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In today's rapidly evolving business landscape, understanding the intricacies of service research is paramount for organizations seeking to differentiate themselves, meet customer expectations, and drive growth. 'The Routledge Handbook of Service Research: Insights and Ideas' emerges as an indispensable resource, empowering practitioners and academics alike with a comprehensive understanding of the field's theoretical foundations, methodological advancements, and practical applications.



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Edited by renowned service research experts, this handbook brings together leading scholars and industry professionals to present cutting-edge insights and innovative ideas that shape the future of service

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