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THE ULTIMATE START-UP GUIDE Tom Hogan 2017-01-23 Most start-ups fail. And they die remarkably young: The typical start-up lasts 20 months and burns through \$1.3 million in financing before closing its doors. So what's the formula for success for those start-ups that make it through the early trials, leveraging their early success into either getting acquired or issuing an IPO (Initial Public Offering)? What are the lessons that first-time entrepreneurs and employees need to know to navigate their way to success? The Ultimate Start-Up Guide offers practical advice, insights, lessons, and best practices from the world of start-ups, including: strategies for hiring and building your team, culture, and values. How to pitch your company, secure funding, and distribute equity. Best practices in launching your business. How venture capitalist investors think, evaluate new companies, and advise entrepreneurs. War stories and red flags from top VC partners and entrepreneurs. Start-ups are a business model and culture of their own, changing the economic landscape as well as the way we live and work. The Ultimate Start-Up Guide offers an insider's look at this world. It's a fascinating read for anyone contemplating how to build or participate in a successful start-up.

Hot Commodities Jim Rogers 2014-10-17 The next bull market is here. It's not in stocks. It's not in bonds. It's in commodities - and some smart investors will be riding that bull to record returns in the next decade. Before Jim Rogers hit the road to write his best-selling books *Investment Biker* and *Adventure Capitalist*, he was one of the world's most successful investors. He co-founded the Quantum Fund and made so much money that he never needed to work again. Yet despite his success, Rogers has never written a book of practical investment advice - until now. In *Hot Commodities*, Rogers offers the low-down on the most

lucrative markets for today and tomorrow. In late 1998, gliding under the radar, a bull market in commodities began. Rogers thinks it's going to continue for at least fifteen years - and he's put his money where his mouth is: In 1998, he started his own commodities index fund. It's up 165% since then, with more than \$200 million invested, and it's the single-best performing index fund in the world in any asset class. Less risky than stocks and less sluggish than bonds, commodities are where the money is - and will be in the years ahead. Rogers's strategies are simple and straightforward. You can start small - a few thousand dollars will suffice. It's all about putting your money into stuff you understand, the basic materials of everyday life, like copper, sugar, cotton, corn, or crude oil. Once you recognize the cyclical and historical trading patterns outlined here, you'll be on your way. In language that is both colourful and accessible, Rogers explains why the world of commodity investing can be one of the simplest of all - and how commodities are the bases by which investors can value companies, markets, and whole economies. To be a truly great investor is to know something about commodities. For small investors and high rollers alike, *Hot Commodities* is as good as gold . . . or lead, or aluminium, which are some of the commodities Rogers says could be as rewarding for investors.

Circle of Greed Patrick Dillon 2010-03-02 Circle of Greed is the epic story of the rise and fall of Bill Lerach, once the leading class action lawyer in America and now a convicted felon. For more than two decades, Lerach threatened, shook down and sued top Fortune 500 companies, including Disney, Apple, Time Warner, and - most famously - Enron. Now, the man who brought corporate moguls to their knees has fallen prey to the same corrupt impulses of his enemies, and is paying the price by serving time in federal prison. If there was ever a modern Greek

TRAGEDY ABOUT A MAN AND HIS TIMES, ABOUT CORPORATE ARROGANCE AND ILLUSIONS AND THE SCORCHED-EARTH TACTICS TO NOT ONLY COUNTERACT CORPORATE AMERICA BUT TO BEAT IT AT ITS OWN GAME, BILL LERACH'S STORY IS IT.

FASCINATION AINSLEY ST CLAIRE 2019-09-20 IT STARTED WHEN MY BOYFRIEND WAS CAUGHT IN PUBLIC WITH A GIRLS LIPS ON HIS YOU KNOW WHAT. PEOPLE THINK MY LIFE IS EASY - THEY COULDN'T BE MORE WRONG. A GIRL CAN NEVER BE TOO THIN, TOO RICH, OR TOO FAMOUS. FROM EXPERIENCE I KNOW THAT'S CRAP. WELL, MAYBE NOT THE THIN PART. MEN DON'T SEE ME - THEY SEE MY NAME AND MY BANK BALANCE. DATING IS NEAR IMPOSSIBLE WITH THE PAPARAZZI FOLLOWING MY EVERYWHERE. ANY SANE MAN WOULD RUN FROM THAT. WHEN A COMPETITOR STEALS MY COMPANY'S ENTIRE FALL LINE, DOWN TO NAMES AND PACKAGING, I DAYDREAM OF TROPICAL ISLANDS FAR AWAY FROM THE MESS OF MY LIFE. HE BRINGS ME BACK. THERE WAS ONE MAN WHO SAW THE REAL ME. A MAN WHO WASN'T SWAYED BY THE MONEY AND WAS STRONG ENOUGH TO DEAL WITH THE CRAZINESS THAT SURROUNDED ME. BUT WE'D BEEN FRIENDS TOO LONG TO MOVE BEYOND THAT. BUT CAN I CONTROL MYSELF? I HAVE FEELINGS FOR HIM BUT OUR TIMING HAS ALWAYS BEEN OFF.

STREET SMARTS JIM ROGERS 2013 DRAWS ON THE AUTHOR'S PERSONAL EXPERIENCES TO OFFER INSIGHT INTO AND ADVICE ON THE FINANCIAL WORLD, DRAWING ON A BELIEF THAT SOUTHEAST ASIA AND CHINA ARE THE DOMINANT DRIVERS OF THE WORLD ECONOMY.

SECRETS OF SAND HILL ROAD SCOTT KUPOR 2019-06-04 A WALL STREET JOURNAL BESTSELLER! WHAT ARE VENTURE CAPITALISTS SAYING ABOUT YOUR STARTUP BEHIND CLOSED DOORS? AND WHAT CAN YOU DO TO INFLUENCE THAT CONVERSATION? IF SILICON VALLEY IS THE GREATEST WEALTH-GENERATING MACHINE IN THE WORLD, SAND HILL ROAD IS ITS HUMMING ENGINE. THAT'S WHERE YOU'LL FIND THE BIGGEST NAMES IN VENTURE CAPITAL, INCLUDING FAMED VC FIRM ANDREESSEN HOROWITZ, WHERE LAWYER-TURNED-ENTREPRENEUR-TURNED-VC SCOTT KUPOR SERVES AS MANAGING PARTNER. WHETHER YOU'RE TRYING TO GET A NEW COMPANY OFF THE GROUND OR SCALE AN EXISTING BUSINESS TO THE NEXT LEVEL, YOU NEED TO UNDERSTAND HOW VCS THINK. IN SECRETS OF SAND HILL ROAD, KUPOR EXPLAINS EXACTLY HOW VCS DECIDE WHERE AND HOW MUCH TO INVEST, AND HOW ENTREPRENEURS CAN GET THE BEST POSSIBLE DEAL AND MAKE THE MOST OF THEIR RELATIONSHIPS WITH VCS. KUPOR EXPLAINS, FOR INSTANCE: • WHY MOST VCS TYPICALLY INVEST IN ONLY ONE STARTUP IN A GIVEN BUSINESS CATEGORY. • WHY THE SKILL YOU NEED MOST WHEN RAISING VENTURE CAPITAL IS THE ABILITY TO TELL A COMPELLING STORY. • HOW TO HANDLE A "DOWN ROUND," WHEN STARTUPS HAVE TO RAISE FUNDS AT A LOWER VALUATION THAN IN THE PREVIOUS ROUND. • WHAT TO DO WHEN VCS GET TOO ENTANGLED IN THE DAY-TO-DAY OPERATIONS OF THE BUSINESS. • WHY YOU NEED TO BUILD RELATIONSHIPS WITH POTENTIAL ACQUIRERS LONG BEFORE YOU DECIDE TO SELL. FILLED WITH KUPOR'S FIRSTHAND EXPERIENCES, INSIDER ADVICE, AND PRACTICAL TAKEAWAYS, SECRETS OF SAND HILL ROAD IS THE GUIDE EVERY ENTREPRENEUR NEEDS TO TURN THEIR STARTUP INTO THE NEXT UNICORN.

HARVEST JIM CRACE 2013-02-12 SHORT-LISTED FOR THE MAN BOOKER PRIZE A

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR BEST BOOK OF THE YEAR ON THE MORNING AFTER HARVEST, THE INHABITANTS OF A REMOTE ENGLISH VILLAGE AWAKEN LOOKING FORWARD TO A HARD-EARNED DAY OF REST AND FEASTING AT THEIR LANDOWNER'S TABLE. BUT THE SKY IS MARRED BY TWO CONSPICUOUS COLUMNS OF SMOKE, REPLACING PLEASURABLE ANTICIPATION WITH ALARM AND SUSPICION. ONE SMOKE COLUMN IS THE RESULT OF AN OVERNIGHT FIRE THAT HAS DAMAGED THE MASTER'S OUTBUILDINGS. THE SECOND COLUMN RISES FROM THE WOODED EDGE OF THE VILLAGE, SENT UP BY NEWCOMERS TO ANNOUNCE THEIR PRESENCE. IN THE MINDS OF THE WARY VILLAGERS A MERE COINCIDENCE OF EVENTS APPEARS TO BE UNLIKELY, WITH VIOLENT CONFRONTATION LOOMING AS THE UNAVOIDABLE OUTCOME. MEANWHILE, ANOTHER NEWCOMER HAS RECENTLY BEEN SPOTTED TAKING CAREFUL NOTES AND MAKING DRAWINGS OF THE LAND. IT IS HIS PRESENCE MORE THAN ANY OTHER THAT WILL THREATEN THE VILLAGE'S ENTIRE WAY OF LIFE. IN EFFORTLESS AND TENDER PROSE, JIM CRACE DETAILS THE UNRAVELING OF A PASTORAL IDYLL IN THE WAKE OF ECONOMIC PROGRESS. HIS TALE IS TIMELESS AND UNSETTLING, FRAMED BY A BEAUTIFULLY EVOKED WORLD THAT WILL LINGER IN YOUR MEMORY LONG AFTER YOU FINISH READING.

