to graduate and get my sheep skin, but I was a top student at Wharton, earning a 4.0 GPA in my Entrepreneurial Management major. After I graduated, my favorite and sharpest professor brought me on as his Teaching Associate for the MBA Business Planning class. When it came to handing out the marks, at 21 years of age, I was the one putting big red A's B's and C's on the MBA business plans! I've used the secrets you will learn in this book to succeed as an entrepreneur since 1999, and today I'm the President and sole owner of the Five Star Butter Co., a top supplier for many of America's finest restaurants, hotels, and resorts. Wharton's lessons and wisdom enable me to compete and thrive in today's tough economy, and my sincere desire is to help you achieve your life dreams and business goals too. One of Wharton's biggest lessons was that it's more than just about business. The great people and leaders who come out of Wharton live rich 3-dimensional lives. And I hope that I can help you do that too.

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Sourced from over twenty years of firsthand experience working with entrepreneurs, new ventures, and high-growth startups, author Ken Colwell, PHD, MBA has the answers. In his comprehensive Starting a Business QuickStart Guide, Ken Colwell concisely presents the core fundamentals that all new entrepreneurs need to know to get started, find success, and live the life of their dreams. Business and entrepreneurship students, small business owners, managers, and soon-to-be entrepreneurs will all find a wealth of value within the pages of the Starting a Business QuickStart Guide. From the very first steps conceptualizing your venture to winning your first customers, delivering value, and turning a profit, this book acts as an invaluable blueprint for your path to entrepreneurial success. Colwell's clear voice, extensive experience, and easy-to-understand presentation come together to make this book a must-have resource in the library of every budding entrepreneur! Starting a Business QuickStart Guide is Perfect For: - Would-Be Entrepreneurs With a Ton of Passion! - Entrepreneurial Students of All Ages! - Beginners with Zero Prior Experience! - Managers, Business Owners, and Decisions Makers Growing into a New Role! 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Business schools have long enticed students into their MBA programs with the promise that, after a short stint spent studying the ins and outs of the business world, they will be able to step right into the upper echelons of management or launch a business that soon has them flitting about the world in a private jet. "Sounds great," you say. "Sign me up!" Not so fast. Sure, business school might prove a necessary prerequisite for those aiming to gain employment at a large financial institution, land a job with a consultancy, or accelerate their journey to managerial superstardom at a Fortune 500 company. But for aspiring entrepreneurs and established business owners alike, the truth of the matter is this: The ability to get a business off the ground and running successfully is not the byproduct of toiling away in a classroom, learning esoteric subjects like the economics of competition. Rather, all it takes to start and run a truly successful business are a few sensible, time-proven techniques that have been needlessly forgotten in business innovators' haste to reinvent the wheel. That's why, in *The Street Smart MBA*, Steve Babitsky and James J. Mangraviti, Jr., encourage you to ditch class—or, better yet, ditch b-school altogether—and go back to the business basics with a series of ten simple steps that will do more for your company than the letters M, B, and A ever will. There are no forays into game theory in *The Street Smart MBA*, no parables, and no intellectualizing. Instead what you will find is a practical, easy-to-understand, step-by-step business strategy guide that encourages you to revive a handful of basic yet essential practices that many business owners have lost sight of, such as: Building a brand that is so synonymous with quality that you'll be able to maximize your company's profits in no time; Turning your company's products and services into profits by finding your company a niche, working with deadlines, and honoring your company's image above all else; Dealing with customer complaints head-on so that you can turn gripes into opportunities; Doing favors, mentoring, and sending gifts, in order to grow your business network; And much more. With its emphasis on ten simple yet time-honored principles that lead to business success, *The Street Smart MBA* is all the business education that entrepreneurs with great ideas and business owners with the drive to succeed will ever need. "A must read for every aspiring entrepreneur. A clear guide to effective and realistic selling for those with a "big idea" who wish to achieve success for their products and to avoid costly and ineffective pitfalls in their quest. The framework balances entrepreneurs' creativity with a foundation of solid business principles." --Jim McCann, Founder, 1-800-FLOWERS

