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Adam Braun is a 3x award-winning entrepreneur, New York Times & Wall Street Journal bestselling author, and a world-renowned keynote speaker on leadership and innovation. His talks have been watched more than 3 million times, and the businesses he has founded and led have raised over \$100MM by leveraging his unique, teachable framework - Build For Where The World Is Headed.

As CEO of Clarasight, a technology company focused on company sustainability whose clients represent more than \$1T in market capitalization and Chairman of Pencils of

Promise, the organization he started with \$25 that has built more than 600 schools around the world, his talks are rooted in the authentic first-hand lessons learned through successes and struggles in building pioneering companies with acclaimed leaders at the frontlines of industry innovation.

His journey has taken him to 75 countries to identify how the world's best leaders navigate uncertainty to shape the future, and by distilling these universal learnings he has been featured as a speaker at The White House, Stanford and Harvard Business Schools, and countless Fortune 500 companies, industry associations and universities.

His book, *The Promise of a Pencil: How an Ordinary Person Can Create Extraordinary Change*, is an international bestseller that reached the #1 spot on What Corporate America Is Reading. He has also been named to Business Insider's 40 Under 40, Wired's 50 People Who Will Change the World, and is the recipient of the Tribeca Disruptive Innovation Award as well as the United States' most prestigious award for public service, the Jefferson Award.