MEMOIRS AND MISINFORMATION JIM CARREY 2020-07-07 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • "NONE OF THIS IS REAL AND ALL OF IT IS TRUE." —JIM CARREY MEET JIM CARREY. SURE, HE'S AN INSANELY SUCCESSFUL AND BELOVED MOVIE STAR DROWNING IN WEALTH AND PRIVILEGE—BUT HE'S ALSO LONELY. MAYBE PAST HIS PRIME. MAYBE EVEN ... GETTING FAT? HE'S TRIED DIETS, GURUS, AND CUDDLING WITH HIS MILITARY-GRADE ISRAELI GUARD DOGS, BUT NOTHING SEEMS TO LIFT THE CLOUD OF EMPTINESS AND ENNUI. EVEN THE SAGE ADVICE OF HIS BEST FRIEND, ACTOR AND DINOSAUR SKULL COLLECTOR NICOLAS CAGE, ISN'T ENOUGH TO PULL CARREY OUT OF HIS SLUMP. BUT THEN JIM MEETS GEORGIE: RUTHLESS ING[NUE], LOVE OF HIS LIFE. AND WITH THE HELP OF AUTEUR SCREENWRITER CHARLIE KAUFMAN, HE HAS A ROLE TO PLAY IN A BOUNDARY-PUSHING NEW PICTURE THAT MAY HELP HIM UNCOVER A WHOLE NEW SIDE TO HIMSELF—FINALLY, HIS OSCAR VEHICLE! THINGS ARE LOOKING UP! BUT THE UNIVERSE HAS OTHER PLANS. MEMOIRS AND MISINFORMATION IS A FEARLESS SEMI-AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL NOVEL, A DECONSTRUCTION OF PERSONA. IN IT, JIM CARREY AND DANA VACHON HAVE FASHIONED A STORY ABOUT ACTING, HOLLYWOOD, AGENTS, CELEBRITY, PRIVILEGE, FRIENDSHIP, ROMANCE, ADDICTION TO RELEVANCE, FEAR OF PERSONAL ERASURE, OUR "ONE BIG SOUL," CANADA, AND A CATAclySMIC ENDING OF THE WORLD—APOCALYPSES WITHIN AND WITHOUT.

18 HOLES WITH BING NATHANIEL CROSBY 2016-05-03 IN THIS LOVE LETTER TO HIS FATHER, FORMER PROFESSIONAL GOLFER NATHANIEL CROSBY SHARES MEMORIES OF BING CROSBY ON THE GOLF COURSE, AND THE LESSONS HE TAUGHT HIM ABOUT THE GAME AND ABOUT LIFE. WITH A FOREWORD BY JACK NICKLAUS. "BING CROSBY WAS A GREAT AMBASSADOR FOR OUR GAME, AS WELL AS A GREAT MAN," HAILS LONGTIME FRIEND AND GOLF PARTNER, JACK NICKLAUS. THE BELOVED SINGER AND STAR WAS ALSO AN EXTRAORDINARY TEACHER WHO INSTILLED AN ABIDING PASSION AND MASTERY OF THE GAME IN HIS YOUNGEST SON, NATHANIEL. WINNING THE US AMATEUR AT NINETEEN, NATHANIEL WENT ON TO

COMPETE IN HIGH-LEVEL PROFESSIONAL TOURNAMENTS FOR HIS ENTIRE LIFE. IN *18 HOLES WITH BING*, NATHANIEL INTRODUCES US TO THE BING CROSBY HE AND HIS FAMILY KNEW—NOT THE BELOVED SINGER WHO PLAYED GOLF, BUT A GOLFER WHO SANG TO PAY HIS COUNTRY CLUB DUES. NATHANIEL SHARES EXCLUSIVE STORIES ABOUT THIS AMERICAN ICON GOLFING, WORKING, AND PLAYING WITH SOME OF THE MOST FAMOUS PEOPLE IN HISTORY—ROYALTY, TITANS OF INDUSTRY, STARS OF STAGE AND SCREEN, AND CHAMPIONS OF THE GREEN, INCLUDING BOB HOPE, DWIGHT EISENHOWER, BEN HOGAN, JACK NICKLAUS, AND LOUIS ARMSTRONG. AT THE BOOK'S HEART IS AN INTIMATE ACCOUNT OF A FATHER AND A SON—HOW A MUTUAL LOVE OF GOLF FORMED AN EXCEPTIONAL EMOTIONAL BOND. FULL OF ANECDOTES, VIGNETTES, AND RECOLLECTIONS OF BING'S TIME ON THE COURSE, THE TOURNAMENTS HE CREATED AND LATER SPONSORED, AND THE CONSTANT ENCOURAGEMENT HE SHOWED HIS SON, *18 HOLES WITH BING* HONORS THIS CELEBRATED GOLFER, ENTERTAINER, AND FATHER, AND ILLUMINATES HIS LIFE AS NEVER BEFORE.

SOCIAL WORK WITH ADULTS JIM ROGERS 2015-10-12 SOCIAL WORK WITH VULNERABLE ADULTS IS BECOMING INCREASINGLY CENTRED ON A KEY PIECE OF LEGISLATION: THE MENTAL CAPACITY ACT. THE ACT PROVIDES A FRAMEWORK FOR PROTECTING THE VULNERABLE WHILE ALLOWING THOSE WHO MAY LACK CAPACITY TO HAVE CERTAIN SAFEGUARDS ENSHRINED IN LAW. THIS BOOK WILL HELP SUPPORT STUDENTS TO LEARN TWO THINGS: FIRST, HOW THE MENTAL CAPACITY ACT OPERATES AND WHAT ITS KEY PRINCIPLES ARE WHEN APPLIED TO SAFEGUARDING ADULTS; AND SECOND, WHAT ARE THE COMPASSIONATE SKILLS AND VALUES THAT NEED TO BE INTERWOVEN WITH LEGISLATIVE KNOWLEDGE? THE AUTHORS SHOW HOW THESE TWO PRINCIPLES INTERACT AND INFORM ONE ANOTHER AND HOW TAKING A PERSON-CENTRED APPROACH TO SAFEGUARDING VULNERABLE ADULTS WILL MEAN BETTER OUTCOMES FOR THE INDIVIDUAL AND OUR WIDER SOCIETY.

ADVENTURE CAPITALIST JIM ROGERS 2004-12-07 DRIVE . . . AND GROW RICH! THE BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *INVESTMENT BIKER* IS BACK FROM THE ULTIMATE ROAD TRIP: A THREE-YEAR DRIVE AROUND THE WORLD THAT WOULD ULTIMATELY SET THE GUINNESS RECORD FOR THE LONGEST CONTINUOUS CAR JOURNEY. IN *ADVENTURE CAPITALIST*, LEGENDARY INVESTOR JIM ROGERS, DUBBED “THE INDIANA JONES OF FINANCE” BY TIME MAGAZINE, PROVES THAT THE BEST WAY TO PROFIT FROM THE GLOBAL SITUATION IS TO SEE THE WORLD MILE BY MILE. “WHILE I HAVE NEVER PATRONIZED A PROSTITUTE,” HE WRITES, “I KNOW THAT ONE CAN LEARN MORE ABOUT A COUNTRY FROM SPEAKING TO THE MADAM OF A BROTHEL OR A BLACK MARKETEEER THAN FROM MEETING A FOREIGN MINISTER.” BEHIND THE WHEEL OF A SUNBURST-YELLOW, CUSTOM-BUILT CONVERTIBLE MERCEDES, ROGERS AND HIS FIANCE, PAIGE PARKER, BEGAN THEIR “MILLENNIUM ADVENTURE” ON JANUARY 1, 1999, FROM ICELAND. THEY TRAVELED THROUGH 116 COUNTRIES, INCLUDING MANY WHERE MOST HAVE RARELY VENTURED, SUCH AS SAUDI ARABIA, MYANMAR, ANGOLA, SUDAN, CONGO, COLOMBIA, AND EAST TIMOR. THEY DROVE THROUGH WAR ZONES, DESERTS, JUNGLES, EPIDEMICS, AND BLIZZARDS. THEY HAD MANY NARROW ESCAPES. THEY CAMPED WITH NOMADS AND CAMELS IN THE WESTERN SAHARA. THEY ATE SILKWORMS, IGUANAS, SNAKES, TERMITES,

GUINEA PIGS, PORCUPINES, CROCODILES, AND GRASSHOPPERS. BEST OF ALL, THEY SAW THE REAL WORLD FROM THE GROUND UP—THE ONLY VANTAGE POINT FROM WHICH IT CAN BE TRULY UNDERSTOOD—ECONOMICALLY, POLITICALLY, AND SOCIALLY. HERE ARE JUST A FEW OF THE AUTHOR'S CONCLUSIONS: • THE NEW COMMODITY BULL MARKET HAS STARTED. • THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY WILL BELONG TO CHINA. • THERE IS A DRAMATIC SHORTAGE OF WOMEN DEVELOPING IN ASIA. • PAKISTAN IS ON THE VERGE OF DISINTEGRATING. • INDIA, LIKE MANY OTHER LARGE NATIONS, WILL BREAK INTO SEVERAL COUNTRIES. • THE EURO IS DOOMED TO FAIL. • THERE ARE FORTUNES TO BE MADE IN ANGOLA. • NONGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS (NGOs) ARE A SCAM. • BOLIVIA IS A COMER AFTER DECADES OF INSTABILITY, THANKS TO GIGANTIC AMOUNTS OF NATURAL GAS. *ADVENTURE CAPITALIST* IS THE MOST OPINIONATED, SPRAWLING, ADVENTUROUS JOURNEY YOU'RE LIKELY TO TAKE WITHIN THE PAGES OF A BOOK—THE PERFECT READ FOR ARMCHAIR ADVENTURERS, GLOBAL INVESTORS, CAR ENTHUSIASTS, AND ANYONE INTERESTED IN SEEING THE WORLD AND UNDERSTANDING IT AS IT REALLY IS.

