## LEADER'S DIGEST

"The only way to win, is to learn faster than anyone else."

**Eric Ries** 



## HOW TO WORK WITH AN ENTREPRENEURIAL **MINDSET**

As we've all noticed, everything can change in heartbeat. It is therefore crucial to be agile and entrepreneurial. But how?

**Sahar Hashemi**, an entrepreneur and author, has a few great tips on how to embrace entrepreneurial mindset even when you don't work in a startup:

- Become your customer. Don't only rely on market research, but try to experience the world from your customer's perspective.
- Make time for seeing new things. Creativity comes only when you have created space for it.
- Become clueless. Your skills and experience will blind you from seeing new opportunities, so break from established thinking and un-learn.
- Prototype. In established companies, there's usually pressure to do it "right" the first time. But you need to prototype: try, fail, adapt, and move on.
- Never stop at a no. No is not a stop sign, it's often just someone's opinion.

Hashemi spoke at our events in Stockholm and Oslo last year. You can read the full summary of her speech here.

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## THE ART OF DISRUPTION



"Great disruption occurs when people in a company want to make meaning as opposed to simply making money. Making meaning is the key to disruption, so how are you going to make the world a better place?"

That's the first of the 10 steps **Guy** Kawasaki suggests for businesses in order to succeed in the art of disruption.

You can find the other 9 steps by watching Kawasaki's speech from our NBForum 2015 event. The speech is available here until 14 October. Enjoy!

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