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Top Skills

Mergers
Venture Capital
Portfolio Management

Nicholas Puro

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Summary

Private Equity Experience

Mr. Puro is CEO of BNM Bank Corp and a partner at MidAtlantic Fund, a private equity investor and family office. Venture Partner at GEO MedTech Venture Fund, a medtech venture investor. Previously, Mr. Puro was a partner in the Edelson Funds, a series of private equity funds investing in early-stage companies for 10 major corporate limited partners including 3M, AT&T, Colgate-Palmolive, Imation, Ford Motor, Reed Elsevier, UPS, and Viacom. Portfolio companies operated businesses in computer software and hardware, telecom, internet, biotech, medical devices, alternative energy, outsourcing, education systems and entertainment. 10 of the Funds' portfolio companies each reached market capitalization of between \$1 billion and \$60 billion in the public markets. In total, 30+ portfolio companies completed IPOs including Blackboard, Celgene, Chinadotcom, Global Pharmaceuticals, NeuroMedical Systems, Oxford GlycoSciences, Oxford Molecular, and Websense. 30+ more portfolio companies were successfully sold to companies including 3M, Applied Digital Sciences, Cable & Wireless, Cincinnati Bell, Kodak, HERA (Hydro-Quebec/Shell JV), Viacom, Jostens, Mallinckrodt, and W.R. Grace.

Entrepreneurial Experience

CEO of Techderm, a cosmetic device company, and of Periotech, a periodontal device company, CFO and Chief Strategy Officer of Propel Orthodontics, a medical device company (purchased by Dentsply Sirona). President of medical device manufacturer, Temptime Corp. (purchased by Zebra Technologies), President of China Opportunity Acquisition Corp. a special purpose acquisition company that successfully acquired a major specialty steel company in China in March 2009, CFO and Chief Strategy Officer of Sndr, a secure enterprise communication and file sharing platform that protects information and data from internal and external threats, President, COO and CFO, MultiVir Inc., a clinical stage tumor suppressor immunotherapy company focused on oncology and a

member of the board of directors of InMarket Solution, a marketing company and TnA Therapeutics, a clinical stage drug development company.

Legal Experience

Prior to commencing his career in venture capital, Mr. Puro was a leading venture capital attorney performing transactional work for many of the largest and respected venture capital funds on the East Coast.

Experience

BNM Bank Corp

Chief Executive Officer

January 2024 - Present (1 year 6 months)

Cayman Islands

MidAtlantic Fund

Partner

November 2012 - Present (12 years 8 months)

Greater New York City Area

Geo MedTech Ventures

Venture Partner

January 2023 - Present (2 years 6 months)

Luxembourg

MultiVir Inc.

President, Chief Operating Officer and Chief Financial Officer

January 2014 - June 2020 (6 years 6 months)

MultiVir is a leading clinical stage tumor suppressor immunotherapy company focused on viral gene therapies for oncology.

CRN Wireless

CEO

February 2012 - February 2013 (1 year 1 month)

Blackboard

Investor

2000 - 2011 (11 years)

TEMPTIME Corporation

President

August 2005 - October 2010 (5 years 3 months)

Morris Plains, NJ

Medical device manufacturer

Edelson Funds

Partner

September 1996 - June 2008 (11 years 10 months)

New York, New York, United States

Series of 5 venture capital investment funds with over 100 investments in life sciences and technology

Education

Fordham University School of Law

JD

Seton Hall University

BS, Accounting