DON'T CALL ME MRS ROGERS: LOVE LOATHING AND OUR EPIC DRIVE AROUND THE WORLD PAIGE PARKER 2019-02-11 AT THE TURN OF THE MILLENNIUM, AMERICAN-BORN PAIGE PARKER AND INVESTMENT GURU JIM ROGERS SPEND THREE YEARS—1,101 DAYS TO BE EXACT—DRIVING OVER SIX CONTINENTS IN THEIR “SUNBURST YELLOW” COUPE AND TRAILER, ULTIMATELY SETTING A GUINNESS WORLD RECORD. DURING THE EPIC JOURNEY, PAIGE'S WORLD VIEW IS TURNED UPSIDE DOWN, EVENTUALLY LEADING HER AND HER FAMILY TO THEIR IDEAL HOME IN SINGAPORE. ON THE ROAD TRIP, SHE MEETS WOMEN FROM EVERY WALK OF LIFE, INSPIRING MONKS IN CHINA, BOY SOLDIERS IN ANGOLA AND OPPRESSIVE PATRIARCHY IN TOO MANY COUNTRIES, YET SHE WALKS AWAY WITH A PROFOUND FAITH IN HUMANKIND. SHE NOW WANTS TO PASS THE LESSONS FROM THE ROAD TO HER TWO DAUGHTERS, TO WOMEN EVERYWHERE AND TO ALL INTREPID TRAVELLERS.

COCHABAMBA! OSCAR OLIVERA 2004 HISTORICALLY A COMMON TRUST, WATER IS NOW BOUGHT AND SOLD AS A PRIVATE COMMODITY. WITH BILLIONS AT THE MERCY OF AN UNRESTRAINED MARKETPLACE, IT IS EASY TO UNDERSTAND WHY THIS PRECIOUS RESOURCE IS AT THE CENTER OF THE INTERNATIONAL MOVEMENT WORKING TO TURN BACK THE RISING TIDE OF CORPORATE GLOBALIZATION. THE TRIUMPHANT STRUGGLE OF GRASSROOTS ACTIVISTS IN COCHABAMBA, BOLIVIA, SOUNDED A SIGNIFICANT OPENING SALVO IN THE WATER WARS. IN 2001, WATER WARRIORS THERE REGAINED CONTROL OF THEIR WATER SUPPLY AND DEFIED ALL ODDS BY DRIVING OUT THE TRANSNATIONAL CORPORATION THAT HAD STOLEN THEIR WATER IN THE FIRST PLACE. *COCHABAMBA!* IS THE STORY OF THE FIRST GREAT VICTORY AGAINST CORPORATE GLOBALIZATION IN LATIN AMERICA. OSCAR OLIVERA, A 45-YEAR-OLD MACHINIST WHO HELPED SHAPE AND LEAD A MOVEMENT THAT BROUGHT THOUSANDS OF ORDINARY PEOPLE TO THE STREETS, POWERFULLY CONVEYS THE PERSPECTIVE OF A COMMITTED PARTICIPANT IN A VICTORIOUS AND INSPIRATIONAL REBELLION. THE BELOVED AND HIGHLY RESPECTED OLIVERA RELATES THE SELLING OF THE CITY'S WATER SUPPLY TO AGUAS DEL TUNARI--A SUBSIDIARY OF US-BASED BECHTEL--THE SUBSEQUENT ASTRONOMICAL RISE

IN WATER PRICES, AND THE REFUSAL OF POVERTY-STRAPPED BOLIVIANS TO PAY THEM. OLIVERA BRINGS US TO THE FRONT LINES OF A MOVEMENT, CHRONICLING HOW THE PEOPLE ORGANIZED AN OPPOSITION AND THE DRAMATIC STRUGGLES THAT EVENTUALLY DEFEATED THE PRIVATIZERS. WITH HARD-WON POLITICAL SAVVY, OLIVERA REFLECTS ON MAJOR THEMES THAT EMERGED FROM THE WAR OVER WATER: THE FEAR AND ISOLATION THAT COCHABAMBINOS FACED WITH A SPIRIT OF SOLIDARITY AND MUTUAL AID; THE CHALLENGES OF DEMOCRATICALLY ADMINISTERING THE CITY'S WATER SUPPLY; AND THE IMPACT OF THE WATER WARS ON SUBSEQUENT RESISTANCE. OSCAR OLIVERA IS PRESIDENT OF THE COCHABAMBA FEDERATION OF FACTORY WORKERS AND 2001 WINNER OF THE PRESTIGIOUS GOLDMAN ENVIRONMENTAL PRIZE. TOM LEWIS IS LATIN AMERICA EDITOR FOR THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIALIST REVIEW AND PROFESSOR OF SPANISH AT THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA.

A TRADER'S FIRST BOOK ON COMMODITIES CARLEY GARNER 2017-10-31 A TRADER'S FIRST BOOK ON COMMODITIES IS GUARANTEED TO SHORTEN THE LEARNING CURVE FOR BEGINNING TRADERS WHILE OFFERING SEASONED TRADERS A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON FAMILIAR TOPICS. THERE'S MORE TO TRADING THAN OSCILLATORS AND TRENDLINES; PROFITABLE TRADING IS ONLY POSSIBLE IN A CONDUCIVE ENVIRONMENT (BROKERAGE, PLATFORM, MINDSET, SUPPORT, AND AWARENESS).

SAHARA TAMAL BANDYOPADHYAY 2014-06-06 FEATURES EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW WITH SUBRATA ROY EVERYTHING YOU WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT SUBRATA ROY AND SAHARA INDIA PARIWAR, BUT WERE AFRAID TO ASK... SAHARA: THE UNTOLD STORY IS BASED ON PAINSTAKING RESEARCH TO DEMYSTIFY INDIA'S MOST SECRETIVE AND LARGELY UNLISTED CONGLOMERATE, THE SAHARA INDIA PARIWAR. IT ALSO DELVES INTO THE GROUP'S ONGOING LEGAL BATTLE WITH THE MARKET REGULATOR. ENTREPRENEUR SUBRATA ROY, THE GUARDIAN ANGEL OF THE GROUP, WHOSE FEET ARE TOUCHED BY EVERYBODY IN THE PARIWAR, WANTS TO REACH OUT TO A MILLION LIVES AND FEELS IMPEDED AND SHUTTERED IN BY REGULATIONS. SO THE CLASH WITH THE REGULATORS WAS INEVITABLE. BUT WHEN A REGULATOR SLAMS ONE DOOR, MAVERICK ROY OPENS ANOTHER. THIS PLAY HAS BEEN ON SINCE 1978, WHEN SAHARA WAS SET UP. ROY IS WELL KNOWN FOR GLAMOUR AND HIS ASSOCIATION WITH FILM STARS, CRICKETERS AND POLITICIANS. HE EXUDES PATRIOTISM, WITH A STATUE OF BHARAT MATA (THE PRESIDING DEITY OF THE GROUP) ON A CHARIOT DRIVEN BY FOUR FIERCE-LOOKING LIONS ADORNING HIS HEADQUARTERS IN LUCKNOW. HE IS THE ROBIN HOOD OF A COUNTRY WHERE ONLY 35% OF THE ADULT POPULATION HAS ACCESS TO FORMAL BANKING SERVICES. THIS INDIA AND ITS MILLIONS OF ILLITERATE POOR DEPOSITORS STAND IN AWE AND ADMIRATION OF HIM. BUT DOES HE ALSO EXPLOIT THEM? DO THESE POOR PEOPLE ACTUALLY KEEP MONEY WITH HIM OR ARE THEY FRONTING FOR OTHERS? EXCERPT FROM THE SAHARA INDIA PARIWAR DISCLAIMER 'THE BOOK AT BEST CAN BE TREATED AS A PERSPECTIVE OF THE AUTHOR WITH ALL ITS DEFAMATORY CONTENT, INSINUATION AND OTHER OBJECTIONS, WHICH PROMPTED US TO EXERCISE OUR RIGHT TO APPROACH THE COURT OF LAW IN ORDER TO SAVE

THE INTEREST OF THE ORGANIZATION AND ITS CRORES OF DEPOSITORS AND 12 LAKH WORKERS.' TAMAL BANDYOPADHYAY, A DEPUTY MANAGING EDITOR OF MINT, IS ONE OF THE MOST RESPECTED BUSINESS JOURNALISTS IN INDIA. TAMAL HAS KEPT A CLOSE WATCH OF THE FINANCIAL SECTOR FOR OVER A DECADE AND A HALF AND HAS HAD A RINGSIDE VIEW OF THE ENORMOUS CHANGES IN INDIAN FINANCE AND BANKING OVER THIS PERIOD. HIS FIRST BOOK, A BANK FOR THE BUCK, RELEASED BY P CHIDAMBARAM IN NOVEMBER 2012, HAS BEEN A NON-FICTION BESTSELLER.

