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the authors explore why in a world of infinite choice instant gratification and unbounded opportunities for innovation companies still can't satisfy customers or sustain growth and profitability

capitalism at the crossroads is built on strong theoretical underpinnings and illustrated with many practical examples the author offers a pioneering roadmap to responsible macroeconomics and corporate growth clayton christensen professor of business administration harvard business school and author of the innovator s dilemma i hope this book will be able to influence the thought processes of corporations and motivate them to adapt to forthcoming business realities for the sake of their own long term existence besides business leaders this is a thought provoking book for the readers who are looking for solutions to capitalism s problems muhammad yunus founder and managing director grameen bank bangladesh and 2007 nobel peace prize recipient capitalism at the crossroads is a practical manifesto for business in the twenty first century professor stuart l hart provides a succinct framework for managers to harmonize concerns for the planet with wealth creation and unambiguously demonstrates the connection between the two this book represents a turning point in the debate about the emerging role and responsibility of business in society c k prahalad ross school of business university of michigan co author of competing for the future and author of the fortune at the bottom of the pyramid stuart hart was there at the beginning years ago when the term sustainability had not yet reached the business schools stuart hart stood as a beacon glowing in the umbrage it is clear commerce is the engine of change design the first signal of human intention and global capitalism is at the crossroads stuart hart is there again this time lighting up the intersection william mcdonough university of virginia co author of cradle to cradle professor hart is on the leading edge of making sustainability an understandable and useful framework for building business value this book brings together much of his insights developed over the past decade through case studies and practical advice he argues powerfully that unlimited opportunities for profitable business growth will flow to those companies that bring innovative technology and solutions to bear on some of the world s most intractable social and environmental problems chad holliday chairman and ceo dupont capitalism at the crossroads clearly reveals the essence of what sustainability means to today s business world hart s analysis that businesses must increasingly adopt a business framework based on building sustainable value speaks to the entire sustainability movement s relevance sustainability is more than today s competitive edge it is tomorrow s model for success don pether president and ceo dofasco inc stuart hart has written a book full of big insights painted with bold strokes he may make you mad he will certainly make you think jonathan lash president the world resources institute a must read for every ceo and every mba john elkington chairman sustainability this book provides us with a vast array of innovative and practical ideas to accelerate the transformation to global sustainability and the role businesses and corporations will have to play therein stuart hart manages to contribute in an essential way to the growing intellectual capital that addresses this topic but beyond that the book will

also prove to be a pioneer in the literature on corporate strategy by adding this new dimension to the current thinking jan oosterveld professor iese business school barcelona spain member group management committee ret royal philips electronics capitalism at the crossroads captures a disturbing and descriptive picture of the global condition dr hart constructs a compelling new corporate business model that simultaneously merges the metric of profitability along with societal value and environmental integrity he challenges the corporate sector to take the lead and to invoke this change so that the benefits of capitalism can be shared with the entire human community worldwide mac bridger ceo of tandus group stuart l hart makes a very important contribution to the understanding of how enterprise can help save the world s environment crucial reading hernando de soto president of the institute for liberty and democracy and author of the mystery of capital stuart hart s insights into the business sense of sustainability come through compellingly in capitalism at the crossroads any businessperson interested in the long view will find resonance with his wise reasoning ray anderson founder and chairman interface inc this stimulating book documents the central role that business will play in humanity s efforts to develop a sustainable global economy professor hart presents an attractive vision of opportunity for those corporations that develop the new technologies new business models and new mental frames that are essential to a sustainable future jeffrey lehman former president of cornell university the people of the world are in desperate need of new ideas if global industrial development is ever to result in something other than the rich getting richer and the poor getting poorer with nature and potentially all of us suffering the collateral damage few have contributed more to meeting this need over the past decade than stuart hart by helping to illuminate the potential role for business and new thinking in business strategy in the journey ahead capitalism at the crossroads challenges provokes and no doubt will stimulate many debates which is exactly what is needed peter senge massachusetts institute of technology chairperson of the society for organizational learning and author of the fifth discipline the art and practice of the learning organization new foreword by al gore brand new second edition completely revised with up to the minute trends and lessons learned new and updated case studies the latest corporate responses to climate change energy and terrorism global capitalism stands at a crossroads facing terrorism environmental destruction and anti globalization backlash today s global companies are at a crossroads too searching desperately for new sources of profitable growth stuart l hart s capitalism at the crossroads second edition is about solving both of those problems at the same time it s about igniting new growth by creating sustainable products that solve urgent societal problems it s about using new technology to deliver profitable solutions that reduce poverty and protect the environment it s about becoming truly indigenous to all your markets and avoiding the pitfalls of first generation greening and sustainability strategies hart has thoroughly

