



Lee Renshaw

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President, Round Circle Group Ltd.

While you may not know Lee Renshaw by name, you may have seen him on TV. The inventor of Rise and Hang Travel Gear and president of Round Circle Group Ltd., Renshaw appeared on the CBC television show *Dragon's Den* in 2012 where he was offered two deals. From there, his hanging luggage system has appeared on The Shopping Channel and the Today Show, which led to his invention being named one of the top Christmas gift ideas for 2012. Renshaw's Rise and Hang, which features a duffel bag with collapsible hanging shelves, was included in the gifts to the stars at the 2014 Academy Awards. He also licensed his technology to the global firm California Innovations, a move that generated sales of \$2 million in 2013, in addition to his own sales of more than \$500,000.