



# Bad Blood

## The Rise and Fall of Elizabeth Holmes

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Join us for an illustrated lecture and book review by historian Leslie Goddard about the breathtaking rise and shocking collapse of Theranos, the multibillion-dollar bloodtesting company founded by Elizabeth Holmes

We'll explore the research chronicled by John Carreyrou in his acclaimed 2018 best-seller *Bad Blood*. Holmes, who was at one point widely seen as the female Steve Jobs, was a brilliant college dropout whose company promised to revolutionize blood testing with a machine that could run dozens of tests off a single drop of blood.

Backed by powerful investors, Theranos grew into a company valued at more than \$9 billion. The only problem, as Carreyrou revealed, was that the technology didn't work.

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