

Two brothers from Hoboken, New Jersey travel across the Hudson River to make money on Wall Street, then return home to fight against it.

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*Street Smart* is a gripping tale of ambition, loyalty, and survival set against the backdrop of the mid-1990s financial world—a time when the rise of technology was beginning to revolutionize trading.

At its core, the film explores the timeless themes of brotherhood and the pursuit of the American Dream, while also delving into the moral complexities of success in a cutthroat environment.

In today's world, where financial markets are more volatile and influential than ever, and technology continues to disrupt industries, *Street Smart* offers a compelling reflection on the consequences of ambition and the ethical dilemmas faced by those seeking to outmaneuver the system.

With the resurgence of interest in '90s nostalgia and stories that reveal the darker side of capitalism, this film resonates strongly with contemporary audiences. *Street Smart* isn't just a story for its time; it's a narrative that speaks to the challenges and aspirations of today's world.

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Christopher  
Caruso

A brilliant yet ambitious young trader, Christopher is driven by a desire to prove himself in the high-stakes world of finance. With a natural talent for numbers and a knack for coding, he walks a fine line between innovation and risk, all while navigating the complex relationship with his protective older brother, Antony.



Antony  
Caruso

A tough, street-smart protector, Antony is fiercely loyal to his younger brother. Haunted by their father's failures, he is determined to stay on the winning side of life. Antony's strength lies in his resilience and his willingness to do whatever it takes to safeguard their future.

Budget: < \$5 million

Locations: New York City,  
Hoboken, NJ

Comparable Films:

- Boiler Room
- The Wolf of Wall Street
- Margin Call
- The Gambler
- Nightcrawler
- Wall Street

Audience:

- Adults 25-55
- Professionals & executives
- Drama and thriller enthusiasts who enjoy shows like Suits or Billions





Ellis  
Atoll

A seasoned, no-nonsense veteran of the financial world, Ellis has seen it all. With a commanding presence and a sharp mind, he navigates the cutthroat world of trading with a mix of pragmatism and ruthlessness. Beneath his tough exterior, however, lies a deep concern for his team's survival and success.



Jared  
Cohen

Jared is a shrewd and ambitious player in the financial world, always looking for the next big opportunity. With a keen eye for profitable ventures and a knack for manipulation, he's willing to bend the rules to get ahead. Jared's charm masks his cutthroat nature, making him a formidable opponent.



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