

Tech M&A Monthly Starts in 2 minutes



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TECH M&A FOR CEOS, BY CEOS.

With the most senior dealmakers leading the most successful tech M&A process in history, Corum has sold more software and related technology companies than anyone. Is it time for you to take the next step with Corum?

I want to sell and get in touch with an advisor immediately.

CONTACT US

I am thinking about selling and would like more information.

ABOUT CORUM

I'm not ready to se yet, but want to research and learn about M&A.

RESOURCE CENTER ->



Years in business

20+ Advisors worldwide \$10B

Closed transactions







- Private Equity Panel
- Buyers Panel
- Top Acquirer Profiles: Google, Accenture
- Valuation Strategy
- Planning for Post-Acquisition Success
- Special Reports: SaaS, Mobile, Gaming, France, Canada, Payments, Agtech, Security



Tech M&A Monthly Starts in 1 minute



- 90 Minutes
- Industry Update
- Overview of the M&A Process

MERGE BRIEFING	
Nov 15	Cincinnati
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Nov 19	Hamburg
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MERGE BRIEFING

SELLING UP, SELLING OUT



- Half-Day
- Tech M&A Bootcamp
- The most attended tech executive conference in history

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8 Stages for an Optimal Outcome



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CORUM **Tech M&A Monthly** 12 Tips to Avoid Due Diligence Disaster

Tech M&A Monthly November 14, 2019

WELCOME



TANYA FROEHLICH, DIRECTOR, EUROPEAN OPERATIONS, CORUM GROUP Intl. S.á.r.l.



- 13 years Tech M&A experience
- Based in Zurich, Switzerland
- Oversees the European marketing efforts, corporate planning & strategy, recruitment and team integration
- Prior to joining Corum, was the Export Sales Manager for a leading Asian food and beverage manufacturing & exporting company based in Thailand
- Holds an MBA and speaks English, German and Thai





We welcome your questions!

Use the Q&A box during the webcast

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Field Report: Jeff Brown, Austin

Field Report: Lonnie Schilling, NYC

Tech M&A Research Report

Special Report: 12 Tips to Avoid Due Diligence Disaster

WORLD FINANCIAL SYMPOSIUMS

Growth & Exit Strategies For Software and IT Companies

London, Nov 29th

Guest Speakers From:





Law.Tax



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So much of SUCCESS is about timing... ...the same is true when you pick an **exit strategy**



JEFF BROWN, SVP, CORUM GROUP



- Jeff joined Corum in 2007 as Regional Director in Houston, Texas. He has over 25 years of entrepreneurial and consulting experience building software and business services companies. He specializes in information technology for engineering, scientific and business applications. He also understands the energy industry and multinational operations.
- Jeff helped form and was President of Severn Trent Worksuite, a FTSE 100 subsidiary, which became the leading provider of enterprise and wireless workflow management software. Jeff was Vice President at IntelliGIS, a pioneer in geographic information systems and wireless computing. Additionally, he launched Western Hemisphere operations for Simon Petroleum Technology, a provider of petroleum reservoir management software, and was a member of the initial management team at GeoQuest Systems, which became the leader in petroleum decision support systems.
- Jeff began his career on the research staff at Columbia University and is a published author. He holds a degree in Geology from the State University of NY.

FIELD REPORT: TeXchange







September 29th, Austin, Texas USA



LONNIE SCHILLING, VP, CORUM GROUP



- Lonnie joined Corum after 30 years in several executive roles and in various tech verticals, including telco, financial, industrial, transportation, municipality and government.
- Lonnie's career has spanned the globe, while also living and working in Europe and the United States. Lonnie's leadership roles at companies such as Cisco and venture capital put him in the lead of selling and buying various tech companies. Lonnie served as CEO of Birdstep Technology, a publicly traded company, which he sold.
- He was also founder and CEO of jKool, an AI Analytics firm which he merged into Nastel Inc. Most recently as chairman of OP5, Lonnie was at the forefront of selling the company to a PE backed company.
- Lonnie speaks German fluently and has a Bachelor's of Science in Computer Science and MBA.



