

## Impact Guide The Lean Approach

"No business plan survives first contact with customers."

-- Steve Blank

#### GETTING OUT OF THE BUILDING - CUSTOMER DEVELOPMENT:

Customer development is a process of testing your hypotheses with a series of experiments to improve your insights about your product and the market.

Keynote Lecture Notes:

Impact Question: What will you do differently as a result of what you've learned from this module?



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