



# ANGELA DUCKWORTH

Author of Grit, the #1 New York Times Bestseller, pioneering researcher on grit, perseverance and the science of success

- Grit, more than talent, IQ, looks, or wealth, is a powerful indicator of success
- Angela's TED talk is among the most-viewed of all time
- Her book Grit: The Power of Passion and Perseverance is a #1 New York Times best seller
- Angela is also co-host, with Stephen Dubner, of the podcast No Stupid Questions
- Founder and CEO of Character Lab, a nonprofit whose mission is to advance scientific insights that help children thrive
- Professor at the University of Pennsylvania

In her landmark research, psychologist ANGELA DUCKWORTH reveals the importance of character to success in life. Her pioneering work on grit and self-control—showcased in her instant New York Times bestseller and viral TED Talk—is in high demand among educators, athletes, and business leaders alike—anyone interested in learning what makes a top performer and what any of us can do to cultivate character in ourselves and those around us.

"Grit is passion and perseverance for very long-term goals. Grit is having stamina. Grit is sticking with your future, day-in, day-out ... Grit is living life like it's a marathon, not a sprint." — Angela Duckworth

Angela Duckworth is the Founder and CEO of Character Lab, a nonprofit whose mission is to advance scientific insights that help children thrive. She is also the Rosa Lee and Egbert Chang Professor at the University of Pennsylvania, faculty co-director of the Penn-Wharton Behavior Change For Good Initiative, and faculty co-director of Wharton People Analytics. A 2013 MacArthur Fellow, Duckworth has advised the World Bank, NBA and NFL teams, and Fortune 500 CEOs. Prior to her career in research, Duckworth founded a summer school for underserved children that was profiled as a Harvard Kennedy School case study and, in 2018, celebrated its 25th anniversary. She has also been a McKinsey management consultant and a math and science teacher in the public schools of New York City, San Francisco, and Philadelphia.

"I won't just have a job; I'll have a calling. I'll challenge myself every day. When I get knocked down, I'll get back up. I may not be the smartest person in the room, but I'll strive to be the grittiest."

— Angela Duckworth, Grit

Duckworth completed her undergraduate degree in Advanced Studies Neurobiology at Harvard, graduating magna cum laude. With the support of a Marshall Scholarship, she completed an MSc with Distinction in Neuroscience from Oxford University. She completed her PhD in Psychology as a National Science Foundation Graduate Fellow at the University of Pennsylvania. Duckworth's TED talk is among the most-viewed of all time. Her first book, Grit: The Power of Passion and Perseverance, is a #1 New York Times best seller. She is also co-host, with Stephen Dubner, of the podcast No Stupid Questions.

### TEMAS

Professor Duckworth tailors each presentation to the needs of his audience and is not limited to the topics we have listed below:

- Grit
- Peak Performance
- Leadership
- Perseverance

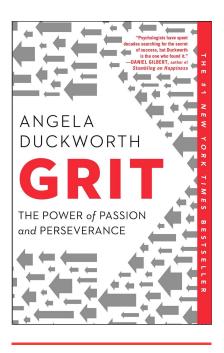
## PROGRAMAS

#### True Grit: The Surprising, and Inspiring, Science of Success

Who succeeds in life? In this talk, Angela Duckworth presents her influential work on grit the tendency to pursue long-term goals with perseverance and passion. She describes the predictive power of grit for performance in a variety of fascinating contexts. Duckworth has studied groups like the West Point cadets, National Spelling Bee competitors, rookie teachers, students from the Chicago Public Schools—all people performing in high-stress environments—to look at the correlation between grit and achievement. Drawing from these examples, and others, Duckworth explains what makes gritty individuals different from others, and, shares her belief that grit "can be instilled and cultivated by anyone, anywhere, and at any time in life."

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