Whether you are an employee, a manager, an entrepreneur or a CEO, *The Sustainable MBA Second Edition* provides the knowledge and tools to help you 'green' your job and organization, to turn sustainability talk into action for the benefit of your bottom line and society as a whole. Based on more than 150 interviews with experts in business, international organizations, NGOs and universities from around the world, this book brings together all the pieces of the business and sustainability puzzle including: What sustainability is, why you should be interested, how to get started, and what a sustainable organization looks like. A wide range of tools, guidelines, techniques and concepts that you can use to implement sustainability practices. Information on how to be a sustainability champion or intrapreneur in your organization including how to sell these ideas to your team and how to incorporate them into any job. A survey of the exciting trends in sustainable business happening around the world. A wealth of links to interesting resources for more information. *The Sustainable MBA Second Edition* is organized like a business school course, allowing you easy access to the relevant information you need about sustainability as it relates to Accounting, Economics, Entrepreneurship, Ethics, Finance, Marketing, Organizational Behavior and HR, Operations and Strategy. *The Sustainable MBA Second Edition* has been updated to reflect global developments in this evolving field to remain the definitive guide to sustainable business. Additional resources to accompany the book are available at www.thesustainablemba.com. Corporate innovation and entrepreneurship are more important than ever to create and sustain growth opportunities. This book deals with the challenge of how to speed up innovation and entrepreneurial initiatives to sustain corporate growth, by focusing on developing the necessary leadership competencies. If you work in a business, a nonprofit organization, or for the government, chances are you've considered getting a

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Is your business number one? **HARD KNOCKS MBA CAN HELP...** "The proven sales and marketing techniques presented by David Miller in this book will be extremely helpful for both new entrepreneurs or those seeking exciting new growth in their business." Ron Hoffman, Former Fortune 500 CEO, Dover Corporation **Your Complete Source For Surviving Entrepreneurship** In **Hard Knocks MBA**, author David W. Miller II presents a fascinating and compelling true story of his rise from a single-parent up bringing in a duplex on the other side of town to being worth millions and then losing it all at the tender age of 40. Miller shares the things that made him RICH, the things that made him BANKRUPT, and the LESSONS learned along the way. This book is his real-world MBA. Learn from his advice and prosper. www.hardknocksmba.org **THE ULTIMATE BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO STARTING A BUSINESS!** The most comprehensive guide ever developed for starting and growing a business! 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You also receive lifetime access to our online coaching community to help you achieve all of your financial goals! *** Offers a guide to entrepreneurship from recognizing market opportunities to legal and tax issues. A totally revised new edition of the bestselling guide to business school basics** The bestselling book that invented the "MBA in a book" category, **The Portable MBA Fifth Edition** is a reliable and information-packed guide to the business school curriculum and experience. For years, professionals who need MBA-level information and insight-but don't need the hassle of business school-have turned to the **Portable MBA** series for the very best, most up-to-date coverage of the business basics. This new revised and expanded edition continues that long tradition with practical, real-world business insight from faculty members from the prestigious Darden School at the University of Virginia. With 50 percent new material, including new chapters on such topics as emerging economies, enterprise risk management, consumer behavior, managing teams, and up-to-date career advice, this is the best **Portable MBA** ever. Covers all the core topics you'd learn in business school, including finance, accounting, marketing, economics, ethics, operations management, management and leadership, and strategy. Every chapter is totally updated and seven new chapters have been added on vital business topics **Includes case studies and interactive web-based examples** Whether you own your own small business or work in a major corporate office, **The Portable MBA** gives you the comprehensive information and rich understanding of the business world that you need. **Learn How to Build a 6 or 7 Figure Business Working Less Than 3 Days a Week...** What would you do if you could make more money in your business, but only work 3 days a week? This book teaches you everything you need to know about how to build a 6 or 7 figure business, but still have plenty of time to take care of the important things in your life... Things like your family, your kids, and your health... It will also teach you how to free yourself to take advantage of more opportunities, like starting a new business, or building your wealth... In this life-changing book, you'll hear stories from successful entrepreneurs that have decided to not only build successful businesses, but have made the time to enjoy their lifestyle, by working less. You'll also get a step-by-step guide to help you experience the rewards of living the 3 Day Entrepreneur Lifestyle for yourself. In this book you'll learn: The 4 most important principles, that if you follow them, will double, even triple your income. 