



# What I Have Learned So Far

Lessons from 50 Leaders Educated at the School of Hard Knocks



During difficult times – business, career or life – wouldn't it be great to know there is a light at the end of the tunnel?  
Absolutely!

Al Emid, a veteran business journalist, and Paul Bates, former Dean of the DeGroote School of Business at McMaster University, co-authors, bring you the fascinating and heart-warming stories of personal mistakes and recovery of 50 leaders - the famous and not-so-famous - who have been there, done that and lived to succeed.

Paul Bates joins us to tell their stories - their learnings - and how they can help you.

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