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Career and Personal Paths

After leaving school rather young, I went back at age 24 to complete a Bachelor's in finance and a two-year Master's in management. As soon as I finished my studies, I started my business. I ran a few clothing stores for eight years. After I sold them, I was an account manager and financial analyst for Desjardins and the CAE in Côte Nord. In 1998, I settled in the Haute-Yamaska region, where I continued to work with entrepreneurs through the CAE, Desjardins, and Granby Industriel. At the dawn of my retirement, in the summer of 2015, I bought a metal and plastic container distribution company that distributes across Canada.

Why I Became an Entrepreneur or Administrator

Because I love a challenge. I am excited about taking a project or business to the next level.

Why I Am a Mentor

For the pleasure of meeting people with ideas and a vision. I am driven by their will to progress and develop.

My Guiding Values

I rely on honesty to forge good relationships. I do not judge; I live and let live. My motto: What is worse than not succeeding is not trying.

My Passions and Interests

Hiking and snowshoeing. I have climbed several mountains in Canada, the United States, and Europe.