Two men from humble origins, born during the Great Depression — hard work, low pay, and long hours…Working to support their families and thankful to have a job. Seizing opportunities whenever they could… Learning the ropes from mentors and then mustering the courage to take that “leap of faith” and become an entrepreneur.

John Sykes, founder of Sykes Enterprises and Frank Morsani, founder of Precision Enterprises, know what it takes to build a $1 billion business. Combined they have more than 100 years of business experience. They’ve survived economic downturns, business failures, geo-political challenges and technology revolutions. Along the way they’ve learned a lot about human nature and what it takes to succeed.

Will the same qualities that shaped the legendary success of Sykes and Morsani still work as we enter the new, technology driven, global society of the 21st century?

Thursday, Feb. 27, 2014

Falk Theater • 428 W Kennedy Blvd, Tampa, FL 33606

SPEAKERS: John H. Sykes – Philanthropist and Founder of Sykes Enterprises
Frank Morsani – Philanthropist and Founder of Precision Enterprises

MODERATOR: Geoffrey Simon – Senior VP, Investments – Simon & Associates
Wealth Management of Raymond James

HOST: F. Frank Ghannadian, Ph.D. – Dean – Sykes College of Business

AGENDA: 5:30 – 6 p.m. – Refreshments and Networking
6 – 7:30 p.m. – Welcome and Introductions • Presentation and Q&A

Free Admission • Limited Seating • RSVP by Monday, Feb. 24, 2014

For more information and to register, visit www.SykesHallofFame.eventbrite.com

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