

The Bright Side of Leverage

June 11, 2008 at 3:30 PM San Francisco CA

Please join us for a discussion with three successful female investment practitioners to discuss how they've leveraged their relationships, resources and skills to have thriving professional careers and a personal life.

Participants

Alison Sanger, Ironwood Capital Management, LLC Laura Moreno, SunGard Christina Mickelson, Shartsis Friese LLP Seth Blackman, *Moderator*, Rothstein Kass & Company LLP

Event Details

Date: June 11, 2008 Time: 3 PM Registration. We will begin *promptly* at 3:30 PM; please arrive early. Networking and cocktails following session Host: Rothstein Kass & Company LLP Location: Le Meridien Hotel 333 Battery Street, San Francisco, CA 94111 RSVP: http://www.100womeninhedgefunds.org/pages/event_registration.php

This event is NOT FOR ATTRIBUTION.

Admission is free, but there is a \$25 charge if you register and do not attend, even if you cancel in advance. No-show proceeds will be donated to our 2008 beneficiary, The Harold P. Freeman Patient Navigation Institute at the Ralph Lauren Center for Cancer Care and Prevention.

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Space is limited. No walk-ins will be permitted.

Biographies

Alison Sanger, Chief Operating Officer, Ironwood Capital Management, LLC

Alison Sanger joined Ironwood Capital Management, a San Francisco-based fund of hedge funds, in 2005 as Chief Operating Officer. Ms. Sanger is responsible for overseeing all of Ironwood's operations including compliance, operational due diligence, investor relations, accounting and administration.

Prior to joining Ironwood, Ms. Sanger was a Principal with Banc of America Prime Brokerage where over her six-year tenure she was responsible for new business development on the West Coast as well as customer relationship management for the West Coast, Midwest and Southwest regions. Before joining Banc of America, Ms. Sanger spent two years with Grosvenor Capital Management where she was responsible for performance reporting on their multi-manager, multi-strategy products. Ms. Sanger spent the first five years of her career with the Hedge Fund Advisory Group of Arthur Andersen, LLC. Ms. Sanger received a B.S. degree in Accountancy from Miami University in Oxford, Ohio.

In 2000, Ms. Sanger co-founded the West Coast chapter of Hedge Funds Care and remains an actively involved board member. Ms. Sanger lives in Oakland with her husband and two daughters.

Laura Moreno, Sales Executive, SunGard

Laura Moreno is a recognized financial services sales professional. For over 10 years, Ms. Moreno has built a reputation as a subject matter expert in back office operations for Banks, Independent Broker Dealers, Investment Advisory Firms, and Hedge Funds. Her prestigious career with First Allied Securities, Xtiva Financial Systems, and SunGard Data Systems has allowed her to build an extensive network of key professionals throughout the industry. Ms. Moreno's professional dynamism has directly contributed to the success of several organizations from start-up to 5 billion dollar industry leaders.

Ms. Moreno holds a Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice, from CSUS. She received acclamations for being a part of the CSUS Mentoring program and graduating in the top of her class under representation of the Chicano Latino Graduation Association. She is a member of the US Mexico Chamber of Commerce and is currently seeking to volunteer her support to the Gates Foundations for Tuberculosis.

Christina Mickelson, Senior Associate, Shartsis Friese LLP

Christina Mickelson is a senior associate in the Business Department of Shartsis Friese LLP. She specializes in general business and corporate matters, with an emphasis on representing investment advisers (including advisers to hedge funds and other private investment funds, and traditional advisers to separately-managed accounts), securities and mergers and acquisitions. Prior to joining Shartsis Friese LLP, Ms. Mickelson served as a Compliance Officer for Banc of America Securities LLC.

Ms. Mickelson received her B.A. degree in History, cum laude, from Dartmouth College, and her J.D., magna cum laude, from the University of California, Hastings College of the Law. She is a co-author of U.S. Regulation of Hedge Funds (ABA 2005).

Seth Blackman, Principal, Rothstein Kass & Company LLP

Seth Blackman is a principal in Rothstein Kass' San Francisco office. He specializes in audit, tax and consulting services for clients primarily in the financial services industry, including hedge funds, funds of funds, private equity funds, broker-dealers, mutual funds and management companies. Mr. Blackman advises these entities on initial organizational structure, audit processes and the management of operational and tax matters. Mr. Blackman is involved with the firm's Best Practices Committee, recruiting initiatives, as well as professional education and development programs. He is a member of the New York State Society of Certified Public Accountants and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

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