Overview of Osborne Partners Ltd.

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M&A, Capital Raising, and Strategic Financial Services



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- Osborne Partners is focused on M&A, capital raising, and strategic advisory services across North America
 - Emphasis is put on building longterm relationships with clients
- Over 20 years of top-tier financial experience in investment banking, debt capital markets, strategy, and corporate development
 - Advised on over 50 M&A and capital raising mandates across a wide array of industries
- Partnership network of industry professionals provide marketleading outreach capabilities
- High level of dedication and professionalism – strategically aligned with your business goals

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Buy-Side and Sell-Side M&A Advisory

- Buy-side M&A advisory sourcing, valuation, structuring, and financing
- Sell-side M&A advisory marketing material preparation, buyer identification and outreach, transaction structuring, negotiation

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- Structured credit / mezz equity sourcing highly flexible sourcing of capital
- Venture and growth equity sourcing institutional private equity, family office, corporate venture capital and growth equity arms

Pre-Transaction Preparation and Support Services

- Organize your business and position it optimally from the perspective of strategic and financial acquirors
 - Ensure you are equipped to with the 'backup' needed for a premium valuation

Fractional Strategic Finance Executive Services

- Operating / financial model development, optimization, and maintenance
- Financial planning, budgeting, and forecasting
- Investor relations, BoD reporting, project economics



Highlights of Osborne Partners' Advisory Platform

Extensive Expertise	20+ years of experience with leading institutions provides for a deep understanding of industry best practices and highly advanced technical capabilities
Exceptional Dedication	As a 2-person team, We are directly aligned and committed to providing unwavering dedication and hands-on, personalized attention to each of our clients, leaving no stone unturned, and ensuring the best possible outcome
Agility and Flexibility	Operating independently allows us to be nimble and adapt quickly to evolving market conditions. We can provide immediate support when you need it most, without the bureaucracy or overhead associated with larger firms
Cost-Effective Solutions	Larger firms charge significant retainer and success fees to pay for substantial overhead costs that provide little to no incremental value to clients. Engaging an experienced, independent advisor enables you to access specialized expertise at a fraction of the cost
Strategic Partner Network	Network of strategic partners across North America enables a broad market reach, ensuring competitive bidder tension, high valuations, and best possible financial terms for clients



Tenured, High-Quality Experience from Leading Organizations



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Why Work with a Financial Advisor?

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X X X X X	 To Analyze Opportunities In the likely event that multiple offers are received, we will assist in evaluating the different terms and structures Components such as mixing cash and stock, earn-outs, hold-backs, working capital adjustments, option issuances and others can make some proposals extremely complex
İ	 To Enhance Credibility Hiring a financial advisor shows the market that you are serious about completing your transaction Having an experienced advisor behind your deal increases the probability of it closing
~~	 To Ease the Burden of Managing a Strategic Process and a Growing Business Running a high-quality financing or sale process can be an incredibly intense and time-consuming We will do the heavy lifting involved with finding and executing on the right solution
	 To Access Coveted Relationships The ability to conduct a broad marketing is essential to ensure a competitive process, maximize bidder tension, and increase the chances of a premium valuation
\$	 To Solicit a Higher Valuation in Raising Capital or a Sale Whether you are raising money or selling the business, the right financial advisor will have to ability to market your business in a way that will maximize its value

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Overview of Services Provided



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Sell-Side M&A Advisory

Significant experience in executing professional sell-side M&A processes across sectors – producing premium valuations

Key Highlights of our Capabilities and Approach

- Proven experience in a wide array of sectors provides for leading execution capabilities and a highly professionalized sale process
- Access to top-of-the-line databases and research ensures comprehensive buyer identification and outreach
- Network of strategic partners means we can take advantage of "warm introductions" to many buyers across North America providing the best chances of a positive response and a "serious look" at an acquisition
- Collaborative approach We believe the best results are achieved with open and honest communication. We do not only tell you what you want to hear

A professionally run, competitive process will provide the best chance of a premium outcome



Select Transaction Experience



Buy-Side M&A Advisory

We assist our clients in every step of the acquisition process, positioning our clients for success

Target Identification	Extensive experience sourcing acquisition targets for clients ranging from large corporate buyers to search funds and early-stage entrepreneurs across North America
Valuation	Ability to provide highly analytical, market-based and income-based valuation analysis
Due Diligence	Having another set of eyes reviewing key information and asking questions is essential in ensuring a complete evaluation of an acquisition target
Acquisition Financing	Highly active capital raising practice utilizing our network of strategic partners and industry professionals, as well as leading industry databases ensures the best possible terms on your financing
Structuring & Negotiation	We will have your back in the negotiation process - knowing when to push back on "off-market" terms will ensure the transaction is completed in a way that sets you up for success
\$135 Million Financial Advisor to the Management Team on the Management Buyout of Strad Inc.	Image: standard s



Note: Some transactions above were completed while employed at other institutions

Structured Credit and Private Equity Sourcing

Ability to run a broad, highly professional process, ensuring best possible financing terms

Key Highlights of our Capabilities and Approach

- Highly experienced working with private equity and structured credit providers from smaller lower-middle market firms to global mega-cap funds
- Whether you are raising money to finance an acquisition, buy out existing shareholders, or just take some money off the table, our leading capabilities can find you the right solution
- We will work with you to create professional, high quality marketing documents that provide investors with the information they need to evaluate the opportunity
- By running a competitive, multi-phase process, we are able create tension among investors, pushing them to provide best possible terms on your financing
- Finding the financing partner that works for your business is critical, having multiple high-quality options will ensure you will have a partner that will come with a collaborative, positive approach



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Broad Reach Across North America



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Sourced Acquisition Target

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Pre-Transaction Preparation and Support Services

We will work with you in proactively set up your business for an premium transaction outcome

Ownership Transition Preparation	Ensure your business's management and organization structure does not present any challenges for potential buyers or investors
Financial Information Organization	It is essential to have clear and complete financial information ready and available to potential counterparties - we will help you build a financial workbook that has everything you need
Growth Opportunity Articulation	Buyers and investors will value your business higher if you can effectively present "low hanging fruit" growth opportunities that can be pursued in the years to come
Financial Model Creation	Particularly important to private equity buyers / investors – the financial model is where the historical financial information and growth opportunities come together to give a comprehensive picture of the company's financial profile going forward
Market Timing	We will work with you to ensure you launch your sale process at the optimal time – increasing the chances of a premium outcome and maximizing the number of parties involved
Data Room Buildout	Organizing the data room so information can be found easily will help ensure parties stay engaged and are able to complete their due diligence in an efficient manner
Ancillary Items	Additional items such as a Quality of Earnings report or a market study can help generate additional interest and show the market you are fully committed to completing a transaction



Fractional Strategic Finance Executive Services

Ongoing services to support your business in a as it grows – Serving both public and private organizations

Financial Model Development

- We will lead in the development of a financial model that will allow you to accurately forecast your business's financial results
- The model will be driven off of multiple factors such as sales pipeline, quantity and price variables, customer count, etc.
- Help you understand the impact of different financial or commercial assumptions on the profitability of your business
- Ongoing updates and maintenance will ensure you always have an accurate picture of your business's financial performance



Investor Relations and BoD Reporting



- Development of professional investor relations materials and board of director presentations detailing your company's performance, strategy, and growth opportunities
- We will give your stakeholders confidence in your business by ensuring all investment highlights and opportunities are clearly articulated
- Ongoing updates and maintenance will ensure everyone stays up to date on the company's strategy and performance





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