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Yazid is president and founder of Nos Quartiers Ont des Talents (NQT), a non-profit organization dedicated to helping high graduate people from disadvantaged areas of France to find work suited to their skills. Since it started in 2006, NQT has helped 17 500 young college graduates and gathered 4 500 mentors (volunteer managers to coach candidates). Yazid also founded Neocles in 1998, first Cloud-Computing company in France, which he sold to Orange in 2006. He then became Orange Business Service Prospective Cloud Executive Vice President. In 2012 he Co-Founded Be-Bound a startup who develop an innovative mobile solution to stay connected to the Internet worldwide with a smartphone even with low or no Internet connection.