6 powerful tools that will quickly grow your income to 6, or 7 figures. How to shave off 2 - 3 days off your work schedule, yet produce 3 times as many results. How to charge the highest prices and have customers thank you for it. 10 ways to automate your marketing and get customers while you sleep. A powerful step-by-step plan to take your life and business to the next level of success **How to create a 4 - 5 day weekend lifestyle, and enjoy every minute of it. Get Your Copy Today!** Why not start your own business? You don't need an expensive MBA to succeed as a small business owner. Whether you are beginning a new career, or working out of your home to earn extra income, this book offers sound advice, encouragement, and practical business plans. Presents an assessment of early influences on the career choice of managers and entrepreneurs, their attitudes at the start of their careers as students, and in their later employment experiences. This book also examines the influence of an MBA education on the later work and life experiences of managers and entrepreneurs. 1. According to the Latest Syllabus of Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Technical University, Lucknow (U.P.) 2. Important Multiple Choice Questions 3. Including Fill in the blanks 4. Unit wise MCQs "In this book you will learn how to get a meeting with anyone. You will learn how to take your career to the next level. You will learn how to reinvent yourself in ways that you never thought was possible! Chris Haroun has had the opportunity in his career to meet with the top CEOs, entrepreneurs and investors in the world, including Warren Buffett, Bill Gates, Marc Benioff and the CEOs of most large technology companies. This book is an amalgamation of business advice that Chris has compiled from his many meetings with successful business people over the past two decades as well as observations of why brilliant entrepreneurs like Steve Jobs or Mack Zuckerberg have become incredibly successful"--Amazon.com website. This is a very brief overview of

what a business plan needs to include in order to be presentable. If a business is what you have and a business is what you want to develop, this is a very helpful tool. You are 16, going on 17. Steve Jobs was all of sixteen when he met Stephen Wozniak. What resulted was Apple. When Sergey Brin and Larry Page met at Stanford, they were in their early twenties. They were soon to start Google. Today's teenagers are our smartest generation yet. They are tomorrow's entrepreneurs, investors, managers, policy makers, watchdogs and of course, consumers. But do you know what the corporate and business world is all about? How do businesses touch everyone's lives? What really makes an entrepreneur tick? How does the engine of a company run? Who is a social entrepreneur? And why do we need the world of business—is business good or bad for us? If you are curious, come join Subroto Bagchi and a group of smart teenagers on their exciting voyage of discovery, and in the process, get yourself a teen MBA! In today's ever-changing and highly competitive business environment, entrepreneurs, executives, managers and leaders need to be well-rounded and effectively lead their business and organizations. The academic or case-based pedagogical approaches in MBA schools are inadequate for work experience, career, business and real life skills. MBA Express provides practical and approachable business methodologies. This book is a fast track blend of academic knowledge and practical insights into a broader understanding of the business world and provide insights into the major areas of business performance. Become an all-round entrepreneur, leader, manager with MBA Express. From spotting the right opportunity and getting the right financing to differentiating your product or service, and from the development of proper pricing and targeting programs through strategies for reaching out to customers to create and sustain profitable relationships, a wide range of essential topics and concerns are covered."--BOOK JACKET. The same critical information top business schools teach Based on Professor Stralser's popular seminar series, MBA in a Day? is specifically designed for the busy professional (physician, attorney, architect, nonprofit executive, etc.) or entrepreneur/small business owner, who needs to know about the "business-side" of their practice, organization or business. With comprehensive coverage of vital business topics, important concepts and proven strategies taught at top graduate schools, this handy book offers a complete business education without the hassle of enrolling in an MBA program. Divided into four sections covering management and policy; economics, finance, and accounting; marketing; and systems and processes; this straightforward guide is easy to navigate and simple to use. Packed with illustrative examples, helpful anecdotes, and real-world case studies, this commonsense guide covers everything busy professionals would learn at the very best business schools-if they only had the time. Steven