revised this seminal book with new case studies trends and lessons learned including the latest experiences of leaders like ge and wal mart you ll find new insights from the pioneering bop protocol initiative in which multinationals are incubating new businesses in income poor communities you ll also discover creative new ways in which corporations are responding to global warming and terrorism more than ever this book points the way toward a capitalism that s more inclusive more welcome and far more successful for both companies and communities worldwide paths to profitable sustainability lessons from ge and wal mart shattering the trade off myth new commercial strategies for serving the base of the pyramid what enterprises have learned about doing business in income poor regions becoming indigenous for real for good codiscovering new opportunities cocreating new businesses with the poor learning from leaders 20 new and updated case studies best practices from dupont hp unilever sc johnson tata p g cemex and more about the author xii acknowledgments xiii foreword al gore former vice president of the u s xxiv foreword fisk johnson chairman and ceo s c johnson son inc xxvii prologue capitalism at the crossroads xxxi part one mapping the terrain chapter 1 from obligation to opportunity 3 chapter 2 worlds in collision 31 chapter 3 the sustainable value portfolio 59 part two beyond greening chapter 4 creative destruction and sustainability 87 chapter 5 the great leap downward 111 chapter 6 reaching the base of the pyramid 139 part three becoming indigenous chapter 7 broadening the corporate bandwidth 169 chapter 8 developing native capability 193 chapter 9 toward a sustainable global enterprise 223 epilogue 249 index 254

apple embraced co creation to enhance the speed and scope of its innovation generat ing over 1 billion for its app store partner developers in two years even as it overtook microsoft in market value starbucks launched its online platform mystarbucksidea com to tap into ideas from customers and turbocharged a turnaround unilever turned to co creation for redesigning prod uct lines such as sunsilk shampoo and revitalized growth nike achieved remarkable success with its nike co creation initiative which enables a com munity of over a million runners to interact with one another and the company increasing its market share by 10 percent in the first year co creation involves redefining the way organizations engage individuals customers employees suppliers partners and other stake holders bringing them into the process of value creation and engaging them in enriched experi ences in order to formulate new breakthrough strategies design compelling new products and services transform management processes lower risks and costs increase market share loyalty and returns in this pathbreaking book venkat ramaswamy who coined the term co creation with c k prahalad and francis gouillart pioneers in working with com panies to develop co creation practices show how every organization from

large corporation to small firm and government agency to not for profit can achieve win more win more results with these methods based on extraordinary research and the authors hands on experiences with successful projects in co creation at dozens of the world s most exciting organizations the power of co creation illustrates with detailed examples from leading firms such as those above as well as from cisco glaxosmithkline ama zon jabil predica wacoal caja navarra and many others how enterprises have used a wide range of engagement platforms and how they have even restructured internal management processes in order to harness the power of co creation as the authors wealth of examples make vividly clear enterprises can no longer afford to view custom ers and other stakeholders as passive recipients of their products and services but must learn to engage them in defining and delivering enhanced value co creation goes beyond the conventional process view of qual ity re engineering and lean thinking and is the essential new mind set and practice for boosting sus tainable growth productivity and profits in the future

