



Michael Levin

MICHAEL LEVIN is an Amherst College graduate and Columbia Law School-trained attorney whose publishing career encompasses a remarkable 60 works, including eight novels, eleven works of nonfiction, two dozen ghostwritten books, a commissioned screenplay and the script for a DVD series. His books have received outstanding reviews in major publications from coast to coast. Michael specializes in the following genres:

biography • business • sports • social issues

He has published with Simon & Schuster (three novels), Putnam/Berkley (two novels), Beacon Press, Random House, St. Martin's Press and Pearson Educational. Three of Michael's published novels have been optioned, and one novel became an ABC Sunday night Disney movie of the week.

His articles, opinion pieces and reviews have appeared in the *New York Times*, the *Wall Street Journal*, the *Los Angeles Times*, the *Boston Globe*, *Buzz Magazine*, the *Jerusalem Post* and the *Columbia Journal of Law and Social Problems*, among other places. One of his *New York Times* opinion pieces was anthologized in a college textbook on writing. He has served as a consultant on creativity to the NBC and WB television networks, was a faculty member at UCLA and New York University and is a member of the Massachusetts bar.

He also consults to a broad variety of authors, ranging from international bestselling writers to individuals seeking to become published authors. His clients and students include bestselling authors such as Patricia Aburdene (*Megatrends* and *Re-inventing the Corporation*), Sheneska Jackson, Jenoyne Adams and Maureen Quinn, who wrote a novel under his direction and sold the screen rights to Janine Turner of television's *Northern Exposure*.

"To my coauthor, Michael Levin. You've been the consummate teammate through the whole process of writing this book . . . From the beginning your love and knowledge of the game shone through, hence our ideas flourished and our exchange of ideas was always lively. I'd say my 2006 first-round draft pick for a coauthor was an extremely successful one."

DAVE WINFIELD, BASEBALL HALL OF FAME
Author of *Dropping the Ball*, published by Scribner, 2007, written with Michael Levin

"The idea of writing my own memoirs was intimidating and lonely. Finding Michael Levin took away my fear . . . His style of asking questions and probing deeper on each subsequent interview allowed me to grow into a comfort zone that elicited the most intimate details from my crazy life. Michael's vast experience turned what I had dreaded doing into a truly happy task."

BREE WALKER
Top news anchor, talk radio host, and spokeswoman for the disability rights movement

"Michael is an outstanding writer and a good guy to work with. He enhanced the outreach and work of Operation HOPE. I definitely recommend him."

JOHN HOPE BRYANT
Founder, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Operation HOPE, Inc.

"Michael Levin is the very best! Professional, fast, extremely detailed—and he gets it! We had a wonderful experience cowriting our very first book with him and we wholeheartedly recommend him to anyone needing to hire a ghostwriter."

**JACKIE CHRISTIE AND
14-YEAR NBA STAR DOUG CHRISTIE**

"Michael Levin is a discerning and kind writing coach who has won consistent plaudits from the many persons I've sent his way."

SCOTT TUROW
Bestselling author

"Michael has the unique ability to listen and find the real person—and then create the perfect book for that person. I work with A-level celebrities and I feel very confident trusting Michael with my clients."

HOWARD BRAGMAN
Founder, Fifteen Minutes, and one of the leading publicists in Hollywood