LONNIE SCHILLING, VP, CORUM GROUP



"Tech M&A Reimagined" October 17th Webinar NYC



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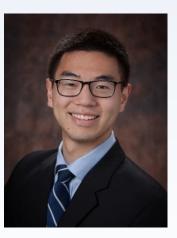




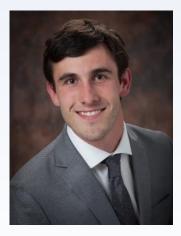
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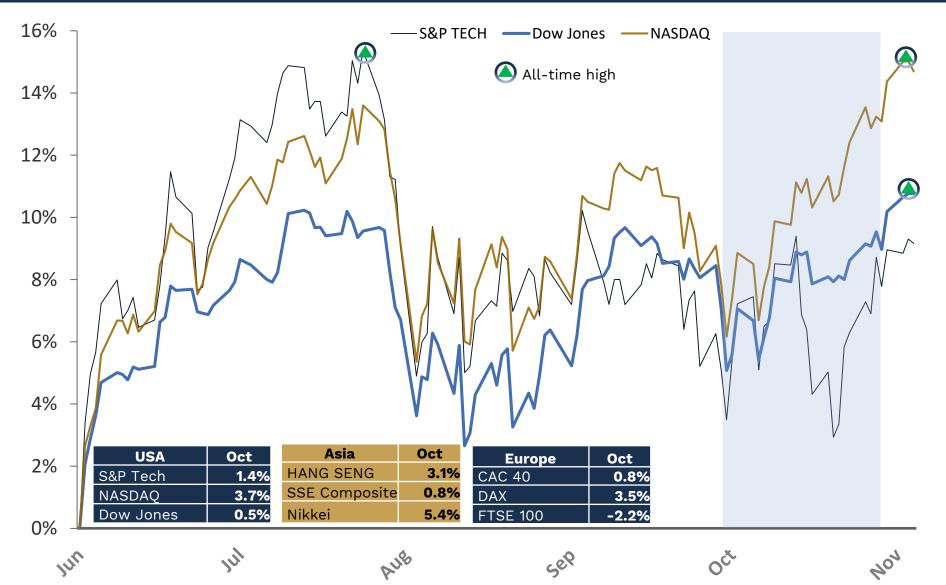
