



Tim Gavin

Tim's career began as an International level professional skateboarder and has progressed through his career as an athlete to his business career in which a cornerstone accomplishment is being the co-founder of DVS Shoe Co., and later on masterminding a "multi brand" strategy with Matix Clothing, and Lakai Footwear brands under Podium Distribution, which reached over \$100MM in annual sales at the height of the company's success. Tim functioned as the Vice President of Marketing and in this role he led all Marketing and Brand Management efforts as well as played an integral role in Sales, Product Line Development, Merchandising and Design. Tim has since founded two new brands, Filament Brand (a footwear company) and Knox Hardware, a skateboard hardware company. He's a family man with a wife and two kids and is active in their lives.