



APPLETREE 8TH INVESTMENT conference

FINANCING EDUCATION - AN INVESTOR APPROACH

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Wednesday October 9th, 2019
8:00 am – 10:30 am

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Fédération des Entreprises Romandes
Rue de Saint-Jean 98, 1201 Geneva

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- 08:00** **Welcome Breakfast**
 - 08:30** **Keynote Speaker**
Creating social impact through Education
 - **Marjolaine Mandagot**, Investment Director, **AlphaOmega Foundation**
 - 09:30** **Experts panel**
Perspectives and case studies from Private Equity investors
 - **Lukas Bucher**, MD Industry Value Creation, **Partners Group**
 - **Viktor Speckinger**, Partner Private Equity, **Unigestion**Moderator : **Alexandre Toussaint**, Appletree
 - 10:30** **Networking**



Marjolaine Mandagot, Investment Director, AlphaOmega Foundation

AlphaOmega Foundation has the ambition to help disadvantaged young people through education and access to employment. The Foundation is one of the pioneers of Venture Philanthropy in France. Their aim is to help charities and social enterprises strengthen their organisations and to boost development. Marjolaine is an Investment Director at AlphaOmega Foundation. She has spent most of her career at BNP Paribas in Santiago de Chile and New York. Marjolaine holds a Master in Finance from Kedge Business School and a MBA from IE Business School's International. She has several experiences as an entrepreneur and within charities, mostly in Spain and South Africa.



Lukas Bucher, Managing Director Industry Value Creation, Partners Group

Partners Group is a leader in global private markets investment management with Eur 73 billion AuM and over 1'200 employees (as of 31/12/2018). Lukas Bucher is Managing Director, Head of the Services Industry Value Creation business unit, based in Zug. He has been with Partners Group since 2008 and has 17 years of industry experience. Prior to joining Partners Group, he worked at The Boston Consulting Group (BCG). He holds an MBA from INSEAD Paris, and a master's degree in industrial engineering from the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETH) in Zurich.



Viktor Speckinger, Partner Private Equity, Unigestion

Unigestion is an independent swiss-based asset management firm with CHF 22 billion AuM and 231 employees (as of 30/06/2019) and an expertise in Private Equity. Viktor Speckinger, Partner Private Equity, is responsible for deal origination, due diligence and execution of Direct Investments. He has been with Akina (now Unigestion) since 2010 and has 18 years of industry experience. Prior to joining Akina he worked in the Private Equity team of Lombard Odier Group and then in the Corporate Finance division of ABB Ltd. Viktor holds a Master degree in Economics and Business Administration with a major in Finance from HEC Lausanne.



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