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Robbie has worked in all aspects of a business from being an executive with 25+ years of experience working Fortune 500 clients to starting and running and exiting several technology companies. She is the Founding Chairman of the Atlantis Group a seed stage capital fund specializing in tech, biotech and life sciences in the RTP region of North Carolina. She is able to relate to all sides of the small and large business equation.

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