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# FAMOUS FIGURES IN THE WORLD OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP



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# **C O N T E N T S**

**1. Bill Gates**

**2. Jeff Bezos**

**3. Mark Zuckerberg**

**4. Richard Branson**

**5. Oprah Winfrey**

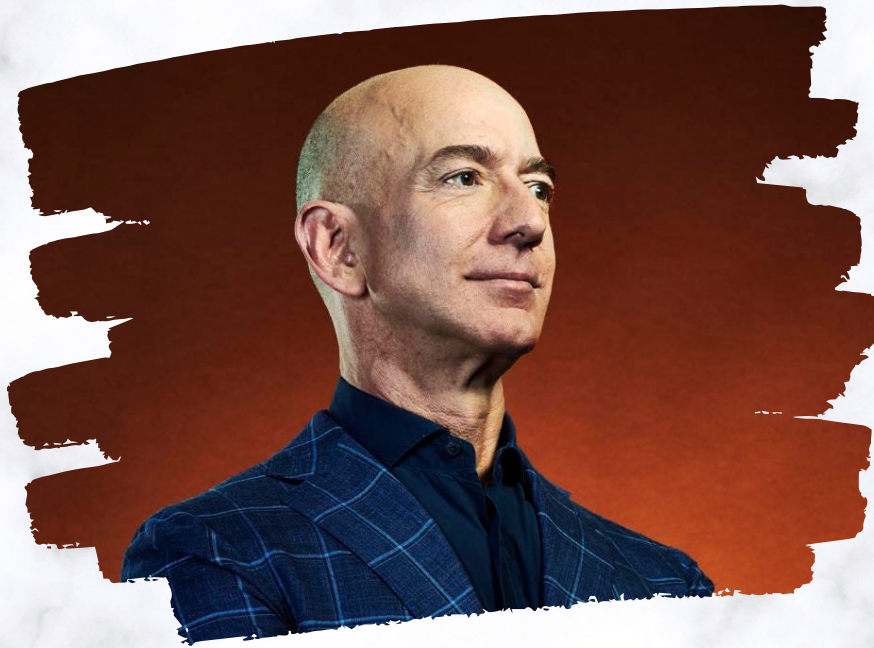
**6. Elon Musk**

# BILL GATES



William Henry Gates III (born October 28, 1955) is an American business magnate, software developer, investor, author, and philanthropist. He is a co-founder of Microsoft, along with his late childhood friend Paul Allen. During his career at Microsoft, Gates held the positions of chairman, chief executive officer (CEO), president and chief software architect, while also being the largest individual shareholder until May 2014.[4] He is considered one of the best known entrepreneurs of the microcomputer revolution of the 1970s and 1980s.

# JEFF BEZOS



Jeffrey Preston Bezos (born January 12, 1964) is an American entrepreneur, media proprietor, investor, and computer engineer. Jeff Bezos founded e-commerce giant Amazon in 1994 out of his garage in Seattle. He stepped down as CEO to become executive chairman on July 5, 2021.

With a net worth of almost \$200.1 billion as of September 2021, he is either the wealthiest or second-wealthiest person in the world according to both Forbes and Bloomberg's Billionaires Index.

# MARK ZUCKERBERG



Mark Elliot Zuckerberg (born May 14, 1984) is an American media magnate, internet entrepreneur, and philanthropist. He is known for co-founding Facebook and serves as its chairman, chief executive officer, and controlling shareholder. He also is a co-founder of the solar sail spacecraft development project Breakthrough Starshot and serves as one of its board members.

Zuckerberg attended Harvard University, where he launched the Facebook social networking service from his dormitory room in February 2004 with his roommates Eduardo Saverin, Andrew McCollum, Dustin Moskovitz, and Chris Hughes.

# RICHARD BRANSON



Sir Richard Charles Nicholas Branson (born 18 July 1950) is a British business magnate, investor, and author. In the 1970s he founded the Virgin Group, which today controls more than 400 companies in various fields. Branson expressed his desire to become an entrepreneur at a young age. His first business venture, at the age of 16, was a magazine called Student. In 1970, he set up a mail-order record business, which would be the catalyst for his future endeavors in the field of entrepreneurship.

# OPRAH WINFREY



Oprah Gail Winfrey (born Oprah Gail Winfrey January 29, 1954) is an American talk show host, television producer, actress, author, and philanthropist. She is best known for her talk show, *The Oprah Winfrey Show*, broadcast from Chicago, which was the highest-rated television program of its kind in history and ran in national syndication for 25 years, from 1986 to 2011.[3] [better source needed] Dubbed the "Queen of All Media", she was the richest African American of the 20th century and once the world's only Black billionaire and the greatest Black philanthropist in U.S. history.

# ELON MUSK



Elon Reeve Musk FRS (born June 28, 1971) is an entrepreneur and business magnate. He is the founder, CEO, and Chief Engineer at SpaceX; early stage investor, CEO, and Product Architect of Tesla, Inc.; founder of The Boring Company; and co-founder of Neuralink and OpenAI. A centibillionaire, Musk is the richest person in the world as of October 2021.