

WIB- Tenacity. Drive. Ambition. Empathy. Authenticity.

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Gordon, the author of "Female Entrepreneurship is Not a Myth – Women Building Businesses for Greater Wealth," founded SLG Investment Holdings in 2019, and she is also the vice president of FlackTek Inc.

Is there a mentor who has meant a lot to you in your career? A book?

Early in my professional life, I had an employer named Tina Monie. She was a driven woman leading a surveying company in a male-dominated industry. When Tina entered a room, she owned the room. She understood her business, her industry, and all of the strengths and weaknesses of her team. She was a force. She would not let me slink into the background and taught me to take control of my career, and life and only accept the best from my team by praising their strengths and helping them overcome their weaknesses. The collective team was the solution to success.

What's the best advice you have received in business that you wish to pass on to our readers?

To believe in yourself and in what you are doing. Measure the risk, manage it, and move forward, always.