

Bill Gates

Founder, CEO, Philanthropist

SUMMARY

- Founder of Microsoft
- Developed the world's most successful operating system
- Became world's youngest billionaire at 31
- Dedicated to charitable health initiatives worldwide

NON-PROFIT EXPERIENCE

2000 - Present

Founder & Co-Chair
Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation

- Dedicated to improving healthcare and reducing extreme poverty worldwide
- Grew endowment to \$46.8 billion
- Directed millions of dollars in funding to infections disease control, reproductive health care, agricultural development, and more
- Developed Open Access policy for data and publications
- Spearheaded health research projects in all continents
- Signatory of The Giving Pledge

WORK EXPERIENCE

1975 - 2000

Founder & CEO
Microsoft

- Partnered with IBM to create PC DOS operating system
- Built Microsoft Windows operating system
- Grew Windows to 90% market share of personal computer operating systems
- Oversaw purchase of Forethought, Inc
- Oversaw development of Microsoft Office
- Grew revenues to \$22.96 Billion in 2000
- Grew Microsoft to more than 55,000 employees

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE


- Founder of bgC3, a think tank and research company
- 16% stake in Autonation
- Largest single shareholder of Canadian National Railway stock
- Founder of Branded Entertainment Network, a marketing and licensing company
- Founder of TerraPower, a nuclear reactor design company


EDUCATION


1973 - 1975


Pre-Law (Incomplete)
Harvard University


- 1500 SAT score
- Graduate-level courses in Computer Science and Mathematics



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SKILLS


BASIC




Business development



Acquisitions



Product Strategy



Lifelong Learning

