

Becoming a Public Benefit Corporation

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The book explains this exciting new type of corporation, when it makes sense, and how it can help organizations balance the tradeoffs between profits and mission.



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The statutes that enable benefit corporations and public benefit corporations are wonderful reinforcement tools for social mission, but they are poor enforcement tools. *Becoming a Public Benefit Corporation* explains the legal features of these relatively new, hybrid forms, exploring their strengths and weaknesses.

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