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Walter Larkins is an accomplished entrepreneur with a strong legacy of invention and innovation. His current company, Sapphire CMS, pioneers a system to improve contract negotiations between hospitals and insurance companies and helps them improve operations. He attended West Point Military Academy and UCLA and served as a Captain in the US Army. He founded Endosurgical Development Corporation, pioneering advancements in minimally-invasive heart surgery. He belongs to the Board of Directors of the Institute of Innovation and Entrepreneurship, the Long Beach Accelerator, and is Chair of the Economic Commission. He founded E.O., a nonprofit that inspires students to pursue entrepreneurship and business.

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Brenda is a serial entrepreneur with 15 years of experience launching startups. She has a strong background in marketing and advertising, having started a successful ad agency in her 20s. Brenda has a proven track record as a CEO and co-founder of leading companies like Sandpiper and OnQ Corporation. Her diverse client list includes big names like Four Seasons and Hewlett Packard, showcasing her adaptability and expertise in marketing and advertising.

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Alan Pullman, AIA, is the Founding Partner of Studio One Eleven. He has focused on creating resilient and sustainable cities through architecture and urban design projects since founding the Studio in 2008. Pullman prioritizes community-driven improvements and urban interventions for sustainable mobility and quality of life. Alan Pullman is a distinguished architect with over 25 years of experience in California. He is involved in several organizations, including the American Institute of Architects and the Urban Land Institute. Pullman previously held leadership positions with the Downtown Long Beach Alliance, contributing to the city's economic development. He holds degrees from Syracuse University and the London School of Economics and Political Science.







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