IN SEARCH OF GREENER GRASS GRAHAM FIELD 2012 FROM BACKPACK TO BICYCLE AND NOW ON A MOTORCYCLE, BUT STILL ON A BUDGET, THE AUTHOR, A COMPULSIVE TRAVELLER, EMBARKS ON A JOURNEY EAST FROM ENGLAND WITH MONGOLIAN INTENTIONS. IN POSSESSION OF A GOOD SENSE OF DIRECTION, A VAGUE SENSE OF BALANCE AND NO SENSE OF PROPORTION; THIS PARTICULAR TRIP IS FINANCED BY MODEST WINNINGS FROM AN UNCHARACTERISTIC APPEARANCE ON A TV GAME SHOW. RIDING A BARGAIN EBAY PURCHASE KAWASAKI KLR 650 AND TRAVELLING SOLO INTO PLACES BEYOND THE GUIDE BOOK. A DAILY DIARY OF ACHIEVEMENTS AND MISTAKES INCURRED IN A TRANSIENT LIFESTYLE, WITH MIXED EMOTIONS FROM OVERAWED TO JUST PLAIN BORED, AND MAKING THE BEST OF DECISIONS MADE WHILE TRYING NOT TO REFLECT ON THE ALTERNATIVES. THIS IS A REFRESHINGLY HONEST, THOUGHT PROVOKING, HUMOROUS AND INFORMATIVE ACCOUNT BASED ON A LIFETIME OF FIRST HAND ENCOUNTERS, ANECDOTES, WISDOM AND OCCASIONAL ALCOHOL INDUCED INSPIRATION. OFFERING AN UNAVOIDABLE WEALTH OF EXPERIENCE WHICH TAKES THE READER WITH HIM, AS THE JOURNEY TWISTS AND TURNS ON THE ROAD WHICH THE AUTHOR HOPES WILL LEAD HIM TO GREENER GRASS.

VANLIFE DIARIES KATHLEEN MORTON 2019 A PHOTOGRAPHY BOOK CELEBRATING THE NOMADIC LIFESTYLE AND COMMUNITY OF VANLIFE THROUGH INTERVIEWS, ESSENTIAL ADVICE FOR LIVING ON THE ROAD, AND MORE THAN 200 PHOTOS OF TINY ROLLING HOMES. INSPIRED BY THE BLOG AND INSTAGRAM ACCOUNT, VANLIFE DIARIES IS AN INSPIRING AND DETAILED LOOK INTO THE WORLD OF THE ROLLING HOMES BUILT AND OCCUPIED BY A NEW GENERATION OF MODERN NOMADS: A RANGE OF PROFESSIONALS AND CREATIVES WHO HAVE DITCHED CONVENTIONAL HOUSES FOR THE FREEDOM OF THE ROAD AND THE BEAUTY OF THE OUTDOORS. MORE THAN 200 PHOTOGRAPHS FEATURE THE VANLIFERS, THEIR PETS, AND THEIR CONVERTED VANS AND BUSES--VW's, SPRINTERS, TOYOTAS, AND MORE--WITH THE INTERIORS UNIQUELY CUSTOMIZED AND DECORATED FOR THEIR WORK AND HOBBIES, AS WELL AS THE STUNNING NATURAL LOCATIONS THAT ARE THE MOVEMENT'S INSPIRATION. INTERVIEWS AND NARRATIVE CAPTIONS SHARE THE STORIES OF THESE NOMADS AND HOW THEY DECIDED TO PURSUE VANLIFE, AND PROVIDE PRACTICAL TIPS AND INSPIRATION FOR DOWNSIZING, FINDING AND CONVERTING YOUR VEHICLE, AND WORKING AND LIVING ON THE ROAD.

THE ROYAL ROAD TO ROMANCE RICHARD HALLIBURTON 1925 WHEN RICHARD HALLIBURTON GRADUATED FROM COLLEGE, HE CHOSE ADVENTURE OVER A CAREER, TRAVELING THE WORLD WITH ALMOST NO MONEY. THE ROYAL ROAD TO ROMANCE CHRONICLES WHAT

HAPPENED AS A RESULT, FROM A BREAKTHROUGH MATTERHORN ASCENT TO BEING JAILED FOR TAKING FORBIDDEN PICTURES ON GIBRALTAR. HALLIBURTON'S LITERARY CAREER DEVELOPED OUT OF HIS METICULOUS LOGGING OF EVENTS THAT OCCURRED ON HIS OWN ADVENTURES. THIS BOOK, HIS FIRST, AN ACCOUNT OF HIS TRAVELS IN 1921-23, WAS A BEST-SELLER FOR THREE YEARS AND WAS TRANSLATED INTO 15 LANGUAGES.

A GIFT TO MY CHILDREN JIM ROGERS 2014-10-09 WHEN I WAS A BOY, MY FATHER OFTEN PULLED ME ASIDE TO CONVEY LESSONS INTENDED TO BUILD WHAT WE GENERALLY REFER TO AS "CHARACTER". OFTEN HIS ADVICE WAS VERY SIMPLE — WORK HARD, THINK FOR YOURSELF, DO RIGHT BY OTHERS — BUT I BELIEVE THOSE LESSONS PROVIDED THE FOUNDATION FOR EVERYTHING THAT HAS FOLLOWED IN MY LIFE. NOW THAT I'M A DAD MYSELF, I WANTED TO PUT THEM DOWN IN ONE PLACE, WITH EXAMPLES OF MY OWN EXPERIENCES, AS A GUIDE TO LIFE, ADVENTURE, AND INVESTING, BOTH FOR MY YOUNG DAUGHTERS AND FOR ANYONE SEEKING SUCCESS IN HIS OR HER CHOSEN FIELD. I HOPE THAT PARENTS WILL BE INSPIRED TO GIVE THIS BOOK TO THEIR CHILDREN, AND VICE VERSA, AS MANY OF THE LESSONS THAT I HAVE LEARNED APPLY NOT JUST TO YOUNG PEOPLE BUT TO ALL ADULTS—FOR EXAMPLE, QUESTION EVERYTHING, NEVER FOLLOW THE CROWD, AND BEWARE OF BOYS! WHAT A LOVELY, LOVELY BOOK! THOUGH I'VE READ ALL YOU'VE WRITTEN, THIS ONE REALLY TOUCHED ME. IT IS, OF COURSE, A LOVE LETTER TO YOUR DAUGHTERS, WHICH IS NOT ONLY A WONDERFUL, MEANINGFUL THING TO DO, BUT IT WAS FILLED WITH EXACTLY THE KIND OF ADVICE ALL FATHERS SHOULD GIVE. YOUR NEW BOOK WILL STAY ON MY SHELF FOR A LONG, LONG TIME, AND I'LL BE GIVING IT TO MY OWN KIDS TO READ. --NICHOLAS SPARKS, AUTHOR OF THE NOTEBOOK, DEAR JOHN, AND THE LAST SONG

THE FOOTBALL RAMBLE MARCUS SPELLER 2016-10-20 DOWNLOADED OVER TEN MILLION TIMES A YEAR THE FOOTBALL RAMBLE PODCAST HAS ESTABLISHED ITSELF AS THE ESSENTIAL, INDEPENDENT VOICE OF FOOTBALL PUNDITRY. THE WEEKLY PODCAST HAS RESONATED WITH SUPPORTERS AROUND THE WORLD AND THEIR SOLD-OUT LIVE SHOWS HAVE BEEN A MASSIVE HIT. THIS BOOK IS A COLLABORATION FROM ALL FOUR PRESENTERS AND WILL TACKLE THE REAL ISSUES FROM FANS YOU WON'T SEE OR HEAR ON SKY SPORTS, OR ANYWHERE ELSE FOR THAT MATTER. FROM THE WEIRD AND WONDERFUL, FROM THE ALAN PARDEW TO THE KEVIN KEEGAN, THE RAMBLE HAS IT COVERED. PUTTING ALL ASPECTS OF THE GAME UNDER THE MICROSCOPE, THIS BOOK IS A TIMELY REMINDER OF WHY WE JUST CAN'T TAKE OUR MINDS OFF FOOTBALL.

VALUE INVESTING AND BEHAVIORAL FINANCE BY PARAG PARIKH 2009-12-01 SMART AND SUCCESSFUL WAY OF INVESTING CALLS FOR A THOROUGH UNDERSTANDING OF BEHAVIORAL FINANCE NOT JUST MARKET SENTIMENTS, CROWD BEHAVIOR OR COMPANY PERFORMANCE. THIS BOOK STUDIES INVESTING AND BEHAVIORAL TRENDS IN INDIAN CAPITAL MARKETS, AND SHOWS THE FOLLIES OF COLLECTIVE BEHAVIORAL BIASES AND THEIR IMPACT ON INVESTOR DECISIONS AND RETURNS.