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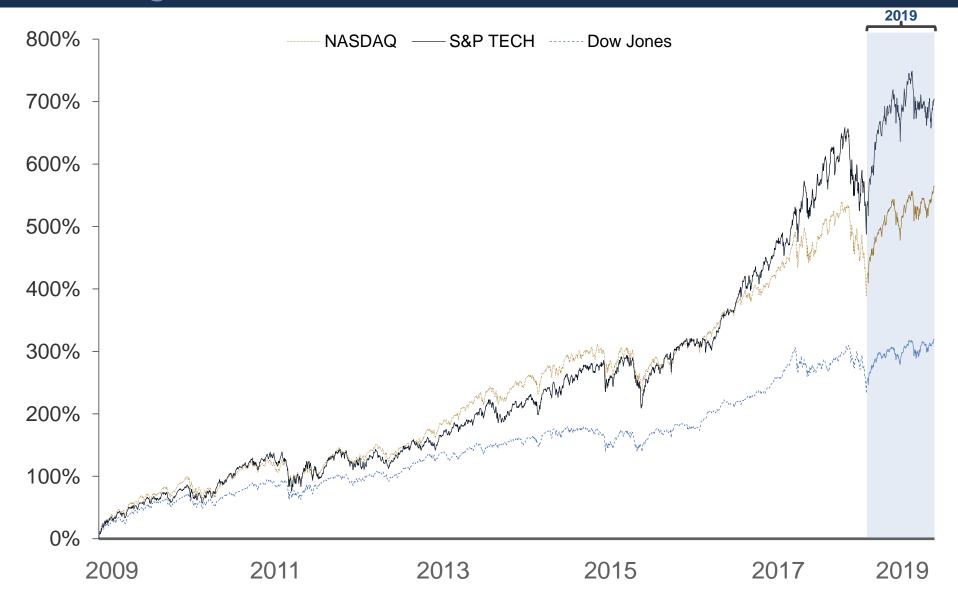
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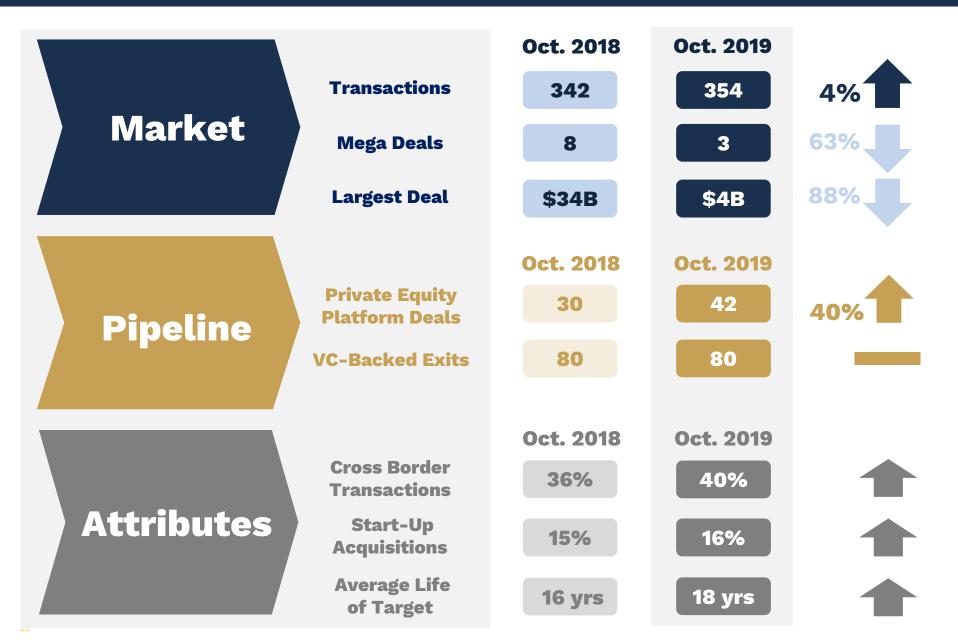
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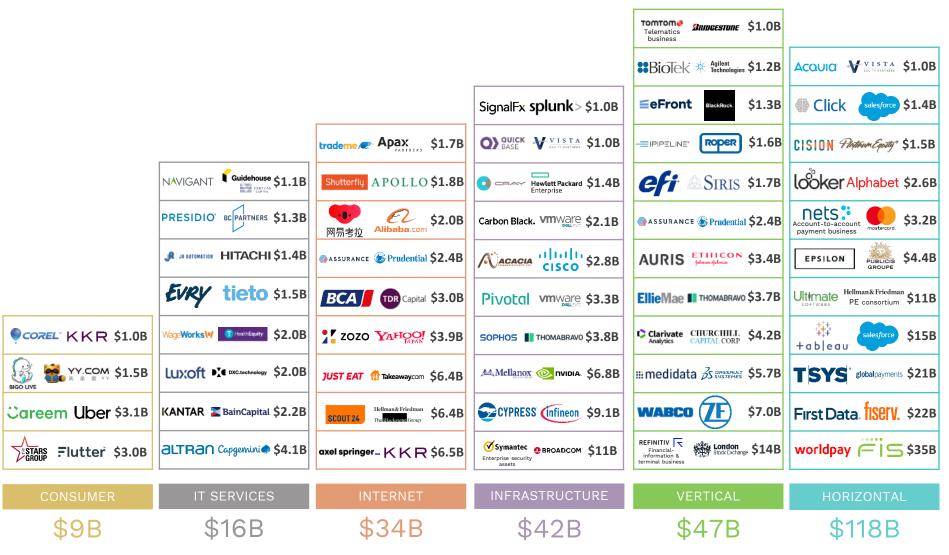
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2019 Mega Deals (Jan-Oct)





