Twitter Thread by MATT GRAY





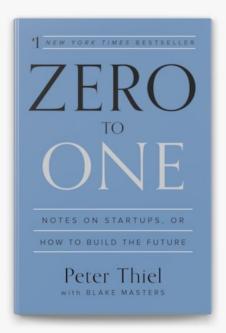
If you want to give yourself a personal MBA, read these 10 books:

Zero to One by Peter Thiel

Subject: Strategy and Positioning

Lessons:

- · Last can be first
- Rivalry causes us to copy the past
- Progress comes from monopoly, not competition



Expert Secrets by Russel Brunson

Subject: Marketing

Lessons:

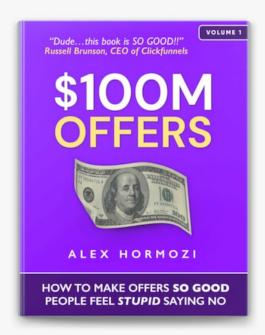
- Maintain absolute certainty
- The riches are in the niches
- Convince with emotion first, then logic



\$100M Offers by Alex Hormozi

Subject: Sales

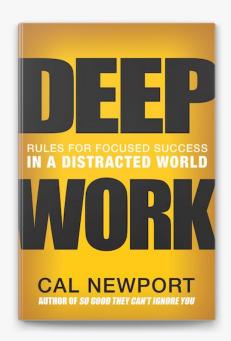
- Create grand slam offers
- Find the starving crowd
- The fundamental equation of value



Deep Work by Cal Newport

Subject: Productivity

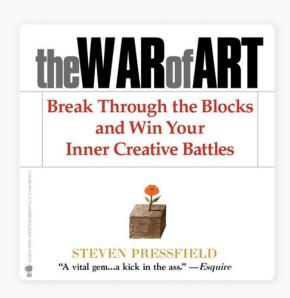
- Embrace boredom
- Create daily rituals
- Find your work-style
- Treat work like a craft



The War of Art by Steven Pressfield

Subject: Unlocking Creativity

- Live your unlived life
- Embrace and expect fears
- Recognize resistance nad love misery



Get Together

by Bailey Richardson, Kevin Huynh and Kai Elmer Sotto

Subject: Community

Lessons:

- Attracting authentic community members
- Developing community leaders



Hustle Harder, Hustle Smarter by 50 Cent

(Highly recommend the audiobook - he narrates himself)

Subject: Hustle

- Finding fearlessness
- Constructing your crew
- The power of perception



Obviously Awesome by April Dunford

Subject: Positioning

Lessons:

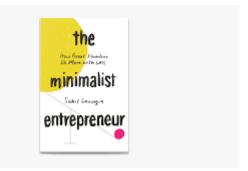
- Layering on trends
- The 6 components of positioning
- Mapping attributes and features to "value themes"



The Minimalist Entrepreneur by Sahil Lavingia

Subject: Entrepreneurship

- Market by being you
- Build as little as possible
- Sell to your first hundred customers

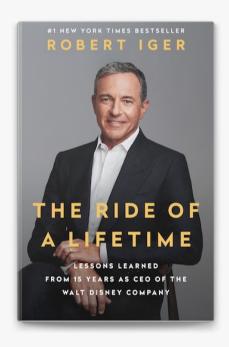


The Ride of a Lifetime by Robert Iger

Subject: Leadership

Lessons:

- Pursue perfection
- Learn to love exertion
- Lead with calm while encouraging risk



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