THE ULTIMATE ROAD TRIP JAY STEWART 2011-07-28 ULTIMATE ROAD TRIP IS AN EXCITING NAVIGATIONAL TOOL TAKING YOU THROUGH THE CHALLENGES, TWISTS, AND TURNS

OF LIFE BRINGING YOU GREAT HOPE AND ENCOURAGEMENT. YOU WILL CELEBRATE LIFE'S JOURNEY, NOT JUST THE DESTINATION. BASED ON INSPIRATIONAL BIBLICAL JOURNEYS, PASTOR AND AUTHOR JAY STEWART APTLY APPLIES LESSONS LEARNED TO YOUR EVERYDAY LIFE. PRACTICAL APPLICATION IS MADE FROM ESTHER'S JOURNEY TO THE PALACE, SAUL'S JOURNEY TO DAMASCUS, THE ISRAELITES' JOURNEY OUT OF EGYPT, THE QUEEN OF SHEBA'S JOURNEY TO SOLOMON, AND OTHERS. FROM THRILLING STORIES IN THE WORD, RESEARCHED HISTORICAL INFORMATION, EXEGETICAL INSIGHT, AND THEOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVE, YOU WILL BE ENCOURAGED AND INSPIRED. JOURNEYS OF MOTIVATION AND FAITH-BUILDING INCLUDE: • DETERMINATION. • SURVIVAL. • TRANSFORMATION. • DELIVERANCE. • EXCELLENCE. THE COMPELLING WRITING STYLE, HUMOR, PRACTICAL WISDOM, AND EASY-TO-UNDERSTAND BIBLICAL TRUTHS APPEAL TO ALL AGES. WRITTEN FOR PRE-CHRISTIANS AS WELL AS MATURE BELIEVERS, THE PRACTICAL, BIBLICAL STEPS OFFERED ASSIST YOU IN MAKING LIFE'S DIFFICULT DECISIONS, WHILE URGING YOU TO PASSIONATELY PURSUE YOUR PERSONAL JOURNEY WITH GOD. ULTIMATE ROAD TRIP COULD EASILY BE ADAPTED AS A STUDY GUIDE IN SMALL GROUP SETTINGS, SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES, CAMPUS MINISTRIES, AND YOUTH GROUPS.

MY ANTONIA WILLA CATHER 2009-06-01 MY ANTONIA, FIRST PUBLISHED 1918, IS ONE OF WILLA CATHER'S GREATEST WORKS. IT IS THE LAST NOVEL IN THE PRAIRIE TRILOGY, PRECEDED BY O PIONEERS! AND THE SONG OF THE LARK. MY ANTONIA TELLS THE STORIES OF SEVERAL IMMIGRANT FAMILIES WHO MOVE OUT TO RURAL NEBRASKA TO START NEW LIVES IN AMERICA, WITH A PARTICULAR FOCUS ON A BOHEMIAN FAMILY, THE SHIMERDAS, WHOSE ELDEST DAUGHTER IS NAMED ANTONIA. THE BOOK'S NARRATOR, JIM BURDEN, ARRIVES IN THE FICTIONAL TOWN OF BLACK HAWK, NEBRASKA, ON THE SAME TRAIN AS THE SHIMERDAS, AS HE GOES TO LIVE WITH HIS GRANDPARENTS AFTER HIS PARENTS HAVE DIED. JIM DEVELOPS STRONG FEELINGS FOR ANTONIA, SOMETHING BETWEEN A CRUSH AND A FILIAL BOND, AND THE READER VIEWS ANTONIA'S LIFE, INCLUDING ITS ATTENDANT STRUGGLES AND TRIUMPHS, THROUGH THAT LENS.

MONEY MASTERS OF OUR TIME JOHN TRAIN 2000-08-22 NEW AND UPDATED APPRAISALS OF THE WINNING INVESTMENT TECHNIQUES OF SEVENTEEN OF THE GREATEST "MONEY MASTERS"-- BOTH NEW AND OLD-- BY A BESTSELLING FINANCIAL EXPERT IN MONEY MASTERS OF OUR TIME JOHN TRAIN ONCE AGAIN DISPLAYS HIS ABILITY TO EXPLAIN CLEARLY THE STRATEGIES, EXPERIENCE, AND HUMAN QUALITIES OF THOSE MONEY MASTERS WHO HAVE STOOD THE TEST OF TIME, AS WELL AS NEWER ONES. HE BRINGS TOGETHER EXPERTS WHO REPRESENT VARIOUS INVESTMENT "SCHOOLS"--GROWTH, VALUE, TECHNOLOGY, EMERGING MARKETS, SPECIALTY COMPANIES, MICRO-CAPS, TURNAROUNDS, TOP DOWN, BOTTOM TIP, AND OTHERS--CLARIFYING THEIR SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES AND SHOWING HOW DIFFERENT METHODS AND TECHNIQUES WORK. WHETHER CONTRASTING THE LONG-TERM APPROACH OF WARREN BUFFETT, WITH THE "RELENTLESS PURSUIT" STYLE OF PETER LYNCH OR DISTILLING THE PRINCIPLES OF MARKET TIMING OR EXPOUNDING A LIST OF INVESTMENT "DON'TS," JOHN TRAIN MAKES THE COLLECTIVE WISDOM OF THE GREATEST, MOST SUCCESSFUL INVESTORS AVAILABLE TO ALL, PROFESSIONAL AND AMATEUR ALIKE. MONEY MASTERS OF OUR TIME

COVERS THE INVESTMENT METHODS OF: T. ROWE PRICE, WARREN BUFFETT, PAUL CABOT, PHILIP CARRET, PHILIP FISHER, BENJAMIN GRAHAM, MARK LIGHTBOWN, PETER LYNCH, JOHN NEFF, RICHARD RAINWATER, JULIAN ROBERTSON, JIM ROGERS, GEORGE SOROS, MICHAEL STEINHARDT, JOHN TEMPLETON, RALPH WANGER, AND ROBERT WILSON. TRAIN FOCUSES ON THEIR INVESTMENT TECHNIQUES AND ALSO GIVES CRITICAL EVALUATIONS. THE TEXT INCLUDES AN INTRODUCTION, APPENDIXES, AND AN INDEX.

THE INNOVATION STACK JIM MCKELVEY 2020-03-10 FROM THE COFOUNDER OF SQUARE, AN INSPIRING AND ENTERTAINING ACCOUNT OF WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A TRUE ENTREPRENEUR AND WHAT IT TAKES TO BUILD A RESILIENT, WORLD-CHANGING COMPANY IN 2009, A ST. LOUIS GLASSBLOWING ARTIST AND RECOVERING COMPUTER SCIENTIST NAMED JIM MCKELVEY LOST A SALE BECAUSE HE COULDN'T ACCEPT AMERICAN EXPRESS CARDS. FRUSTRATED BY THE HIGH COSTS AND DIFFICULTY OF ACCEPTING CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS, MCKELVEY JOINED HIS FRIEND JACK DORSEY (THE COFOUNDER OF TWITTER) TO LAUNCH SQUARE, A STARTUP THAT WOULD ENABLE SMALL MERCHANTS TO ACCEPT CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS ON THEIR MOBILE PHONES. WITH NO EXPERTISE OR EXPERIENCE IN THE WORLD OF PAYMENTS, THEY APPROACHED THE PROBLEM OF CREDIT CARDS WITH A NEW PERSPECTIVE, QUESTIONING THE INDUSTRY'S ASSUMPTIONS, EXPERIMENTING AND INNOVATING THEIR WAY THROUGH EARLY CHALLENGES, AND ACHIEVING WIDESPREAD ADOPTION FROM MERCHANTS SMALL AND LARGE. BUT JUST AS SQUARE WAS TAKING OFF, AMAZON LAUNCHED A SIMILAR PRODUCT, MARKETED IT AGGRESSIVELY, AND UNDERCUT SQUARE ON PRICE. FOR MOST ORDINARY STARTUPS, THIS WOULD HAVE SPELLED THE END. INSTEAD, LESS THAN A YEAR LATER, AMAZON WAS IN RETREAT AND SOON DISCONTINUED ITS SERVICE. HOW DID SQUARE BEAT THE MOST DANGEROUS COMPANY ON THE PLANET? WAS IT JUST LUCK? THESE QUESTIONS MOTIVATED MCKELVEY TO STUDY WHAT SQUARE HAD DONE DIFFERENTLY FROM ALL THE OTHER COMPANIES AMAZON HAD KILLED. HE EVENTUALLY FOUND THE KEY: A STRATEGY HE CALLS THE INNOVATION STACK. MCKELVEY'S FASCINATING AND HUMOROUS STORIES OF SQUARE'S EARLY DAYS ARE BLENDED WITH HISTORICAL EXAMPLES OF OTHER WORLD-CHANGING COMPANIES BUILT ON THE INNOVATION STACK TO REVEAL A PATTERN OF GROUND-BREAKING, COMPETITION-PROOF ENTREPRENEURSHIP THAT IS RARE BUT REPEATABLE. THE INNOVATION STACK IS A THRILLING BUSINESS NARRATIVE THAT'S MUCH BIGGER THAN THE STORY OF SQUARE. IT IS AN IRREVERENT FIRST-PERSON LOOK INSIDE THE WORLD OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP, AND A CALL TO ACTION FOR ALL OF US TO FIND THE ENTREPRENEUR WITHIN OURSELVES AND IDENTIFY AND FIX UNSOLVED PROBLEMS--ONE CRAZY IDEA AT A TIME.

