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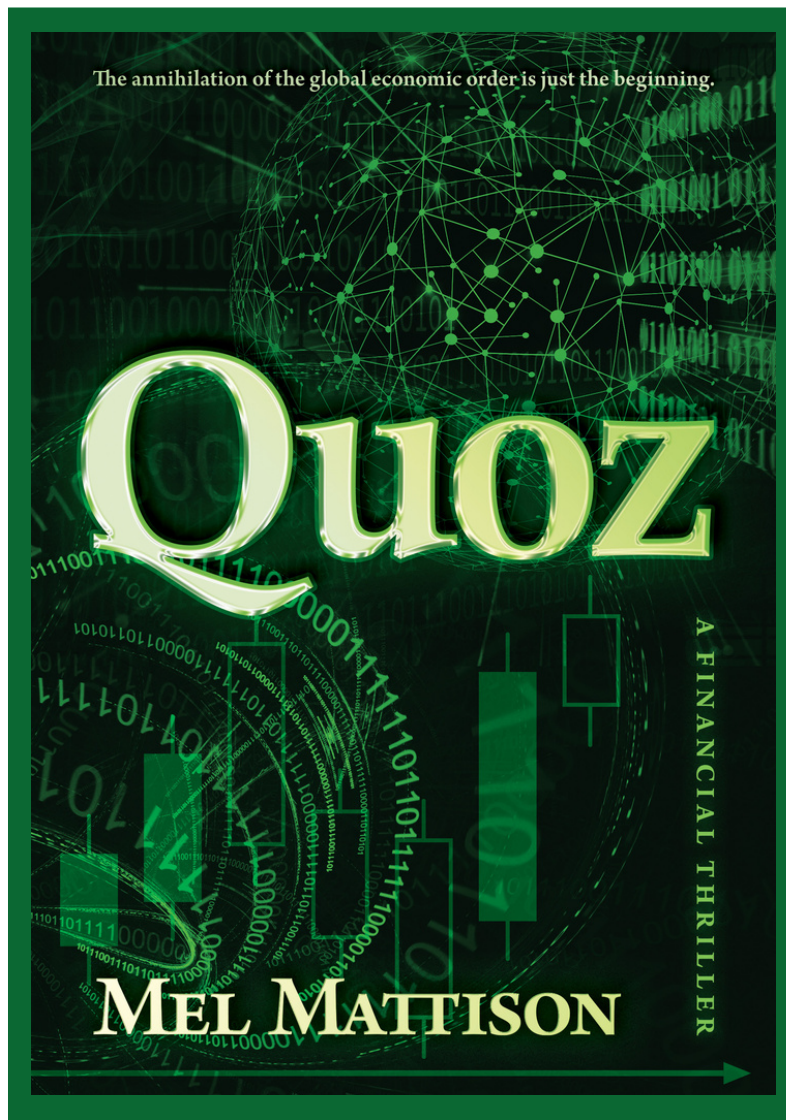
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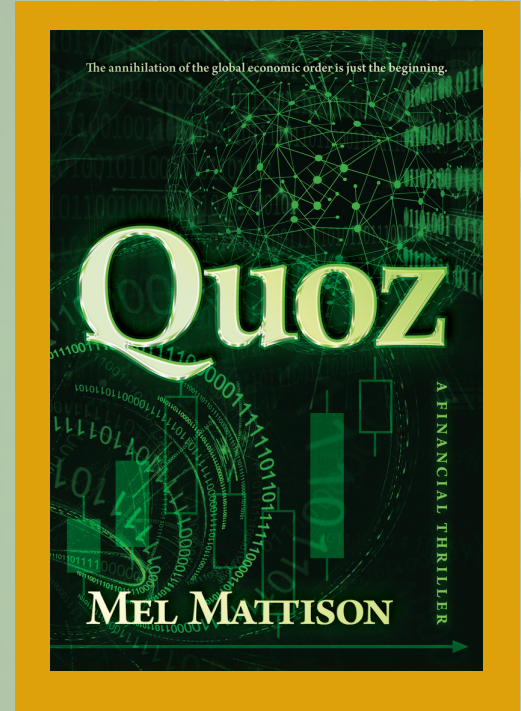
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In *Quoz*, Mel weaves together a tale of monetary mayhem that strikes directly at the core of American power and economic might. He pulls characters seemingly out of the screen of *Margin Call*, *Boiler Room*, and *The Wolf of Wall Street*, delivering an epic thrill ride packed with action, intrigue, and a healthy dose of economic realism. As Thomas Jefferson wrote, “banking establishments are more dangerous than standing armies.”

Quick Facts

It's 2027. Rory O'Connor is the financial genius who helped create ICARUS, a quantum computer that now controls the world's stock markets with AI and algorithms. But Rory has recently suffered some tough breaks. He's checked out of high finance and into a luxury Caribbean condo. After a former colleague finds anomalies with ICARUS, Rory quickly finds himself at the nexus of a high-stakes international conspiracy. In the process, he discovers a hidden thumb drive that contains the mysterious and encrypted Vega files, which leads to a botched attempt on his life. Now, Rory must travel to Switzerland, access the ICARUS mainframe, decrypt the drive, overcome his demons, and save the world from financial chaos. If he fails, the globe descends into an economic Armageddon controlled by madmen and psychopathic bankers.



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Praise for *Quoz: A Financial Thriller*



Trey Radel

Former member of United States Congress

Quoz serves as a cautionary tale for what lies ahead. You've been warned.



Massimo Paone

Former Chief Investment Officer, Populist Capital

Thriller readers with any interest in finance need to read Quoz! It's like *The Big Short* meets *The Terminal List*. Perfect for fans of Michael Lewis and Jack Carr.



Publisher's Weekly

Fintech executive Mattison puts his cryptocurrency expertise to good use in his chilling debut ... Joseph Finder fans should check this out.



Kirkus Magazine Selected Review

[Quoz] is an exciting read ... with big doses of humor and some exciting action sequences ... [Mattison] knows how to spin an exciting yarn. A captivating financial thriller that works.