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**Entrepreneur**

Tim spent more than a decade in Fast Moving Consumer Goods, ending up as Client Services Director of the global advertising agency BBDO. He then became an entrepreneur and co-founded a retail business that achieved a turnover of £17 million. It was called by 3i, “a gem of a company.”

Selling the business in 1992, Tim has built up a portfolio of interests. He set up, and Chairs, three Think Tanks for Chief Executives, including the Sports and Leisure Industry, with CEO’s from brands such as Nike, Reebok, and Adidas.

Tim’s latest book, published in June 2009 by Pearson, is entitled You Can Be As Young As You Think.  An iPhone App of the Brain Age Test has also been created.

It is an uplifting and practical guide to moving from 'Old Brained', anxious, defensive, closed, thinking, to 'Young Brained', creative, enthusiastic and open thinking.

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