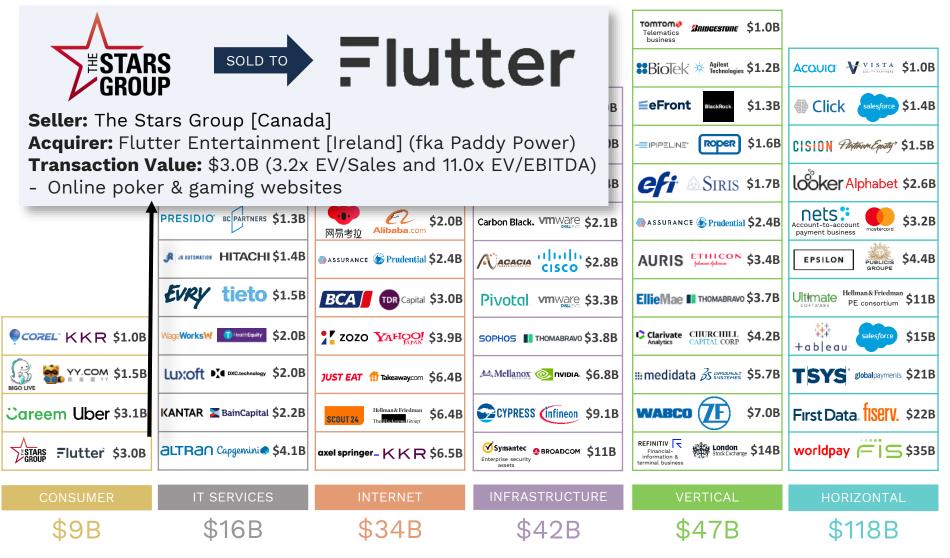


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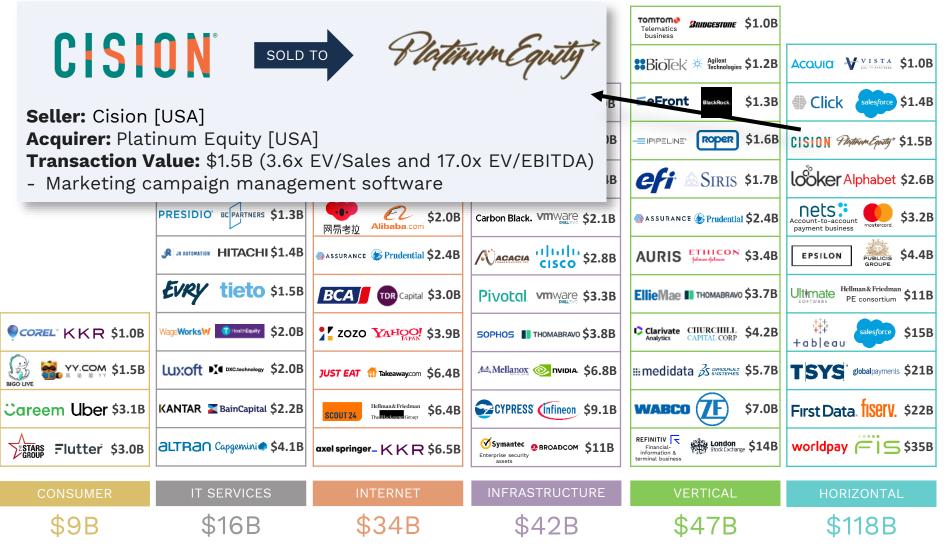


Public Valuation Multiples



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Marketing Automation







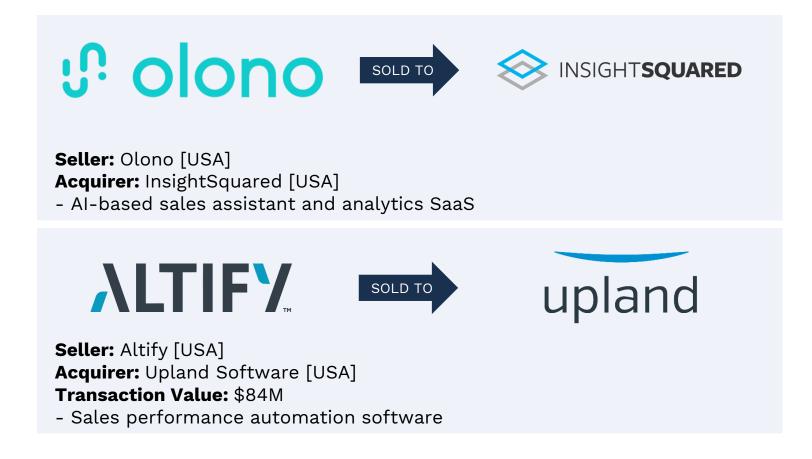
Advertising Enablement







Sales Performance







Workspace Management



Seller: Asure Software (workspace management business) [USA] **Acquirer:** FM:Systems [USA] **Transaction Value:** \$120M and 4.3x EV/Sales

- Workplace management SaaS & systems
- Strengthens FM:Systems' portfolio of workplace solutions





