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# Europe's only meeting place to connect with **Operating Partners & C-Level executives** to discuss value creation strategies

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## **Build valuable connections with the biggest names in value creation**

Meet with over 200 value creation experts to share your experiences and hear how others have implemented successful growth strategies. This event is the perfect opportunity to meet other operating partners and expert service providers to help you in your current role.

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## **Develop new strategies to accelerate growth in your portfolio businesses**

Join interactive workshop sessions, keynote interviews, roundtable discussions and an operating partners only think tank which will expose the toughest challenges operating partners face and provide you with solutions of how to deal with them.

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## **Discover the latest industry trends impacting your role**

The broadened agenda for 2021 reflects the increasingly diverse role of operating partners within portfolio companies. Hear from the industry's leading participants as they share their knowledge on developing issues such as innovative tech strategies, digital transformation, data science, advanced analytics and more.

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**Simon Adcock**  
Partner, Head of Portfolio  
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**Bowmark Capital**



**Gilad Amir**  
Digital Operating Partner  
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Senior  
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Partner  
**Baltcap**



**Jérôme Losson**  
Partner, Head of  
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**BC Partners**



**Michaela Merlin-Jones**  
Vice President, Vendor  
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Managing Director  
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**Lisa Weaver-Lambert**  
Data and Digital  
Portfolio Executive  
Independent



**Antonia Wrede**  
Principal  
KKR Capstone

# Agenda highlights

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## **The evolution of value creation in an economy that has been fundamentally shifted**

Discuss with other senior value creation professionals how investment strategies and the role of the operating partner have shifted over the past 18 months.



## **Making the “magic quadrant” work**

Discover how operating partners can best work with the deal partner, CEO and board chairperson to deliver value at portfolio companies.



## **Developing a value creation plan for carve-outs**

Hear why carve-outs lend themselves to significant improvements and how to develop a value creation strategy during due diligence.



## **Invitation-only Think Tank for Operating Partners**

Not to be missed. Join the closed door session to have open discussion on the role and share first-hand experiences on how to develop your career as an operating partner.



## **Why integrating ESG into value creation plans is now a necessity**

Hear senior operating partners and ESG professionals discuss how to engage key stakeholders, how to incentivize management with sustainability KPIs and how moving to net-zero can benefit the exit value.



## **Operating Partner only workshop sessions**

Join a small group discussion with your peers on digital marketing or customer experience to build your network of operating partners with similar areas of expertise.

# Connect with **Operating Partners & C-Level executives**

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## **Confirmed attendees include:**

» 3i	» CVC Capital Partners	» Investindustrial	» Permira
» Abenex Capital	» Davidson Kempner	» INVL Asset Management	» Pollen Street Capital
» Agilitas Private Equity	» European Partners	» KKR	» Resurgens Technology Partners
» AnaCap Financial Partners	» Development Partners	» LBO France	» SilverTree Equity
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» Bowmark Capital	» Frog Capital	» OMERS Private Markets	» Via Celere
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