THE SEVENTH SENSE JOSHUA COOPER RAMO 2016-05-17 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER WASHINGTON POST BESTSELLER WINNER OF THE GETABSTRACT 17TH INTERNATIONAL BOOK AWARD "THE SEVENTH SENSE IS A CONCEPT EVERY BUSINESSMAN, DIPLOMAT, OR STUDENT SHOULD ASPIRE TO MASTER--A POWERFUL IDEA, BACKED BY STORIES AND FIGURES THAT WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE TO FORGET." -- WALTER ISAACSON, AUTHOR OF STEVE JOBS AND LEONARDO DA VINCI ENDLESS TERROR. REFUGEE WAVES. AN UNFIXABLE GLOBAL ECONOMY. SURPRISING ELECTION RESULTS. NEW BILLION-

DOLLAR FORTUNES. MIRACLE MEDICAL ADVANCES. WHAT IF THEY WERE ALL CONNECTED? WHAT IF YOU COULD UNDERSTAND WHY? THE SEVENTH SENSE IS THE STORY OF WHAT ALL OF TODAY'S SUCCESSFUL FIGURES SEE AND FEEL: THE FORCES THAT ARE INVISIBLE TO MOST OF US BUT EXPLAIN EVERYTHING FROM EXPLOSIVE TECHNOLOGICAL CHANGE TO UNEASY POLITICAL RIPPLES. THE SECRET TO POWER NOW IS UNDERSTANDING OUR NEW AGE OF NETWORKS. NOT MERELY THE INTERNET, BUT ALSO WEBS OF TRADE, FINANCE, AND EVEN DNA. BASED ON HIS YEARS OF ADVISING GENERALS, CEOs, AND POLITICIANS, RAMO TAKES US INTO THE OPAQUE HEART OF OUR WORLD'S RAPIDLY CONNECTED SYSTEMS AND TEACHES US WHAT THE LOSERS ARE NOT YET SEEING--AND WHAT THE VICTORS OF THIS AGE ALREADY KNOW.

INVESTMENT BIKER JIM ROGERS 2003-04-08 LEGENDARY INVESTOR JIM ROGERS GIVES US HIS VIEW OF THE WORLD ON A TWENTY-TWO-MONTH, FIFTY-TWO-COUNTRY MOTORCYCLE ODYSSEY IN HIS BESTSELLING BUSINESS/ADVENTURE BOOK, INVESTMENT BIKER, WHICH HAS ALREADY SOLD MORE THAN 200,000 COPIES. BEFORE YOU INVEST ANOTHER DOLLAR ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD (INCLUDING THE UNITED STATES), READ THIS BOOK BY THE MAN TIME MAGAZINE CALLS "THE INDIANA JONES OF FINANCE." JIM ROGERS BECAME A WALL STREET LEGEND WHEN HE CO-FOUNDED THE QUANTUM FUND. INVESTMENT BIKER IS THE FASCINATING STORY OF ROGERS'S GLOBAL MOTORCYCLE JOURNEY/INVESTING TRIP, WITH HARDHEADED ADVICE ON THE CURRENT STATE AND FUTURE DIRECTION OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIES THAT WILL GUIDE AND INSPIRE INVESTORS INTERESTED IN FOREIGN MARKETS.

ATLAS SHRUGGED AYN RAND 2005-04-21 PEOPLED BY LARGER-THAN-LIFE HEROES AND VILLAINS, CHARGED WITH TOWERING QUESTIONS OF GOOD AND EVIL, ATLAS SHRUGGED IS AYN RAND'S MAGNUM OPUS: A PHILOSOPHICAL REVOLUTION TOLD IN THE FORM OF AN ACTION THRILLER--NOMINATED AS ONE OF AMERICA'S BEST-LOVED NOVELS BY PBS'S THE GREAT AMERICAN READ. WHO IS JOHN GALT? WHEN HE SAYS THAT HE WILL STOP THE MOTOR OF THE WORLD, IS HE A DESTROYER OR A LIBERATOR? WHY DOES HE HAVE TO FIGHT HIS BATTLES NOT AGAINST HIS ENEMIES BUT AGAINST THOSE WHO NEED HIM MOST? WHY DOES HE FIGHT HIS HARDEST BATTLE AGAINST THE WOMAN HE LOVES? YOU WILL KNOW THE ANSWER TO THESE QUESTIONS WHEN YOU DISCOVER THE REASON BEHIND THE BAFFLING EVENTS THAT PLAY HAVOC WITH THE LIVES OF THE AMAZING MEN AND WOMEN IN THIS BOOK. YOU WILL DISCOVER WHY A PRODUCTIVE GENIUS BECOMES A WORTHLESS PLAYBOY...WHY A GREAT STEEL INDUSTRIALIST IS WORKING FOR HIS OWN DESTRUCTION...WHY A COMPOSER GIVES UP HIS CAREER ON THE NIGHT OF HIS TRIUMPH...WHY A BEAUTIFUL WOMAN WHO RUNS A TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILROAD FALLS IN LOVE WITH THE MAN SHE HAS SWORN TO KILL. ATLAS SHRUGGED, A MODERN CLASSIC AND RAND'S MOST EXTENSIVE STATEMENT OF OBJECTIVISM--HER GROUNDBREAKING PHILOSOPHY--OFFERS THE READER THE SPECTACLE OF HUMAN GREATNESS, DEPICTED WITH ALL THE POETRY AND POWER OF ONE OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY'S LEADING ARTISTS.

VIVIAN APPLE AT THE END OF THE WORLD KATIE COYLE 2015 IN THIS DARKLY COMEDIC ROAD TRIP NOVEL, SEVENTEEN YEAR-OLD VIVIAN APPLE RETURNS HOME AFTER THE ALLEGED

"RAPTURE" TO FIND HER DEVOUT PARENTS GONE AND TWO MYSTERIOUS HOLES IN THE ROOF. VIVIAN NEVER BELIEVED IN THE RAPTURE, OR THE UBER POWERFUL CHURCH OF AMERICA. NOW THAT SHE HAS BEEN LEFT BEHIND, VIVIAN'S QUEST FOR THE TRUTH BEGINS.

THE APOSTOLIC PATTERN JIM ROGERS 2013-06-25 THE PRIMARY SOURCE OF DISAGREEMENT IN THE RELIGIOUS WORLD IS A DEPARTURE FROM THE NEW TESTAMENT PATTERN GIVEN BY THE APOSTLES, WITH CHURCHES RELYING INSTEAD ON OPINION FOR AUTHORITY IN RELIGIOUS PRACTICE AND DOCTRINE. BY ABANDONING THE APOSTOLIC ORIGINAL CHRIST'S CHURCH HAS BEEN LEFT BEHIND, PRODUCING TODAY'S DEBATE AND DIVISION. THE ONLY WAY TO ACHIEVE THE UNITY CHRIST PRAYED FOR IS A RETURN TO THE PATTERN HE GAVE THROUGH HIS APOSTLES. WHAT IS THAT PATTERN, HOW IS IT GLEANED FROM SCRIPTURE, AND HOW IS IT APPLIED IN THE 21ST CENTURY? ROGERS SHOWS THAT BY LETTING THE BIBLE SPEAK FOR ITSELF, EMPLOYING THE SAME METHODS TO INTERPRET SCRIPTURE THAT WERE USED IN NEW TESTAMENT TIMES, A CLEAR SET OF EXPECTATIONS EMERGES: A BLUEPRINT FOR THE CHURCH'S FAITH, PRACTICE, AND PURITY. ALL WHO FOLLOW IT WILL STAND SHOULDER TO SHOULDER WITH THE FIRST-CENTURY CHRISTIANS: TEACHING FOR DOCTRINE ONLY WHAT THEY TAUGHT, ORGANIZING AS THEY WERE ORGANIZED, AND WORSHIPPING AS THEY WORSHIPED. THE APOSTOLIC PATTERN IS THUS A BLUEPRINT FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY, THE ONLY GROUND UPON WHICH EVERYONE MAY STAND WITH COMPLETE ASSURANCE THAT ALL THEY DO IS PLEASING TO GOD.

THE PRESIDENT IS MISSING JAMES PATTERSON 2018-06-04 DON'T MISS THE #1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING THRILLER FROM THE WORLD'S BESTSELLING AUTHOR, JAMES PATTERSON: AN "UNDENIABLY GRIPPING RIDE THROUGH THE HIDDEN PASSAGeways OF POWER AND POLITICS" THAT "MOVES LIKE AIR FORCE ONE" (MICHAEL CONNELLY). THE PRESIDENT IS MISSING CONFRONTS A THREAT SO HUGE THAT IT JEOPARDIZES NOT JUST PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE AND WALL STREET, BUT ALL OF AMERICA. UNCERTAINTY AND FEAR GRIP THE NATION. THERE ARE WHISPERS OF CYBERTERROR AND ESPIONAGE AND A TRAITOR IN THE CABINET. EVEN THE PRESIDENT HIMSELF BECOMES A SUSPECT, AND THEN HE DISAPPEARS FROM PUBLIC VIEW . . . SET OVER THE COURSE OF THREE DAYS, THE PRESIDENT IS MISSING SHEDS A STUNNING LIGHT UPON THE INNER WORKINGS AND VULNERABILITIES OF OUR NATION. FILLED WITH INFORMATION THAT ONLY A FORMER COMMANDER IN CHIEF COULD KNOW, THIS IS THE MOST AUTHENTIC, TERRIFYING NOVEL TO COME ALONG IN MANY YEARS. #1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER#1 USA TODAY BESTSELLER#1 WALL STREET JOURNAL BESTSELLER#1 INDIE BESTSELLER "PRESIDENT DUNCAN FOR A SECOND TERM!" -- USA TODAY "THIS BOOK'S A BIG ONE." -- NEW YORK TIMES "TOWERS ABOVE MOST POLITICAL THRILLERS." -- PITTSBURGH POST-GAZETTE "THE PLOTTING IS IMMACULATE . . . THE WRITING IS TAUT." -- SUNDAY TIMES (LONDON) "AMBITIOUS AND WILDLY READABLE." -- NEW YORK TIMES BOOK REVIEW

COMMODITY INVESTING ADAM DUNSBY 2008-02-13 STRAIGHTFORWARD AND ACCESSIBLE, COMMODITY INVESTING BALANCES ACADEMIC-QUALITY ANALYSIS WITH CLEAR, COMPELLING PROSE, AND PROVIDES THOSE INTERESTED IN THIS FAST-GROWING FIELD WITH UNPARALLELED INVESTMENT INSIGHTS. PAGE BY PAGE, YOU'LL ACQUIRE A DEEPER

UNDERSTANDING OF THIS DISCIPLINE AND DISCOVER HOW TO MAKE MORE INFORMED DECISIONS WHEN INVESTING IN SUCH A DYNAMIC ENVIRONMENT. WITH THIS BOOK AS YOUR GUIDE, YOU'LL BENEFIT FROM THE LESSONS OF EXPERIENCED PRACTITIONERS AND QUICKLY COME TO GRIPS WITH WHAT IT TAKES TO MAKE IT IN TODAY'S COMMODITY MARKET.

