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Equipping Innovators for Success

San Francisco Bay Area · 500+ connections · [Contact info](#)

Klopp Advisors, Inc.

Virginia Tech

**Providing services**

Healthcare Consulting, Nonprofit Consulting, Business Consulting, Management Consulting, and Finance Consulting

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### Experience



**Business Advisor**

Klopp Advisors, Inc. · Self-employed  
Jan 2005 – Present · 16 yrs 1 mo  
San Francisco Bay Area

Commercialization, investments, partnering and licensing for XInova  
Principle Advisor for LARTA to SBIR and STTR grant recipients from NSF, DOE and NIH  
EIR for Tech Futures Group  
Fellow at Bell-Mason Group  
Advisor to PTT Global Chemical, OCP and Nifco on corporate venture capital  
Business Advisor for Amber Solutions, Intelesol, Micro-Leads, StudentRoomStay and SonoMotion  
Board Member and/or Advisor for Opportunity International, Barnabas Group, Shepherd's Gate, Teen Esteem and People Meeting Christ Foundation



**Managing Director**

Coronis Medical Ventures  
Apr 2006 – Present · 14 yrs 10 mos  
San Francisco Bay Area

Medical device incubator and seed investor



**Founder, Chairman, CEO and Investor with Varix Medical (precursor to Veniti Medical)**

Veniti  
Jun 2007 – Feb 2011 · 3 yrs 9 mos  
[San Francisco Bay Area](#)

Veniti is a venous disease treatment company that merged with Varix in 2011 and was acquired by Boston Scientific in 2018.



**Co-Founder, Board Member, Investor and VP Business Development**

Uptake Medical  
Feb 2005 – May 2006 · 1 yr 4 mos  
Greater Seattle Area

Co-Founder, initial investor, board member and VP Business Development for this device company treating emphysema which was acquired by Broncus in 2016.



**Managing Director - Eastman Ventures**

Eastman Chemical Company · Full-time  
Jun 1999 – Dec 2004 · 5 yrs 7 mos  
San Francisco Bay Area

Started up and led corporate venture capital arm of Eastman Chemical Company

### Education



**Virginia Tech**

BS, Chemical Engineering  
1980 – 1985  
Activities and Societies: Tau Beta Pi and Magna Cum Laude

Cooperative Education



**Roosevelt University**

MBA, Management  
1986 – 1989  
Activities and Societies: Summa Cum Laude

### Volunteer experience



**Board of Governors**

Opportunity International  
Apr 2007 – Present · 13 yrs 10 mos  
Poverty Alleviation

Microfinance giving loans to the poorest of the poor to start businesses in developing countries



**Board of Advisors**  
Shepherd's Gate  
Sep 2009 – Present • 11 yrs 5 mos  
Social Services

Shelter and spiritual center for homeless and battered women and children



**Board Advisor**  
Teen Esteem  
Jul 2011 – Present • 9 yrs 7 mos  
Education

Helping teens make healthy and courageous choices

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## Skills & endorsements

**Venture Capital** · 99+



Endorsed by David Hartford and 19 others who are highly skilled at this

**Strategy** · 99+



Endorsed by Wayne Cerullo and 15 others who are highly skilled at this

**Corporate Development** · 84



Endorsed by Tom Whiteaker and 1 other who is highly skilled at this

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## Recommendations

**Received (1)**

Given (7)



**James Romano**  
Sr Director - Strategic  
Corporate Accounts at  
Honeywell  
July 7, 2009, James reported  
directly to Mark

Mark's vision, creativity and energetic attention to detail have been an inspiration to all who have worked with him. He is a tremendous leader and coach. He is clearly a person who "Jumps into his passion with both feet and brings others along with him".

## Accomplishments

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Course

Stanford University - Executive Management Program



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Language

English



## Interests



**Mach49 / MachNet and Alumni Group**  
91 members



**Hashema International Partners**  
6 followers



**Virginia Tech**  
255,090 followers



**Industrial Design**  
178,813 members



**Larta Institute**  
2,749 followers



**Bill Gates**  
Co-chair, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation  
31,282,356 followers

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