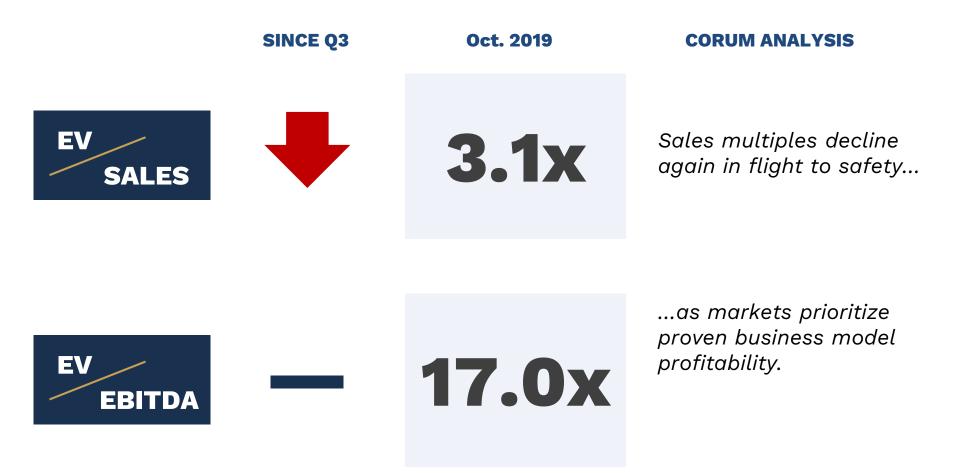
Payment Processing







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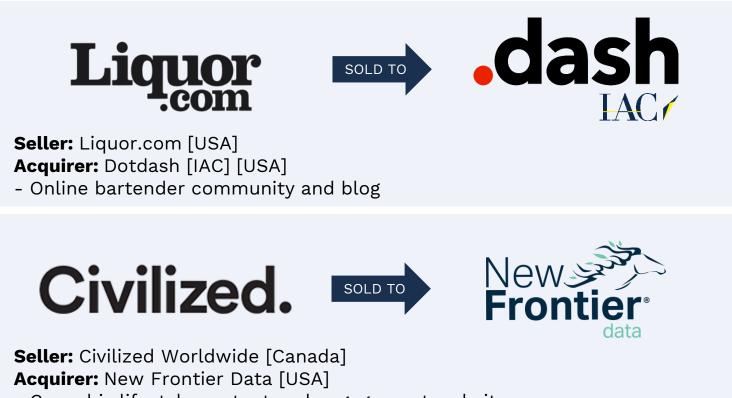
E-commerce







Online Communities



- Cannabis lifestyle content and engagement website





Booking



Seller: LateRooms.com [Malvern Group] [United Kingdom] **Acquirer:** Secret Escapes [United Kingdom] -Hotel booking website





Grocery Delivery



Seller: Cornershop [Mexico] **Acquirer:** Uber [USA]

- Grocery ordering & delivery mobile application
- Helps Uber geographically expand its on-demand delivery service



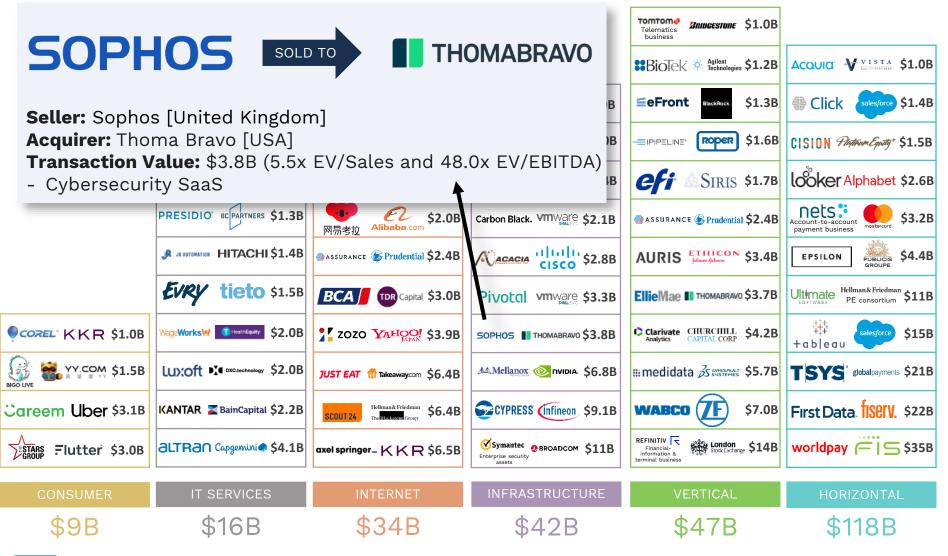


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Cybersecurity



- Cybersecurity products and management





Network Management



Seller: Centina Systems [USA] **Acquirer:** Ciena Corporation [USA]

