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# Andrew Konopelski



MiF2002

## Bridgepoint Credit

- **Profile:** Andrew is the Managing Partner of Bridgepoint Credit, co-head of Bridgepoint Credit Opportunities Strategy and chair of the Credit Partners Investment Committee. He joined the Firm in 2020 from EQT Credit which was acquired by Bridgepoint in 2020. Prior to Bridgepoint, Andrew joined EQT in 2008 and was Head of EQT Credit and a founding member of the EQT Credit team. Andrew holds degrees in Chemistry and Art History from Duke University and a MSc in Finance from the London Business School.
- **Fund:** Bridgepoint Credit has invested more than €9.3 billion in almost 230 companies. It has a dedicated team of approximately 50 professionals, located in Frankfurt, London, Madrid, New York, Paris and Stockholm. Bridgepoint Credit is currently investing €7B of AuM across three investment strategies: Senior Debt, Direct Lending and Credit Opportunities.

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# Nicolás Osorio



MBA2018

## Blackstone Credit

- **Profile:** Nicolás Osorio is a Vice President with Blackstone Credit (formerly known as GSO Capital), based in the London office. Before joining Blackstone, Nicolas worked in the Investment Banking department at Mediobanca's Madrid office. His experience also includes internships at Permira and HIG Capital private equity teams. Nicolas received an MBA from London Business School and BSc in International Business Administration from ICADE (Madrid) and DCU (Dublin).
- **Fund:** Established in 2005 Blackstone Credit (BXC) is one of the world's largest credit-oriented asset managers currently managing c. \$135B AuM with c. \$29B in dry powder. BXC invests in public and private corporate credit instruments across multiple strategies including: CLO, Direct Lending, Mezzanine, Stressed / Distressed and Energy.

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# Vesna Sipp



MBA2006

## Intermediate Capital Group plc

- **Profile:** Vesna joined ICG in 2016 as Head of Client Relations. She joined ICG from Hamilton Lane, where she spent over 10 years working as a senior member of the fund investment team, as well as developing strategic client relationships throughout the EMEA investor community. Prior to Hamilton Lane, Vesna worked as an equity research associate at Credit Suisse. Vesna began her career as an analyst in the investment banking division of Bear Stearns. Vesna holds an MBA from the London Business School and BA from Middlebury College.
- **Fund:** ICG is a global alternative asset manager in private debt, credit and equity. Listed in the LSE, ICG combines flexible capital solutions, local access and insight with an entrepreneurial approach to secure a competitive edge. The fund operates across four asset classes – corporate, capital markets, real assets and private equity solutions. ICG manages €46.1B of assets in third party funds and proprietary capital, principally in closed-end funds.