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#### Financial Advice Related to Middle Market

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- Raising Capital for Private Equity
   Funds
- Understanding Working Capital
- The Importance of Cash Flow Forecasting
   Valuation Strategies
- Top Tax Issues for Mid-Sized Business Owners

#### Managing a Middle-Market Business

- Strategies for Growth
- How to Develop a Culture of Innovation
- Succession Plans for Family-Held
   Businesses
- Policy Issues Impacting Middle
   Market
- Pre-sale and process diligence -more than just accounting
- Understanding different types of buyers / capital structures
  Developing an marketing/ organic growth strategy as part of

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- Strategies for Preparing a Business
   for Sale
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- Evaluating Human Capital During Due Diligence
- How to compete vs. private equity in a competitive M&A market
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