the authors document how four forces exponential technologies the diy innovator the technophilanthropist and the rising billion are conspiring to solve our biggest problems abundance establishes hard targets for change and lays out a strategic roadmap for governments industry and entrepreneurs giving us plenty of reason for optimism

strategic thinking an executive perspective provides an overview of the major issues in strategy development for corporate executive programs and for practice oriented executive mba programs any book on such a vast subject as strategy must make compromises and trade offs this book is no exception the choices of what to include where and at what level of depth were guided by the book s primary objective as a companion volume to case analysis in an executive setting with a global outlook jacket

this volume assesses the situation for multinationals at the beginning of the 1990s bringing together contributions from academics recognized as world leaders in the field and from practitioners with wide experience in international management drawing on perspectives from europe the usa and japan the contributors outline the shape of the global firm of the future they focus squarely on the development of the corporation as a whole rather than on the narrow management of individual foreign subsidiaries and they also explore the specific implications for areas such as strategic planning systems financial management information systems and r d management

criticism that the development sector has not delivered in terms of eliminating extreme poverty fast tracking growth and preventing conflict is neither new nor surprising in fact it may be the one thing that scholars donors and practitioners agree on while many of these concerns are valid this book makes a case that the sector is closer to unlocking the gates to more effective and efficient development outcomes than is popularly believed specifically it argues that by overturning a few myths making better use of evidence and employing some different rules practitioners policy specialists and donors can foster the changes in the development architecture that are needed to reach the 10 percent of the world's population still living in extreme poverty engaging provocative and clear sighted the book provides insight into interventions around democratic governance refugee response counterterrorism gender mainstreaming environmental protection and private sector engagement it is instructive reading for professionals across the development sector think tanks and ngos

research paper undergraduate from the year 2012 in the subject politics topic development politics grade 2 atlantic international university school of business and economics course world poverty language english abstract the bottom of the pyramid bop has become a dominant discourse among the business intellectuals it created the cognizant of the irresistible consideration of billions of global poor at the bop on managerial practices i tried to analyze the different aspects of bop preposition and how large corporations can serve poor customers profitably i argue that there is no huge untapped market at the bop as argued by the bop proponents i also argue that 75 of the bop consumers are rural peasants that mncs could hardly accessible i attest that the mncs could not solve the hunger outgrowth of poverty and its root causes at the bop which is not only economic issue i argue that encouraging the consumption of luxury goods among the poor could aggravate the incidence of poverty in the world however i argue that poor must be viewed as producer rather than consumer i attest that enhancing the employment and productivity of poorest communities would lead a sustainable prosperous future and betterment live for the poor i argue that small and middle scale business enterprises could play inevitable role in the poverty elevation through increased employment of the global poor at the bop i also argue that enhancing the employability of the poor at the bop is very crucial for poverty elevation employability relates much with education i argue that vocational training for different sectors more viable for poverty reduction i also argue that increasing employment alone is not enough if poverty eradication is required then enhancing the productivity of the poor must be in focus

many give us knowledge some inspire us but very few spur us to dream this book relives late professor c k prahalad s dream life from a boy who studied in a tamil medium school among the poor in coimbatore and went on to do mba at iim ahmedabad a doctorate at the harvard business school and sat on the boards of several large global corporations yet this is not a biography it is a melange of untold stories of the profound impact ck had on global and indian business leaders ceos executives students and teachers and while doing so looks at the timeless lessons he left behind for future generations this book is for those who get excited and inspired by how path breaking ideas and deep insights on leadership strategy and behaviour change the way we run our lives and businesses it s for those who believe that the world s most difficult problems like poverty can be addressed by asking simple questions and finding innovative solutions for solving them readers will find rare and riveting stories of how ck transformed the mindsets of frightened indian business leaders after 1991 reforms into formidable global players just as fascinating is to learn how he also greatly influenced the direction and growth of india s information technology sector to those who have heard ck talk and have read his books he seemed tough and distant this book demystifies the man and makes him eminently approachable while the book is essentially about the big impact of the big man on indian business since 1991 it doubles up smartly as an incisive commentary on india s tryst with rediscovering its self belief globalization modernization and much more after 1991

