

# Steve Wozniak Co-founder of Apple Computer



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A Silicon Valley icon and philanthropist for more than three decades, Steve Wozniak has helped shape the computing industry with his design of Apple's first line of products the Apple I and II and influenced the popular Macintosh. In 2009 Steve Wozniak joined Fusion-io, a data storage and server company as their chief scientist.

"Never trust a computer you can't throw out a window"

### In detail

Ever since co-founding Apple alongside Steve Jobs in 1976, Wozniak has consistently remained at the forefront of innovation. Currently, he holds the position of Chief Scientist at Primary Data, a prominent data virtualisation company. Throughout his career, he has amassed a remarkable array of accomplishments, earning him prestigious accolades such as the National Medal of Technology. His ground-breaking work in designing the first personal computer led him to receive the esteemed Heinz Award for Technology, the Economy, and Employment. His passion for mathematics and electronics has fuelled his commitment to inspiring students and educators alike, igniting excitement for learning.

# What he offers you

An inductee to the National Inventors Hall of Fame, Steve Wozniak has a profound understanding of Apple's principles. He provides valuable lessons that exemplify how transformative progress can originate from humble beginnings. As a highly skilled business speaker, he has a captivating story of success to share with any audience.

### How he presents

Steve mesmerizes audiences with his signature Fireside chats, intimate, 60-minute dialogues between Woz, a moderator, and the audience. This format gives the event hosts comprehensive control over the content of the appearance, allowing for a truly unique and highly engaging experience for all attendees.

# **Topics**

The Founding of Apple

Innovation and Creativity

Entrepreneurship, Thinking like an Entrepreneur

iWoz, Autobiography

Robotics and Automation

A Personal Vision for the Future of Technology

Big Data

Wearables

# Languages

He presents in English.

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#### How to book him?

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# **Publications**

#### 2006

iWoz: From Computer Geek to Cult Icon: How I Invented the Personal Computer, Co-Founded Apple, and Had Fun Doing It. (his autobiography with Gina Smith)

# Credentials

#### 2000

Inducted into the National Inventors Hall of Fame

Heinz Award for Technology for "single-handedly designing the first personal computer"

### 1985

National Medal of Technology presented by Ronald Reagan, then President of the U.S. for his achievements at Apple Computer