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Mavericks owner, Mark Cuban, to speak at UF Dec. 3

Gainesville, Fla. – The ACCENT Speaker’s Bureau at the University of Florida will bring Dallas Mavericks’ owner, ABC’s Shark Tank member and best-selling author, Mark Cuban, to campus on Dec. 3.

Author of How to Win at the Sport of Business, Cuban became an entrepreneur at 12 years of age by selling garbage bags door-to-door, and today has a business empire worth 2.5 billion dollars.

Best known for his ownership of NBA’s Dallas Mavericks, Cuban also founded AXS TV, Broadcast.com and MicroSolutions, as well as invested in start-up companies including Mahalo, JungleCents.com, motionlift.com, Filesanywhere.com, Naked Pizza and 140fire.com.

Cuban is recognized as one of the most influential people in the media and sports industries and will be sharing with the audience his experiences as an entrepreneur and talk about the road to his success.

Cuban holds a bachelor’s degree in business administration from Indiana University’s Kelley School of Business.

The program starts at 8 p.m. at the Curtis M. Phillips Center for the Performing Arts and will be followed by a question-and-answer session.

Doors open at 7 p.m., and admission is free and open to the public. Tickets are required and will be available from the Phillips Center Box Office an hour before the event. Photography will not be allowed during the program, but press record and photograph during the first five minutes of the remarks.

About ACCENT Speaker’s Bureau:
ACCENT Speaker’s Bureau is the largest student-run speaker’s bureau in the nation and is an agency of the University of Florida Student Government. Since its creation in 1967, ACCENT has had as its mission to bring a plethora of prominent, influential and controversial speakers to the University of Florida with the intent of further educating the university’s student body outside the classroom.

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