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the world s most exciting fastest growing new market is where you least expect it at the bottom of the pyramid collectively the world s billions of poor people have immense untapped buying power they represent an enormous opportunity for companies who learn how

to serve them not only can it be done it is being done very profitably what s more companies aren t just making money by serving these markets they re helping millions of the world s poorest people escape poverty c k prahalad s global bestseller the fortune at the bottom of the pyramid now available in paperback shows why you can t afford to ignore bottom of the pyramid bop markets now available in paperback it offers a blueprint for driving the radical innovation you ll need to profit in emerging markets and using those innovations to become more competitive everywhere this new paperback edition includes eleven concise fast paced success stories from india peru mexico brazil and venezuela ranging from salt to soap banking to cellphones healthcare to housing these stories are backed by more detailed case studies and 10 hours of digital videos on whartonsp com simply put this book is about making a revolution building profitable bottom of the pyramid markets reducing poverty and creating an inclusive capitalism that works for everyone preface xi about the author xix part i the fortune at the bottom of the pyramid 1 chapter 1 the market at the bottom of the pyramid 3 chapter 2 products and services for the bop 23 chapter 3 bop a global opportunity 47 chapter 4 the ecosystem for wealth creation 63 chapter 5 reducing corruption transaction governance capacity 77 chapter 6 development as social transformation 99 part ii business success stories from the bottom of the pyramid 113 financing the poor 115 aravind eye care the most precious gift 131 energy for everyone 137 agricultural advances for the poor the eid parry story 149 retail for the poor 159 information technology to the poor 169 the jaipur foot story 187 health alerts for all 191 transparent government 201 the annapurna salt story 213 homes for the poor the cemex story 221 from hand to mouth the hhl soap story 235 part iii on the at whartonsp com video success stories casas bahia cemex annapurna salt hindustan lever jaipur foot aravind eye care icici bank itc e choupal eid parry voxiva e co tecnosol andhra pradesh full success case stories in pdf format the market at the bottom of the pyramid known problems and known solutions what is the missing link known problems and unique solutions known problems and systemwide reform scaling innovations creating enabling conditions for the development of the private sector the eid parry story biographies of the researchers writers of the success case stories from the fortune at the bottom of the pyramid 247 about the video success stories 255 index 257

named one of the best books on innovation 2008 by businessweek magazine from the greatest minds in business today comes a groundbreaking new blueprint for executing the next stage of customer created value c k prahalad the world s premier business thinker and it scholar m s krishnan unveil the critical missing link in connecting strategy to execution building organizational capabilities that allow companies to achieve and sustain continuous change and innovation the new age of innovation reveals that the

key to creating value and the future growth of every business depends on accessing a global network of resources to co create unique experiences with customers one at a time to achieve this ceos executives and managers at every level must transform their business processes technical systems and supply chain management implementing key social and technological infrastructure requirements to create an ongoing innovation advantage in this landmark work prahalad and krishnan explain how to accomplish this shift one where it and the management architecture form the corporation s fundamental foundation this book provides strategies for redesigning systems to co create value with customers and connect all parts of a firm to this process measuring individual behavior through smart analytics ceaselessly improving the flexibility and efficiency in all customer facing and back end processes treating all involved individuals customers employees investors suppliers as unique working across cultures and time zones in a seamless global network building teams that are capable of providing high quality low cost solutions rapidly to successfully compete on the battlefields of 21st century business companies must reinvent their processes and culture in order to sustain innovative solutions the new age of innovation is a complete program for achieving this transformation to meet the needs of the end consumer of the future

