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**BRIAN HAMILTON**

Brian Hamilton is the chairman and co-founder of Sageworks, a financial information company. He started Sageworks with Sarah Tourville with the mission of helping small businesses. He is the inventor of ProfitCents, an artificial intelligence system that converts financial data into plain language so people can make better decisions. Thousands of financial institutions, accounting firms, privately held companies and government institutions use this technology, which has simultaneously generated the largest real-time database of private-company financial information in the United States. To date, more than 2 million businesses in America have benefited from Hamilton's inventions.

Hamilton holds two patents for his work in automating financial analysis. He is a regular guest on CNBC and MSNBC and a contributor to Inc. and Entrepreneur magazines.

Brian also founded and developed Inmates to Entrepreneurs, a program that helps ex-offenders start their own small businesses.

He holds an undergraduate degree from Sacred Heart University, where he serves on the Board of Trustees, and an MBA from Duke University's Fuqua School of Business.

