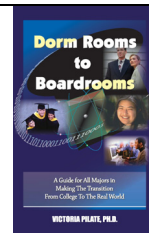


Crandell & Rose presents:

Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms

Library Fact Sheet



That's quite a book title. Just what is *Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms* about?

Simply put, *Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms* (Crandell & Rose; \$13) is a guide for starting careers. *Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms* is based on the author's own story as well as that of 200 survey respondents. The book covers all major hurdles of starting a job and making career decisions.

In *Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms* author Victoria Pilate guides readers through the pain of transitioning from college to the Real World. The book starts with the job search process and continues on through relocating and the first days on the job. Book reviewers have praised its chapters on surviving office politics and developing professional etiquette. Going a step beyond other career transition books, *Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms* offers valuable tips on health, travel and business presentations.

Why should I add *Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms* to our collection?

Your library patrons will love it. Career books are perennial favorites of U.S. readers, and *Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms* is no exception. Better still, it's appropriate for readers of many age groups. *Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms* has been praised for being "an opportunity and vehicle for students to succeed." [Ayodele Julius Alade, Ph.D., Interim Dean, School of Business and Technology, University of Maryland Eastern Shore] and for being "filled with sound, well-organized tips." [The Voice-Tribune (Louisville, KY)]. Other reviewers commend its readability saying the book is "a helpful, easy read for students, advisors, and employers alike." [Angela N. Romans, Associate Director of Admission and Director of Minority Recruitment at Brown University] and that it is "a great read for college students who all eventually enter the world of work." [Hazel O'Leary, Ph.D., President of Fisk University]

Crandell & Rose has been delighted by the public's reaction to *Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms*. Although the expected audience was graduating college students, the book has been used successfully in programs for college freshmen (North Carolina Central University and Troy University) and even for high school students (University of Central Florida, Civic Leadership Academy). At book signings, most buyers have been mature women looking for more career advice. As one book reviewer noted, "The book is invaluable to professionals at all career stages." [Abolite Independent]

Tell me more about the author.

Victoria Pilate grew up in Florida and attended Florida A&M University. She received undergraduate degrees there in business administration and economics. Pilate also has Master's degree in economics from Howard University and a Doctorate in Policy Sciences (Evaluation Policy) from the University of Maryland, Baltimore County. Her 15-year career in public service included stints as an economist with the Bureau of Labor Statistics and as a statistician. She has studied the economy and job market trends for years.

Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms is her second nonfiction book. Pilate sits on the advisory board of the University of Maryland, Eastern Shore's School of Business and Technology. She lives and works in the Washington, DC, metropolitan area.

What is the background of *Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms*?

Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms (ISBN: 0-9759665-0-2) was released in 2004 and re-released in 2006 by Crandell & Rose Publishing House. The book retails for \$13 but is available from the publisher at a discount.

How do I order *Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms*?

Dorm Rooms to Boardrooms is available online from Crandell & Rose's website, www.crandell-rose.com, for a discount. Our books are also carried by Barnes & Noble and Amazon.com. Book wholesalers such as Midwest Library Service, Eastern Book Company, and Emery-Pratt also carry our books.

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