praise for wide angle vision in this book wayne burkan shows us that the vantage points from which we view and act can earn us critical advantages if we are willing to stretch our thoughts and practices beyond the edge of conventional thinking robert w galvin chairman of the executive committee and former ceo of motorola wayne burkan s wide angle vision is a very pragmatic and useful guide to dealing with and implementing change his concept of edge as it relates to customers employees and competitors should help many organizations struggling with the rapidly changing marketplace and the endless panaceas being promoted david r stamper vice president and general manager hitachi data systems latin american division at southwest airlines we redefined air transportation by utilizing edge thinking wayne burkan is offering a flight plan that if studied understood and followed will improve your bottom line for the long term if you really want to be on the leading edge for your product or service this is the place to begin howard putnam speaker author and former ceo of southwest airlines wayne burkan has brought our attention to a great source of potential opportunities for profitable growth if we take his advice and really listen to those challenging customers potential customers small competitors and unhappy employees whom we often want to dismiss as difficult d h davis president and chief operating officer rockwell international corporation strategically thought provoking it s just what busy leaders need to ensure they are focused on gaining a competitive edge an easy to read wake up call for organizations and managers wayne burkan challenges us to confront the perils of tunnel vision and

the promise of a wider perspective so simple so clear so right donald himelfarb president thrifty rent a car system inc conventional business wisdom says to get close to your best customers watch your biggest competitors and reward your model employees this controversial book offers a contrarian viewpoint and introduces a dynamic new way to compete by broadening your focus beyond mainstream thinking to spot the critical opportunities at the edge of your core business wide angle vision opens your eyes to the edge from little guy competitors preparing to take over the market to disgruntled customers and maverick employees whose complaints can lead to great ideas for change listening to complaining employees pays off that s where the idea for java r sun microsystems successful internet programming system came from with wide angle vision now you can learn how to use edge groups to sharpen your competitiveness by reducing surprise increasing innovation and satisfying customers filled with compelling examples from a range of industries and drawing on wayne burkan s extensive consulting experience with ibm ford and others wide angle vision equips you with specific action techniques that can enable you to anticipate crises before they occur by using splatter vision scenarios and benchmarking find breakthrough solutions to difficult problems by looking outside your field create powerful flexible teams that work from edge teams to ideal teams reduce resistance to organizational change through skillful timing finding perfect change agents and more reengineer with lower risk and greater efficiency using an effective seven step plan for change avoid tunnel vision by broadening your perspective to the edges of what s happening in the mainstream in today s rapidly changing marketplace opportunities are all around you wide angle vision gives you the power to look them in the eye and develop the daring skills you need to be a leading and lasting edge competitor

in today s global economy business leaders need to develop new policies and practices aimed at promoting responsible corporate citizenship the united nations global compact launched in 2000 serves as a forum in which multinational businesses work to promote human rights prevent violent conflict and contribute to more peaceful societies peace through commerce responsible corporate citizenship and the ideals of the united nations global compact contains a foreword introduction and twenty one chapters by major business leaders and scholars who discuss the issues set out by the un global compact the chapters address the purpose of the corporation the influence of legal and peace studies the experience of career ngo officials and of business leaders how commerce can help promote peace and how we might envision the future ten case studies document the efforts of individual businesses including ibm chevron bristol myers squibb general electric nestle and ford to successfully serve society s interests as well as their own peace

through commerce will lay the groundwork for courses in business schools on corporate social responsibility corporate citizenship and global environment of business this book makes a significant contribution to the literature on corporate social responsibility while the general relationship between economic development and peace has been explored before the practical exploration of corporate strategies embodied in this book is completely new it will be of interest not only to those interested in corporate responsibility but also those who study development economics and those involved in peace studies kirk o hanson santa clara university there are many books of readings on csr and corporate citizenship available but this book has a newness a freshness and sense of quality about it that i think makes it stand out it is definitely global in perspective most of the articles and cases are very good and serve their specific purpose some new ground is broken and of greater importance this is an excellent book for a seminar on responsible corporate citizenship or for one focused on csr on a global level thomas a bausch marquette university

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