



INVESTING IN YOUR FUTURE SELF:

MENTORSHIP, GROWTH, AND THE PATH TO LEADERSHIP



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NOT ALL PATHS ARE THE SAME. HOW DID WE GET HERE?

- Brief backstory from each panelist regarding their journey.
- Toughest/ most necessary lesson learned during your career.



HOW DO YOU GET TO THE TABLE?

- Strategic engagement.
- Relationship building.
- Authentic connection & mentorship.

MAYBE YOUR LADDER HASN'T BEEN BUILT YET.

- Critical skills you need to learn while your dream job/ opportunity is realized.
- The industry is morphing into its next iteration.
A Mentor/ Mentee perspective.
- The Art of the pivot.



“In order to be a mentor, and an effective one, one must care. You must care. You don’t have to know how many square miles are in Idaho, you don’t need to know what the chemical makeup of chemistry is, or of blood or water. Know what you know and care about the person, care about what you know and care about the person you’re sharing with.”— **Maya Angelou**

KEY TAKE AWAYS FROM EACH SPEAKER



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THANK YOU



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