- Network service assurance systems



Seller: mquadr.at [Austria]

Acquirer: Harris Computer Systems [Constellation Software] [Canada]

- Network management software





Authorization & Access Management



Seller: Orkus [USA] Acquirer: SailPoint Technologies [USA] Transaction Value: \$16.5M

- Authorization and access control SaaS



Seller: OverWatchID [USA] Acquirer: SailPoint Technologies [USA] Transaction Value: \$21M

- Identity and access management SaaS





Cloud Storage Migration



Seller: Mover [Canada] Acquirer: Microsoft [USA]

- Cloud storage migration SaaS and services
- Facilitates file migration to Microsoft 365
- Follows September acquisition of migration discover tools maker Movere





Development Tools



New Megadeal First one in November 2019



Wearables



Seller: Fitbit [USA] Acquirer: Google [USA] Transaction Value: \$2.2B (1.2x revenue)

- Health tracking wearable devices
- Helps Google go deeper in the healthcare market

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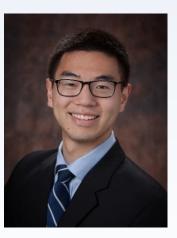




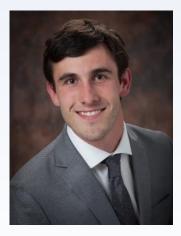
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JOEL ESPELIEN, EXEC. DIR. OF CLIENT SERVICES, CORUM GROUP



- Joel Espelien has worked in a number of roles over a twenty five year career in the technology industry and has participated in multiple successful transactions since joining Corum in 2017, including the recent sale of IoT smart logistics company Connected Holdings to Phillips Connect Technologies.
- Prior to Corum Joel was involved in many successful technology M&A transactions, including video pioneer DivX LLC (acquired from Rovi and sold to Neulion), pet IoT company Snaptracs, Inc. (acquired from Qualcomm, merged with Whistle Labs, sold to Mars pet food), AI startup IQ Engines (acquired by Yahoo), AgTech IoT leader 640 Labs (acquired by Monsanto/Climate Corporation) and mobile video pioneer PacketVideo (acquired by NTT DoCoMo).
- Joel started his career as IP and corporate attorney at Cooley LLP in Palo Alto and San Diego, California and is still a member of the Bar in both Washington and California.
- He holds a JD/LLM (International and Comparative Law) from Duke University and a BA from St. Olaf College.





#1: Understand the buyer checklist

Steve Jones Corporate Vice President Corum Group







#2: Prepare your data room in advance

Dan Bernstein Executive Vice President Corum Group







#3: Deal with accounting problems ahead of time

Rob Griggs Senior Vice President Corum Group







#4: Control the timing of disclosures

Jon Scott Chairman Corum Group







#5: Run parallel due diligence & final agreement process

Ivan Ruzic Senior Vice President Corum Group







#6: Get a draft agreement within two weeks

Jaber Tannay Vice President Corum Group International







#7: Appoint adue diligencecoordinator

Jeff Brown Senior Vice President Corum Group 00





#8: Inform only key employees

Arnaud Viviers Vice President Corum Group







#9: Watch working capital

Julius Telaranta Senior Vice President Corum Group International







#10: Use your accountants effectively

Serge Jonnaert Vice President Corum Group







#11: Use your lawyer effectively

Allan Wilson Senior Vice President Corum Group







#12: Use your intermediaries effectively

David Levine Senior Vice President Corum Group 00



- 1: Understand the buyer checklist
- 2: Prepare your data room in advance
- 3: Deal with accounting problems ahead of time
- 4: Control the timing of disclosures
- 5: Run a parallel due diligence/LOI process
- 6: Get a draft agreement early
- 7: Appoint a due diligence coordinator
- 8: Inform key employees
- 9: Watch working capital
- **10: Use your accountants effectively**
- 11: Use your lawyers effectively
- 12: Use your intermediaries effectively







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Speakers from Tech & Finance

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Upcoming

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Atlanta	December 5 th	Micros		MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS		
Toronto	February 27 th		¥	2		
Seattle	April 28 th		VISTA	Riverside		
Boston	June 18 th	Google				
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After the Deal – Celebration





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