

OMAR TYREE

The Equation for Life: Balancing Art and Business



Omar Tyree, a New York Times best-selling author, NAACP Image Award recipient, and a Phillis Wheatley Literary Award winner, has published 15 books and has sold nearly 2 million copies worldwide. With a degree in Print Journalism from Howard University, Tyree has been recognized as one of the most renowned contemporary writers in the African-American community. He is also an informed and passionate speaker on various community-related and intellectual topics. *The Equation for Life: Balancing Art and Business* speaks volumes on the delicate balance of the modern artist with the entrepreneurial necessities that a career in art entails. Tyree insists that art and business are inherently intertwined. It is a message that is crucial to any aspiring author, novelist, painter or musician. Soon to enter the world of feature film making, self-help / business books, and urban children's books, Tyree is a tireless creator and visionary of few limitations.



Accomplishments

New York Times best-selling author

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