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SUMMARY OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Over 30 years of hands-on experience in Financial Transactions As Senior Managing Principal, Corporate Director and Manager and Investment Banker - Deal Origination of Middle Market Public and Private Companies (Traditional and Under-Performing), Buyouts, Acquisitions, Mergers, Funding, Divestures and Strategic Consulting

Senior Managing Principal in Leveraged Transactions

- Closed \$490 million in platform leveraged acquisitions
- Transactions included 10 platform acquisitions in the US and Canada, 15 add-on acquisitions and divestures, 3 agency sale assignments (approx. \$200 million) and an overseas minority investment
- Realized platform acquisitions resulted in an internal rate of return of 52.4 %.
- Funded partnerships and acquisitions through domestic and overseas equity investors, mezzanine and banks
- Handled origination/finding, due diligence, negotiation, financing, documentation, closing, corporate monitoring, restructuring and disposition

Directorships

Actively participated in 14 Boards of Directors

Senior Officer in Public Corporations and Investment Banker

- Vice President corporate development for 2 public companies each with sales in excess of \$150 million
- Investment banker responsible for acquisitions and initial public offerings

Currently active in investments in Greenwich, Ct.

CAREER HISTORY

Senior Managing Partner and Co-Founder

1992 - 2001

CM Equity Partners and CMLS Management, L.P. www.cmequity.com

The **CM** Entities (**CM**) starting 1996, was the successor to *Levy/Schulte (L/S)* (below) Private equity partnership for LBOs, MBOs /primarily funded by insurance companies

- Equity and borrowed funds for acquisitions totaled of \$329.0 million
- Completed 5 platform acquisition in the US and Canada. CM with management completed 4 add-on acquisitions and 2 divestures

Senior Managing Principal and Co-Founder Joel N. Levy/Peter M. Schulte, L.L.C

1992 - 1996

Focus was leveraged acquisitions for LBOs, MBOs and agency transactions/ funding by transaction

- Completed 2 platform acquisitions totaling \$43.9 million. L/S with management completed 5 add-on acquisitions and 2 divestures
- Managed 3 sale assignments of approx. \$200 million. Purchased minority equity positions in the national telephone manufactures in Puerto Rico and Venezuela. Partnered with a major European Airline in an effort to acquire a US based public company with \$140 million in sales

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Senior Manager	1990 -1992
Arnhold and S. Bleichroeder, Inc.	
Leveraged acquisition group	
Senior Manager	
Resource Holdings Capital Group	1986 -1990
Private equity partnership for LBOs, MBO/individual investors primarily from Switzerland	
• Completed 3 platform acquisitions for \$116.8 million and with management 2 add-on transactions	
Vice President of Corporate Development and Treasurer	1980 - 1986
Hi-Shear Industries, Inc. www.hi-shear.com	
A manufacturer of aerospace fasteners and ordnance products (formally listed on the NYSE)	
CFO and Vice President, Corporate Development and Finance	1975 - 1980
Computer Horizons Corporation www.computerhorizons.com	
A provider of software and systems services (NASDAQ)	
Cantor Fitzgerald, Graham Loving and Landenberg, Thalman	1967 – 1975
Member of the investment banking groups; acquisitions, initial public offerings	

DIRECTORSHIPS

Member 14 Boards of Directors: Active in committees and strategic consulting with management

Principal Investor and Director (Prior):

- ICF Consulting Group, Inc., an energy, utility and environmental consulting firm www.icfconsulting.com
- Evans Consoles Inc., a maker of industrial consoles www.evansonline.com
- RCI Holding Corporation, a government contract services provider www.serco-na.com
- EMSI Holding Company, an insurance information services provider www.emsinet.com, www.pmsi-services.com
- AverStar, Inc., a developer of information technology services and products www.titan.com
- Beta Brands, Inc. a manufacturer of confectionary and baked goods in the US and Canada www.betabrands.com
- Kronos-Central Distribution Co., a distributor of ethnic foods www.kronosproducts.com

Principal Investor and Chairman of the Board of Directors (Prior):

- Kronos Products, Inc., an ethnic foods producer www.kronosproducts.com
- Delta Consolidated Industries, Inc., a manufacturer of storage containers www.deltastorage.com
- Hanes Holding Company, a fabric supplier and dye and finisher www.leggett.com/residential-furnishings.htm
- Jeanette Frocks, Inc., a maternity wear manufacturer

Director (Prior):

- Charles and Colvard Ltd. (NASDAQ), a manufacturer of lab-created gemstones www.moissanite.com
- Apogee Technology, Inc (ASE), developer and marketer of digital amplifier products www.apogeeddx.com
- TEP Fund Inc. (NASDAQ), municipal bond fund manager

HISTORY OF TRANSACTIONS

(\$ MILLIONS) ALL RETURNS ARE PRIOR TO CARRIED INTEREST

CM Equity Partners, Platform Acquisitions Senior Managing Partner and Co-Founder 1996 - 2001

Company	Date Acquired	Firm Value	Invested Equity	Unrealized Value/Equity	IRR
Beta Brands	12/97	\$56.5	\$14.4	\$2.4	NM
Evans Consoles	03/98	24.3	5.2	9.2	27.8%
Resource	07/98	20.3	5.0	33.0	164.7
Consultants					
EMSI-PMSI	03/99	145.5	31.4	89.9	125.6
ICF Consulting	06/99	82.4	29.1	40.4	138.7
Totals		\$329.0	\$85.1	\$174.8	68.5%

Data prepared by the remaining members of **CM** incorporated in their Private Placement Memo as of Dec. 2000. Completed 4 add-on acquisitions and 2 divestures. **CM** starting 1996 was the successor to **L/S below.**

Joel N. Levy/Peter M. Schulte, LLP, Platform Acquisitions Senior Managing Partner and Co-Founder

1992 -1996

Company	Date	Firm Value	Invested	Un/Realized	Value/	IRR
	Acquired		Equity	Value/Equity	Equity	
Kronos-Central	04/94	\$25.3	\$7.8 *	Unrealized	\$26.8	37.1%
Products				6/00		
Telefonica /	06/94	N/A	.5	Realized 2/96	.58	26.7
Maplatex						
Averstar	08/95	18.6	3.2	Realized 6/00	40.5	68.9
Totals		\$43.9	\$11.5		\$67.9	42.3 %

Kronos data prepared by remaining members of **CM**. Averstar and Telefonica returns attested by Deloitte and Touch LLP. Completed 5 add-on acquisitions, and 2 divestures, managed 3 sale assignments of approx. \$200 million, purchased a minority overseas equity investment and partnered with a major European Airline to acquire a US based \$140 million public company. * Includes additional equity of \$2.5 MM 7/98 for capital expansion.

Trident II, Platform Acquisitions Senior Manager

1986 -1990

Company	Date Acquired	Firm Value	Invested Equity	Un/Realized Value/Equity	Value/ Equity	IRR
Jeanette Frocks	09/86	\$14.5	\$2.2	Realized 9/87	\$ 5.8	161.9%
Delta	09/87	34.2	7.95*	Realized 11/94	52.0	39.5
Consolidated						
Industries						
Hanes Holding	07/88	68.1	8.5	Realized 09/93	67.6	49.1
Company						
Totals		\$116.8	\$18.6		\$125.3	52.2 %

Returns attested by Deloitte and Touch LLP. Completed 2 add-on acquisitions. *Includes additional equity of \$4 MM 9/92 for acquisitions.