Bill Gates and Warren Buffett have more in common than huge fortunes: they also share a passion for critical thinking. In fact, their close friendship got started at their very first meeting when Buffett presented Gates with a critical thinking exercise that he uses to hone his stock-picking skills. Gates says of that first meeting that he’d “never met anyone who thought about business in a clear way.” In this course you can make your first acquaintance with time tested concepts and techniques of critical thinking, and you can try out these newfound skills on real business problems.

You can’t turn into Warren Buffett in a single semester, but In this course you will learn how to apply deductive and inductive logic to the analysis of arguments, and will get practice in writing critically and analytically about business cases. No prior knowledge of logic will be assumed.

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