The Aerospace & Defense Forum

Facilitating Business Communication, Collaboration, & Commerce

"Selling Your Business for Maximum Value in a Competitive M&A Process"

Presenter:

Kevin Berson President Kinected Advisors

Ventura County Chapter Meeting Camarillo Airport

Friday, June 30, 2023

Breakfast & Meeting: 8:00-9:00 am pacific time Tour of COC Aerospace: 9:00-9:30 am Networking: 9:30-10:00 am

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Both members and non-members must register to attend.

Registration Fees Free - A&D Forum member & Corporate Members \$25 - Non-member



Please register as an A&D Forum member ONLY if you have a currently active membership. Claimed memberships will be verified before the meeting and erroneous registrations will be cancelled.

Click here to become a member.

The event will be recorded and made available for download by A&D Forum members.

You will receive multiple invitations, regardless of whether you have already registered. Please do not register more than once!

June 30, 2023 Meeting

- Attire is business casual.
- Masks are optional.
- Parking: At Camarillo
 Airport, go to the end of
 Airport Way, turn right,
 follow the road past Ventura
 County Fire and Sherif's
 Departments, and turn left.
 There is a parking lot that
 leads to the runway. On the
 fence East of the parking lot
 there will be a sign with
 instructions how to enter the
 hangars. Please park in the
 parking lot and not on the
 runway. Click here
 for a
 map.
- A light continental breakfast will be available starting at 8:00am.
- Bring a business card they will be duplicated and everyone will get a copy of all attendees' cards.

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What attendees will learn:

- How professional buyers value businesses
- Valuation examples from live deals
- Eight ways business Owners can increase valuation
- We will also present a case study on a successful sale of aerospace parts manufacturer

Presenter



Kevin Berson is the founder of Kinected Advisors, a Mergers and Acquisitions Advisor

(M&A) and Strategy Consulting firm. Kinected helps lower-middle market business owners (businesses generating \$5M-\$50M in annual revenue) navigate the process of selling their businesses for maximum value. Kevin and his team provide an end-to-end service, beginning with an opinion of value, then creating a customized marketing strategy, finding and managing buyers through a controlled auction process, facilitating diligence, purchase agreement negotiation, through to the post-closing transition.

- You may place literature to be distributed on the table in the back inside the meeting room. Please do not distribute anything during the meeting.
- Introductions will be minimal

 your name, company, industry, and a 5 word
 "elevator speech". We encourage you to be creative!
- The meeting will consist of the presentation, the tour, and a open group discussion
- You are welcome to stay around and network after the meeting.

Feel free to pass this invitation on to others you think would be interested.

Event Info

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Kevin is a Certified Business Intermediary (CBI), a Certified Business Broker (CBB), a Merger & Acquisition Master Intermediary (M&AMI), and a licensed Broker through the California Bureau of Real Estate. Kevin was honored by his alma mater UCLA as one of the top 100 Bruin-founded companies and was recognized in the Los Angeles Business Journal as an Investment Banking Leader of Influence for 2021 and 2022.

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