

Due Quach

Author, Founder & CEO



Due Quach (pronounced 'Zway Kwok') is an inspiring social entrepreneur and the author of [*Calm Clarity: How to Use Science to Rewire Your Brain for Greater Wisdom, Fulfillment and Joy*](#), one of [*Fast Company's*](#) best business books of 2018.

Her social enterprise, also named [Calm Clarity](#), combines neuroscience and mindfulness to address unconscious bias and systemic inequity, foster genuine inclusion and inclusive leadership, and improve collective mental health and well-being.

Having started life in poverty as a refugee in inner-city Philadelphia, Due turned to neuroscience to heal the long-term effects of trauma, graduate from Harvard College and the Wharton School of Business, and build a successful international business career. Due's extraordinary story is featured in [*The Portal*](#), a documentary film about meditation as a portal for healing and transformation.

After her autobiographical essay, "[Poor and Traumatized at Harvard](#)," became a viral sensation, she collaborated with student leaders to start a grassroots organization, [the Collective Success Network](#), to mentor, support, and empower low-income, first-generation college students to successfully navigate college and enter professional careers.