INVESTMENT BIKER JIM ROGERS 2014-10-09 THIS BOOK IS ABOUT THE AUTHOR'S AMAZING TRIP ACROSS SIX CONTINENTS AND THE WORLD ECONOMY AND SOCIETY. IT DISCUSSES WHO'S SINKING AND WHO'S SWIMMING, WHICH COUNTRIES ARE ON THE RISE AND WHICH ARE COLLAPSING, WHERE YOU CAN MAKE A MILLION AND WHERE YOU COULD LOSE ONE. EVERY PLACE HE STOPPED ON THE TRIP, ROGERS TALKED TO BUSINESSMEN, BANKERS, INVESTORS AND REGULAR PEOPLE. HE LEARNED REAMS OF INFORMATION THAT YOU'D NEVER LEARN FROM READING THE FINANCIAL PAGES OF ANY PERIODICAL. DELIVERS A THRILLING ACCOUNT OF THE JOURNEY OF A LIFETIME AND PROVIDES TIPS THAT WOULD ENABLE YOU TO PAY FOR A TRIP JUST LIKE IT.

THE EXPAT TEACHER'S PROPERTY GUIDE JIM ROGERS 2017-01-20 WITH THE GROWING NUMBER OF EXPATRIATE TEACHERS, THE TIME IS LONG OVERDUE FOR A SUCCINCT GUIDE TO HELP INTERNATIONAL EDUCATORS FIND AND PURCHASE THEIR OWN HOME. WITH SECTIONS ON MAIN RESIDENCES, HOLIDAY HOMES AND INCOME PROPERTY, AUTHOR JIM ROGERS OFFERS SOLID GUIDANCE ON PROPERTY INVESTING FROM THE UNIQUE PERSPECTIVE OF THE GLOBAL CITIZEN. *VENTURE CAPITAL FOR DUMMIES* NICOLE GRAVAGNA 2013-08-15 SECURE VENTURE CAPITAL? EASY. GETTING A BUSINESS UP AND RUNNING OR PUSHING A BRILLIANT PRODUCT TO THE MARKETPLACE REQUIRES CAPITAL. FOR MANY ENTREPRENEURS, A LACK OF START-UP CAPITAL CAN BE THE SINGLE BIGGEST ROADBLOCK TO THEIR DREAMS OF SUCCESS AND FORTUNE. VENTURE CAPITAL FOR DUMMIES TAKES ENTREPRENEURS STEP BY STEP THROUGH THE PROCESS OF FINDING AND SECURING VENTURE CAPITAL FOR THEIR OWN PROJECTS. FIND AND SECURE VENTURE CAPITAL FOR YOUR BUSINESS GET YOUR BUSINESS UP AND RUNNING PUSH A PRODUCT TO THE MARKETPLACE IF YOU'RE AN ENTREPRENEUR LOOKING FOR HANDS-ON GUIDANCE ON HOW TO SECURE CAPITAL FOR YOUR BUSINESS, THE INFORMATION IN VENTURE CAPITAL FOR DUMMIES GIVES YOU THE EDGE YOU NEED TO SUCCEED.

THE CAPITALIST MANIFESTO LOUIS O. KELSO 2017-01-23 IN 1956, A U.S. LAWYER-ECONOMIST, LOUIS O. KELSO, CREATED THE EMPLOYEE STOCK OWNERSHIP PLAN (ESOP) TO ENABLE THE EMPLOYEES OF A CLOSELY HELD NEWSPAPER CHAIN TO BUY OUT ITS RETIRING OWNERS. TWO YEARS LATER, KELSO AND HIS CO-AUTHOR, THE PHILOSOPHER MORTIMER J. ADLER, EXPLAINED THE MACRO-ECONOMIC THEORY ON WHICH THE ESOP IS BASED IN THIS BEST-SELLING BOOK, THE CAPITALIST MANIFESTO. "WHEN YOU READ THIS BOOK, YOU MUST BE PREPARED FOR A SHOCK—PARTICULARLY IF YOU ARE AMONG THE MILLIONS OF AMERICANS WHO FEEL COMPLACENT ABOUT THE MATERIAL WELL-BEING THAT NOW PREVAILS IN THIS COUNTRY. THE CAPITALIST MANIFESTO WILL COMPEL YOU TO EXAMINE, RECONSIDER AND QUESTION MANY DANGEROUS ECONOMIC FACTORS AND POLITICAL TENDENCIES YOU HAVE ACCEPTED AS INEVITABLE—AND WILL SHOW YOU HOW YOU CAN DO SOMETHING ABOUT THEM. "THE CAPITALIST MANIFESTO SETS THE ALARM FOR ALL AMERICAN

CITIZENS—NOT SIMPLY ONE GROUP OR CLASS. IT IS FOR STOCKHOLDERS, WORKERS, LABOR LEADERS, CORPORATION EXECUTIVES, INVESTMENT BANKERS, TAXPAYERS, SMALL BUSINESSMEN AND INDUSTRIALISTS, STATESMEN, LEGISLATORS, JUDGES AND EDUCATORS. ITS PURPOSE IS TO AROUSE US TO THE REAL AND PRESENT DANGERS WE NOW FACE, FROM INFLATION AND FROM THE PROGRESSIVE SOCIALIZATION OF OUR ECONOMY. WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A WELL-HEELED EXISTENCE IN A WELFARE STATE AND THE GOOD LIFE IN A FREE SOCIETY? THE CAPITALIST MANIFESTO WILL TELL YOU WHAT THAT DIFFERENCE IS, AND WHY YOU MUST BE A MAN OF PROPERTY IN ORDER TO BE A FREE MAN. IT WILL EXPLAIN THE MEANING OF YOUR EVER-EXPANDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR LEISURE. IT WILL TELL YOU THAT THE GOAL OF AN INDUSTRIAL SOCIETY SHOULD NOT BE FULL EMPLOYMENT IN THE PRODUCTION OF WEALTH, BUT FULL ENJOYMENT OF THE WEALTH PRODUCED. IT WILL TELL YOU HOW YOU, AS AN INDIVIDUAL, CAN BEST USE WEALTH TO FURTHER THE HAPPINESS AND WELL-BEING OF YOURSELF AND YOUR FELLOW MEN.” “A REVOLUTIONARY FORCE IN HUMAN AFFAIRS OFFERING STILL UNPLUMBED PROMISE FOR THE FUTURE...” —TIME MAGAZINE

LIGHTING THE WORLD JIM ROGERS 2015-08-25 1.2 BILLION PEOPLE ON EARTH STILL DON'T HAVE ELECTRICITY. EVEN WHERE CELL PHONES ARE NOW COMMON, LIKE SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA AND PARTS OF INDIA, VILLAGERS STILL WALK MILES TO CHARGE THEM. BUT NEW LARGE-SCALE, SUSTAINABLE SOLUTIONS WILL NOT ONLY USHER IN A NEW ERA OF LIGHT, BUT BE AN IMPORTANT FIRST STEP IN LIFTING PEOPLE FROM POVERTY AND PUTTING THEM ON A ROAD OF SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. ALSO, A UNIQUE, TRANSFORMING OPPORTUNITY FOR WESTERN THINKERS AND PRACTITIONERS WILL BE CREATED. THESE AREAS HAVE LARGELY SKIPPED THE ANALOG STAGE OF POWER DEVELOPMENT, AND HAVE MOVED STRAIGHT FROM THE MIDDLE AGES TO THE DIGITAL AGE. THEY ARE NOT ENCUMBERED BY EXISTING INFRASTRUCTURE, DEPENDENCE ON FOSSIL FUELS, OR TOO MANY OUTDATED LAWS AND REGULATIONS. AN IDEAL INNOVATION INCUBATOR, THE DEVELOPING WORLD MIGHT JUST BE THE BEST WAY TO MAKE PROGRESS ON OUR OWN ENERGY ISSUES AT HOME. JIM ROGERS IS LEADING A GRAND COLLABORATIVE EFFORT TO BRING SUSTAINABLE, CLEAN ELECTRICAL POWER TO EVERYONE WHO LACKS IT. THIS REVERSE ENGINEERING, HE CONTENTS, COULD SOLVE THE ENERGY CRISES OF AMERICA AND EUROPE, WHILE ALSO MAKING THE WORLD A CLEANER, SMARTER PLACE. BUT IT WON'T BE EASY. IN *LIGHTING THE WORLD*, ROGERS DETAILS THE BOLD THINKING, INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION, AND POLITICAL WILL REQUIRED TO ILLUMINATE THE FUTURE FOR EVERYONE.

