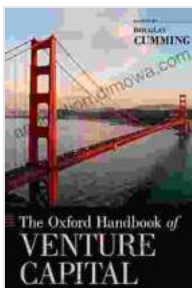


Unveiling the Secrets of Innovation: A Comprehensive Guide to Venture Capital

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'The Oxford Handbook of Venture Capital' is a comprehensive guide to this complex and ever-evolving field. Written by leading experts from academia and industry, this handbook provides an in-depth exploration of the key concepts, strategies, and practices that drive successful venture capital investments.

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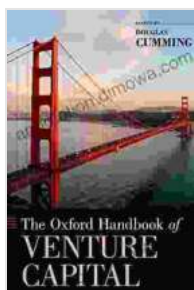
- **Due diligence:** The process of evaluating a company's financial performance, management team, and market potential before making an investment.
- **Deal structuring:** The negotiation of the terms of a venture capital investment, including the amount of funding, the equity stake, and the liquidation preferences.
- **Portfolio management:** The strategies that venture capital firms use to manage their investments, including the allocation of capital, the monitoring of performance, and the exit strategies.

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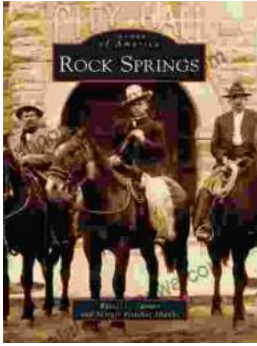


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