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About

Edward Hightower is an automotive entrepreneur, EV start-up and global automotive OEM executive, board director, and published author. He is CEO & President of Lordstown Motors Corporation (Nasdaq: RIDE), an original equipment manufacturer (OEM) of electric vehicles for the commercial fleet market. He is also CEO of the joint venture between Lordstown and Foxconn formed to co-develop, engineer, industrialize, and laun ...see more

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Wishing your team and scholars much success this school year, Ralph.



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Thank you Jack Cheng. Great to be a part of the team!



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Experience



Chief Executive Officer & President

Lordstown Motors Corporation

Nov 2021 - Present · 11 mos

Detroit Metropolitan Area



Managing Director

Motoring Ventures LLC

2016 - 2021 · 5 yrs

Motoring Ventures is an investment, growth, strategy, and operations consulting firm focused on driving value + impact in automotive and manufacturing businesses around the world. Clients include ...see more



Executive Chief Engineer / Vehicle Line Executive - Global Crossovers

General Motors

2013 - 2016 · 3 yrs

Led GM's \$15 billion global crossovers business - Cadillac XT5, GMC Acadia, Chevrolet Traverse, Buick Enclave, Chevrolet Blazer, Holden Acadia and other platform variants. Led cross functional te ...see more



Director - Enterprise Improvement Practice, Automotive & Industrials

AlixPartners, LLP

2005 - 2011 · 6 yrs

Hands-on growth and operations senior consultant and trusted business advisor. Improved operating profits of healthy and distressed (Chapter 11) automotive, manufacturing, and consumer com ...see more



Chief Engineer - Expedition, Navigator, and Excursion

Ford Motor Company

2000 - 2003 · 3 yrs

Business and technical leader of Ford's full-size sport utility vehicles - Expedition, Navigator and Excursion. Chassis engineering manager for SuperDuty truck platform.

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Education



University of Michigan - Stephen M. Ross School of Business

MBA, General Management & Marketing

Activities and societies: Chairman of Ross Alumni Board of Governors; Ross School Advisory Board; African Business Development Corps



University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

BS, General Engineering



Lindblom Technical High School

Skills

Strategy



Endorsed by James Taylor and 12 others who are highly skilled at this



Endorsed by 13 colleagues at General Motors



99+ endorsements

Automotive



Endorsed by James Taylor and 9 others who are highly skilled at this



Endorsed by 14 colleagues at General Motors



62 endorsements

Product Development



Endorsed by Doug Marsden and 2 others who are highly skilled at this



Endorsed by 9 colleagues at General Motors



57 endorsements

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Recommendations

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Given

Nothing to see for now

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Languages

Chinese

Limited working proficiency

German

Limited working proficiency

Spanish

Limited working proficiency

Interests

Influencers

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Daymond John · 2nd
CEO of FUBU and The Shark Group, TV Personality on ABC Shark Tank, Public Speaker
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Founder of Cheddar, former President/COO of BuzzFeed, former President News and Advertising at Altice USA
1,849,491 followers

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