

# A Conversation with Kathryn Hall, 100 Women in Hedge Funds 2009 Industry Leadership Honoree

December 8, 2009 at 6 PM San Francisco CA

Kathryn A. Hall, CEO and CIO of Hall Capital Partners and recipient of the 100 Women in Hedge Funds' 2009 Industry Leadership Award, will share her unique personal story, her experiences in helping investors navigate the difficult landscape of hedge fund investing and her wisdom about leadership.

# Participants

Kathryn A. Hall, Hall Capital Partners Sue Thompson, *Moderator*, iShares

**Event Details** 

Date: December 8, 2009 Time: 5:30 PM Registration. We will begin *promptly* at 6 PM; please arrive early. Networking and cocktails following session Host: iShares Location: 400 Howard Street, San Francisco, CA 94105 RSVP: http://www.100womeninhedgefunds.org/pages/event\_registration.php

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Admission is free, but there is a \$25 charge if you register and do not attend, even if you cancel in advance. Noshow proceeds will be donated to our 2009 beneficiary, Computers for Youth.

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

# **Biographies**

Kathryn A. Hall, Chief Executive Officer and Chief Investment Officer, Hall Capital Partners Ms. Hall is Chief Executive Officer and Chief Investment Officer of Hall Capital Partners LLC which she founded as Laurel Management Company in 1994.

Previously, Ms. Hall was a General Partner of Laurel Arbitrage Partners, a risk arbitrage investment partnership that she

founded in 1989. Prior to that, she was a General Partner of HFS Management Partners, HFS Partners I, and Hellman & Friedman. Ms. Hall began her career at Morgan Stanley where she worked in both the risk arbitrage and mergers & acquisitions departments. Ms. Hall graduated cum laude from Princeton University with a B.A. in Economics and earned an M.B.A. from Stanford Graduate School of Business.

Currently, Ms. Hall is chair of the Board of Directors of Princeton University Investment Company ("PRINCO") and a member of the Board of Trustees of Princeton University. She serves on the advisory boards of Riva Capital Partners (Abrams Capital), Qiming Venture Partners, and General Catalyst Fund (Fund III). She also serves on the Board and Investment Committee of the UCSF Foundation, the Boards of The Thacher School and the San Francisco Ballet Association, and the Board of Regents for St. Ignatius College Preparatory.

# Sue Thompson, Head of Registered Investment Advisor Group, iShares

Sue Thompson leads the Registered Investment Advisor Group, overseeing the firm's iShares sales efforts with registered investment advisors and asset managers. Prior to joining BGI in 2007, Sue was a principal at Vanguard, heading the national sales team and focused on national full-service brokerage firms. She joined Vanguard in August 1999 as Senior Counsel, specializing in tax law and structured products. Sue received her Bachelor of Arts degree in accounting from the University of Washington and her Juris Doctorate from the University of California, Davis.

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