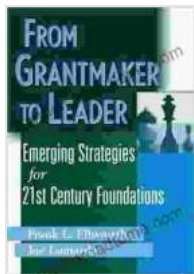


# Emerging Strategies for 21st Century Foundations: A Comprehensive Guide

In the rapidly evolving landscape of the 21st century, foundations are facing unprecedented challenges and opportunities. To remain relevant and effective, they must adapt their strategies and embrace emerging trends. The groundbreaking book 'Emerging Strategies for Twenty First Century Foundations' by Wiley Nonprofit Law provides a comprehensive guide to help foundations navigate this dynamic environment.



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## Key Themes and Strategies

The book explores a wide range of key themes and strategies that are shaping the future of foundations, including:

- **Impact Investing:** Foundations are increasingly using their investments to generate both financial returns and social impact. The

book provides practical guidance on how to develop and implement impact investment strategies.

- **Social Entrepreneurship:** Foundations are partnering with social entrepreneurs to drive innovation and create lasting change. The book offers insights into how to identify and support promising social entrepreneurs.
- **Technology:** Technology is transforming every aspect of society, and foundations are no exception. The book examines how foundations can leverage technology to improve their operations, connect with beneficiaries, and measure their impact.
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- How the Gates Foundation is partnering with social entrepreneurs to improve global health and education.
- How the Hewlett Foundation is using technology to enhance its grantmaking process and connect with beneficiaries.
- How the MacArthur Foundation is embracing innovation in its support of creative and scholarly work.

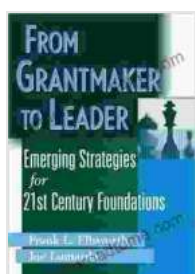
'Emerging Strategies for Twenty First Century Foundations' is an essential resource for foundation leaders, board members, and staff who are seeking to position their organizations for success in the years to come. The book provides a comprehensive overview of the key trends and strategies that are shaping the future of foundations, and offers practical guidance on how to implement these strategies effectively. By embracing the emerging strategies outlined in this book, foundations can enhance their impact, drive innovation, and create a more just and equitable world.

To learn more about the book and its groundbreaking insights, visit the Wiley Nonprofit Law website or Free Download the book on Our Book Library.

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