A BULL IN CHINA JIM ROGERS 2014-10-09 PROFITING FROM CHINA WITHOUT GETTING BURNED IS CURRENTLY AN OBSESSION WITH THE INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT COMMUNITY. THE ESTIMATED SIZE OF THE CHINESE ECONOMY HAS JUST BEEN REVISED UPWARDS, MAKING IT THE 4TH LARGEST IN THE WORLD BEHIND THE US, JAPAN AND GERMANY, AND AHEAD OF THE UK BUT THE IDEA THAT INVESTING IN CHINA IS A SURE-FIRE, GET-RICH-QUICK INVESTMENT STORY IS DANGEROUSLY MISLEADING. * THE AUTHOR OF THE BESTSELLING *INVESTMENT BIKER*, *ADVENTURE CAPITALIST*, AND *HOT COMMODITIES*, IS PROVIDING A BOOK THAT PROVIDES A WINDOW INTO WHAT WILL SOON BE THE MOST VITAL, MOST LUCRATIVE MARKET OF OUR

TIME: CHINA. * WHILE THE CHINESE ECONOMY HAS HAD AN ANNUAL AVERAGE GROWTH OF 9.4 PERCENT SINCE 1978, AND DESPITE THE ONGOING SPECULATION ABOUT CHINA'S FUTURE, ITS STOCK MARKET IS NOW EMERGING FROM A SIX-YEAR LOW. * AS THE CHINESE ECONOMY CONTINUES TO LUMBER TOWARD A FREE MARKET SYSTEM - AND AS THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT INEVITABLY UNPEGS ITS CURRENCY AND OPENS ITS STOCK MARKET TO MORE FOREIGN INVESTMENT, ROGERS FORESEES AN ABUNDANCE OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR INVESTORS. * IN THIS BOOK, HE SHOWS READERS NOT ONLY HOW TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF CHINA'S COMING DOMINANCE - WHAT, WHERE, HOW, AND WHEN TO BUY - BUT HOW CHINA WILL IMPACT INDIVIDUAL COMPANIES, MARKETS, AND ECONOMIES AROUND THE WORLD. * "NOBODY WITH BLUE EYES HAS EVER MADE MONEY INVESTING IN CHINA," THE OLD SAYING GOES. JIM ROGERS AIMS TO DISPROVE THIS ADAGE. JIM ROGERS CO-FOUNDED THE QUANTUM FUND AND RETIRED AT AGE 37. SINCE THEN, HE HAS SERVED AS A SOMETIME PROFESSOR OF FINANCE AT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY'S BUSINESS SCHOOL, AND AS A MEDIA COMMENTATOR. HE APPEARS TWICE A WEEK ON FOX BUSINESS NEWS, AND IS THE AUTHOR OF THREE IMMENSELY SUCCESSFUL BOOKS.

THE FOUNDERS JIMMY SONI 2022-02-22 * INSTANT BESTSELLER * NEW YORK TIMES EDITORS' CHOICE * "A GRIPPING ACCOUNT OF PAYPAL'S ORIGINS AND A VIVID PORTRAIT OF THE GEEKS AND CONTRARIANS WHO MADE ITS METEORIC RISE POSSIBLE" (THE WALL STREET JOURNAL)—INCLUDING ELON MUSK, AMY ROWE KLEMENT, PETER THIEL, JULIE ANDERSON, MAX LEVCHIN, REID HOFFMAN, AND MANY OTHERS WHOSE STORIES HAVE NEVER BEEN SHARED. "DEEPLY REPORTED AND BRACINGLY WRITTEN, THIS BOOK IS AN INDISPENSABLE GUIDE TO MODERN INNOVATION AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP." —WALTER ISAACSON, NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *CODE BREAKER* TODAY, PAYPAL'S FOUNDERS AND EARLIEST EMPLOYEES ARE CONSIDERED THE TECHNOLOGY INDUSTRY'S MOST POWERFUL NETWORK. SINCE LEAVING PAYPAL, THEY HAVE FORMED, FUNDED, AND ADVISED THE LEADING COMPANIES OF OUR ERA, INCLUDING TESLA, FACEBOOK, YOUTUBE, SPACE X, YELP, PALANTIR, AND LINKEDIN, AMONG MANY OTHERS. AS A GROUP, THEY HAVE DRIVEN TWENTY-FIRST-CENTURY INNOVATION AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP. THEIR NAMES STIR PASSIONS; THEY'RE AS CONTROVERSIAL AS THEY ARE ADMIRERED. YET FOR ALL THEIR INFLUENCE, THE STORY OF WHERE THEY FIRST STARTED HAS GONE LARGELY UNTOLD. BEFORE IGNITING THE COMMERCIAL SPACE RACE OR JUMPSTARTING SOCIAL MEDIA'S RISE, THEY WERE THE UNKNOWN CREATORS OF A SCRAPPY ONLINE PAYMENTS START-UP CALLED PAYPAL. IN BUILDING WHAT BECAME ONE OF THE WORLD'S FOREMOST COMPANIES, THEY FACED BRUISING COMPETITION, INTERNAL STRIFE, THE EMERGENCE OF WIDESPREAD ONLINE FRAUD, AND THE DEVASTATING DOT-COM BUST OF THE 2000S. THEIR SUCCESS WAS ANYTHING BUT CERTAIN. IN *THE FOUNDERS: THE STORY OF PAYPAL AND THE ENTREPRENEURS WHO SHAPED SILICON VALLEY*, AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR AND BIOGRAPHER JIMMY SONI EXPLORES PAYPAL'S TURBULENT EARLY DAYS. WITH HUNDREDS OF INTERVIEWS AND UNPRECEDENTED ACCESS TO THOUSANDS OF PAGES OF INTERNAL MATERIAL, HE SHOWS HOW THE SEEDS OF SO MUCH OF WHAT SHAPES OUR WORLD TODAY—FAST-SCALING DIGITAL START-UPS, CASHLESS CURRENCY CONCEPTS, MOBILE

MONEY TRANSFER—WERE PLANTED TWO DECADES AGO. HE ALSO REVEALS THE STORIES OF COUNTLESS INDIVIDUALS WHO WERE LEFT OUT OF THE FRONT-PAGE FEATURES AND BANNER HEADLINES BUT WHO WERE CENTRAL TO PAYPAL'S SUCCESS. DESCRIBED AS "AN INTENSELY MAGNETIC CHRONICLE" (THE NEW YORK TIMES) AND "ENGROSSING" (BUSINESS INSIDER), THE FOUNDERS IS A STORY OF ITERATION AND INVENTIVENESS—THE PRODUCTS OF WHICH HAVE CAST A LONG AND POWERFUL SHADOW OVER MODERN LIFE. THIS NARRATIVE ILLUSTRATES HOW THIS RARE ASSEMBLAGE OF TALENT CAME TO WORK TOGETHER AND HOW THEIR COLLABORATION CHANGED OUR WORLD FOREVER.

VENTURE DEALS BRAD FELD 2011-07-05 AN ENGAGING GUIDE TO EXCELLING IN TODAY'S VENTURE CAPITAL ARENA BEGINNING IN 2005, BRAD FELD AND JASON MENDELSON, MANAGING DIRECTORS AT FOUNDRY GROUP, WROTE A LONG SERIES OF BLOG POSTS DESCRIBING ALL THE PARTS OF A TYPICAL VENTURE CAPITAL TERM SHEET: A DOCUMENT WHICH OUTLINES KEY FINANCIAL AND OTHER TERMS OF A PROPOSED INVESTMENT. SINCE THIS TIME, THEY'VE SEEN THE SERIES USED AS THE BASIS FOR A NUMBER OF COLLEGE COURSES, AND HAVE BEEN THANKED BY THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE WHO HAVE USED THE INFORMATION TO GAIN A BETTER

UNDERSTANDING OF THE VENTURE CAPITAL FIELD. DRAWN FROM THE PAST WORK FELD AND MENDELSON HAVE WRITTEN ABOUT IN THEIR BLOG AND AUGMENTED WITH NEWER MATERIAL, VENTURE CAPITAL FINANCINGS PUTS THIS DISCIPLINE IN PERSPECTIVE AND LAYS OUT THE STRATEGIES THAT ALLOW ENTREPRENEURS TO EXCEL IN THEIR START-UP COMPANIES. PAGE BY PAGE, THIS BOOK DISCUSSES ALL FACETS OF THE VENTURE CAPITAL FUNDRAISING PROCESS. ALONG THE WAY, FELD AND MENDELSON TOUCH ON EVERYTHING FROM HOW VALUATIONS ARE SET TO WHAT EXTERNALITIES VENTURE CAPITALISTS FACE THAT FACTOR INTO ENTREPRENEURS' BUSINESSES. INCLUDES A BREAKDOWN ANALYSIS OF THE MECHANICS OF A TERM SHEET AND THE TACTICS NEEDED TO NEGOTIATE DETAILS THE DIFFERENT STAGES OF THE VENTURE CAPITAL PROCESS, FROM STARTING A VENTURE AND SEEING IT THROUGH TO THE LATER STAGES EXPLORES THE ENTIRE VENTURE CAPITAL ECOSYSTEM INCLUDING THOSE WHO INVEST IN VENTURE CAPITALIST CONTAIN STANDARD DOCUMENTS THAT ARE USED IN THESE TRANSACTIONS WRITTEN BY TWO HIGHLY REGARDED EXPERTS IN THE WORLD OF VENTURE CAPITAL THE VENTURE CAPITAL ARENA IS A COMPLEX AND COMPETITIVE PLACE, BUT WITH THIS BOOK AS YOUR GUIDE, YOU'LL DISCOVER WHAT IT TAKES TO MAKE YOUR WAY THROUGH IT.