Stralser, PhD (Phoenix, AZ), is Clinical Professor and Managing Director, The Global Entrepreneurship Center at Thunderbird: The American Graduate School of International Management and founder and CEO of The Center for Professional Development, Inc., an organization dedicated to post-graduate training and education of today's professionals. The crucial link between theory and practice In The Portable MBA in Entrepreneurship Case Studies you'll meet people who have used the business theories and practices presented in The Portable MBA in Entrepreneurship to start and run their own entrepreneurial ventures. You'll get a real sense of what it takes to conceive, develop, finance, and operate a business, and how particular elements, such as business plans and financial forecasts, function in the real world. These case studies cover a broad variety of service and product industries: retail, wholesale, mail order, and Internet. You'll discover the trials and rewards of starting a travel agency, launching a new glass-cleaning product, setting up a fashion Web site, and selling women's hosiery through direct mail. Other studies cover ventures in the computer industry, the restaurant business, automobile service franchising, and business consulting. Each case study is illustrated with exhibits -- financial statements, business plans, sample contracts, and more -- and many are supplemented with end-of-chapter questions that help you analyze the viability of each entrepreneurial venture and test your ability to respond to the challenges you'll face in pursuit of your own entrepreneurial dreams. "While playing hooky from a conference in Boston a few years back, three former colleagues from Northwestern's Kellogg School of Management hopped in a car and headed on a road trip. They pulled into a shoe store in Maine and noticed that the sales help was unusually pushy. After a few questions, they discovered the store had a "secret shopper" program, in which employees would be marked down if they were not sufficiently aggressive with customers. A lightbulb went off. Instead of teaching the tried-and-true case studies involving GE and Microsoft, these three wise men decided to pull their heads out of their ivory towers and go in search of insights about product differentiation, pricing, brand management, building a team, and a host of other topics. Why take your cues on employee compensation from Wall Street when you can learn from a Main Street company like Couer D'Alene's best crime-scene cleaner? Want to learn about scaling a business? Come meet Dr. Burris, the flying orthodontist, who operates multiple, profitable practices in rural Arkansas. The book isn't all egghead; the chapters are spiced with the type of vehicular mishaps and Maalox moments that are common on any road trip"-- One man's worldwide entrepreneurial adventure...and how to follow in his footsteps Part memoir, part practical guide for any budding entrepreneur, Chicken Lips, Wheeler-Dealer and the Beady-Eyed M.B.A. is the story of how one man abandoned a cushy publishing job in Manhattan to pursue his dream of working for himself. Spanning eleven years, the book tells the sometimes moving, sometimes funny, and always inspiring story of Frank Farwell, who rediscovered a forgotten product from China and cashed in on a readily defined American market niche. A fascinating look at the transitional years of modern China, the book is packed with helpful information for anyone keen to leave well-paid tedium for the Wild West of self-employment. As the interest in self-employment rises, Chicken Lips, Wheeler-Dealer, and the Beady-Eyed M.B.A. fills an important niche. Covering the successes and failures that mark the path of the committed entrepreneur, the book entertains and instructs using concrete, real-life examples that clearly illustrate the dos and don'ts of running your own business. A non-fiction look at the world of self-employment that uses a real-life story to illustrate successes and pitfalls Includes a "Lessons Learned" appendix that succinctly explain the most important takeaways for starting your own business A compelling insight into entrepreneurship that spans continents The story of a tenderfoot company and its neophyte boss who maneuvers his way in and out of trouble to ultimately build a business that is still thriving today, Chicken Lips, Wheeler-Dealer, and the Beady-Eyed M.B.A. is a fascinating, informative look at entrepreneurship in the twenty-first century. (Color copy) The Number One Business Book is for the beginner Entrepreneur, or the seasoned entrepreneur who needs to have a break through and move out. This is a MUST Read for anyone who has been thinking about being in your own business, or in your own business and feel like you are missing something. The Number One Business Book is the Entrepreneur's Secret to Success. This is a hands on straightforward (and fun) book that has proven, definitive ways to guarantee your success of becoming a true champion in all areas of life. The Number One Business Book would be an excellent tool for an Educator or Business Builder. It is a Manual not a Novel. By using this book you will be guaranteeing your success as an Entrepreneur. Over Thirty Years experience is in this book, designed to catapult you into success. Success comes in many shapes and forms. You