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## FROM THE KITCHEN TABLE TO WALL STREET A BRIEF STUDY OF AFRICAN AMERICAN ENTREPRENEURS

The American entrepreneurial spirit is as American as apple pie. However, the top tier of real-life and fictional examples of American entrepreneurs is usually occupied by white men. This talk seeks to critique the normative whiteness of American entrepreneurism and showcase evidence of successful black entrepreneurial acumen beyond the culturally circumscribed fields reserved to black business and black success (e.g. the entertainment industry and sports).

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