



About PEAK

Launched in 1987, PEAK Learning® is a research and consulting firm with the quest to create positive, meaningful and enduring change for organizations and individuals.

PEAK's founding principal, Dr. Paul Stoltz, and the PEAK team are the architects of the groundbreaking Adversity Quotient® (AQ®). AQ® consists of measurement tools and methodologies for understanding, assessing and strengthening resilience, performance, innovation, accountability and agility.

The core PEAK team is comprised of select professionals with diverse specializations who share a passion for evolving and applying the AQ® and related technologies in creative ways to expand human capacity for an increasingly challenging world.

PEAK Learning® is the international hub for Adversity Quotient® (AQ®)-related research and applications. Based in San Luis Obispo, California, PEAK has licensed affiliates in Scandinavia and Singapore, as well as U.S. affiliates focusing on PEAK's applications and research in education and professional sports. PEAK has a global research partnership with Stanford University focusing on AQ®-related applications in entrepreneurial endeavors.

PEAK's clients range in size from industry-leading multinationals to early stage dotcoms and represent a wide range of industries including professional services, telecommunications, high-tech, hospitality, shipping, energy, retail, food products, and government agencies.

Dr. Stoltz's first book, *Adversity Quotient: Turning Obstacles into Opportunities* became a national bestseller and has been printed in eight languages. It was also named one of "The Top 30 Books of the Year" by *USA Today*. His second book, *Adversity Quotient@Work* (HarperCollins/ Morrow, 2000) introduces new AQ®-related applications, has been selected as the Institute for Management Studies' Book of the Month, and has been repeatedly featured in the world's leading media.

PEAK LEARNING® Capabilities

The PEAK Team's core competencies and natural talents include:

- Designing and delivering life-changing, business-transforming learning experiences
- Integrating face-to-face learning with innovative web-based methods
- Strategic consulting
- Life coaching
- Applied research design and implementation
- Creating strategic alliances
- Customizing and inventing new solutions for client needs
- Building relationships
- Crafting and delivering high-impact presentations
- Collaboration with like-minded visionaries
- Professional writing
- Making the "impossible" possible