define your success. You are in charge of your own destiny. It is Your Journey and you are the Master of your Life. My intent for writing this book is to be able to put my 30 years of experience in one, easy read book with a formula that anyone can use to achieve the success they want. It is designed to clear obstacles that keep you from living a satisfying life in both Business and Individual relationships. This book has also been designed for the individual to develop and achieve the most meaningful goals in their life and subsequently their business. My book is about how to identify and walk through challenges so you can live an outstanding successful life in both in your Business and Personal Relationships. If you are totally satisfied with your life so far on all levels; Spiritual, Mental, Physical, Personal and Business, than this book is NOT for you. If you believe there is still "room for improvement" than read on! This is the time for rediscovery. The book will help you to step inside and revisit that wonderful, special, loving, talented person that is You and really uncover your dreams and start living them. There is one important

ingredient before we start to build a tribe. We need to be clear about; who /what we are and what we want. Most people go through life and really don't know what they want, or more important, don't do what they want for fear of rejection, fear of approval, This book is not designed to be a "novel" but a workbook/ journal and hands on interaction. You will want to write in this book and you will reflect to it many times in the future. This will become "your manuscript for building your "transformational tribe" one member at a time...Are you willing to Create the Business of your Dreams and Move Forward? My personal vision is to help you become all that you were meant to be in the shortest amount of time that it will take. My years of experience, skills, challenges and mistakes (yes.. learn from my mistakes!) have compelled me to write this book, share this book and live this book. I have and continue to attend (1,000) of events, networking, seminars, etc. I see that most people are quick to attend an event and few follow through and move out of their comfort zone. If you truly desire to be successful than reach out to a qualified coach who will guarantee you the success you desire.If you are serious about wanted to improve yourself and break-thru your barriers then I know this book, the resources and exercises will help. BUT reading and doing are two different things. My life/career changed the moment I realized I needed outside help, whether personal or business, I have always been open to it. Please do your due diligence, before you invest in a coach. Ask for References and Referrals Do your research. Remember along your path if your are not making mistakes, you are not challenging yourself enough. Hopefully you don't have to relive my mistakes. I hope this book becomes a helpful resource. Please visit my website often as things change. I welcome the opportunity to meet and grow with you. This book will motivate you to be your very b

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Other topics covered include marketing, legal and tax issues, intellectual property issues, franchising, and harvesting your business. It includes new case studies and examples, with an emphasis on strengthening the chapters on business and financial planning and entry strategies. · The Entrepreneurial Process · Opportunity Recognition · Entrepreneurial Marketing · Writing a Business Plan · Building Your Pro Forma Financial Statements · Venture Capital · Debt and Other Forms of Financing · External Assistance for Startups and Small Businesses · Legal and Tax Issues · Intellectual Property · Franchising · Entrepreneurs and the Internet · Managing a Growing Business · Harvesting Your Venture: A Time for Capturing Value One of Canada's great entrepreneurs tells his personal story of overcoming poverty and exclusion to make a fortune the old-fashioned way: with chutzpah, hard work and a keen eye for opportunity. What does it take to become an entrepreneur? 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Northwestern's Kellogg School of Management hopped in a car and headed on a road trip. They pulled into a shoe store in Maine and noticed that the sales help was unusually pushy. After a few questions, they discovered the store had a "secret shopper" program, in which employees would be marked down if they were not sufficiently aggressive with customers. A lightbulb went off. Instead of teaching the tried-and-true case studies involving GE and Microsoft, these three wise men decided to pull their heads out of their ivory towers and go in search of insights about product differentiation, pricing, brand management, building a team, and a host of other topics. Why take your cues on employee compensation from Wall Street when you can learn from a Main Street company like Couer D'Alene's best crime-scene cleaner? Want to learn about scaling a business? Come meet Dr. Burris, the flying orthodontist, who operates multiple, profitable practices in rural Arkansas. The book isn't all egghead; the chapters are spiced with the type of vehicular mishaps and Maalox moments that are common on any road trip.

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