

Merit Capital Partners, headquartered in Chicago, has managed approximately \$2.5 billion of capital since 1993. Merit is comfortable "sponsoring" transactions, teaming with management, handling the entire investment process and supplying all the necessary capital. We are also excited to work alongside independent sponsors to support investments in partnership with these groups.

# When to Think of Merit Capital Partners

RECAPITALIZATIONS (MAJORITY AND MINORITY)		
GROWTH/ACQUISITION FINANCINGS		
INDEPENDENT SPONSORS		
SHAREHOLDER LIQUIDITY & FAMILY TRANSITIONS		
MANAGEMENT BUYOUTS		

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## **Investment Profile**

TRANSACTIONS	Management Buyouts, Majority and Minority Recapitalizations, Acquisition Financings, Shareholder Liquidity Events, Growth Financings, and ESOPs
INVESTMENT SIZE	At least \$20 million
INDUSTRIES	Manufacturing, distribution, logistics and service businesses
COMPANYSIZE	EBITDA of at least \$4 million, no minimum for add-ons
CHARACTERISTICS	Experienced management, strong cash flow, established industry, growing market share
STRUCTURE	Combination of majority/minority equity and subordinated debt
INVOLVEMENT	Serve as board-level advisors rather than day-to-day managers
NOT CONSIDERED	Start-ups, turnarounds, real estate financings, specialty retailers, oil and gas opportunities

### **U.S Minerals**

A recycler and processor of industrial minerals for the abrasives and roofing industries.

Tinley Park, Illinois



### **Glunt Industries**

Repairs and refurbishes equipment for the steel, aluminum and pipemill industries. Warren, Ohio



## Kinex Medical Company And R&M Rehabilitation

A provider of post-operative orthopedic rehabilitation products and services.

Waukesha, Wisconsin



#### **Identity Group**

A designer and manufacturer of custom identity products and wayfinding services.

Nashville, Tennessee



# Advantaged Sintered Metals & Contact Technologies

A designer and manufacturer of powder metal parts. St. Marys, Pennsylvania



## Medway Air Ambulance

A provider of fixed-wing medical air transport services. Lawrenceville, Georgia



## **Nester Hosiery**

A designer and manufacturer of high performance outdoor wool socks.

Mt. Airy, North Carolina



## Gartner

A designer of various stationery and gift products for sale to mass merchants, online, and other retailers. Stillwater, Minnesota

GARTNER \* STUDIOS\*

## Stratus

A provider of in-home neuro-diagnostic testing services.

Irving, Texas



## Reliant

A provider of home healthcare and hospice care services.

Allen, Texas



## **MW Metals Group**

A provider of industrial scrap management services. Dayton, Ohio



## Glenn Rieder

A manufacturer and installer of custom architectural millwork.

Midwest



## MicroPrecision

A manufacturer of precision machined parts. Delavan, Wisconsin



## Omni Glass & Paint

A provider of glass and paint related products and services.

Oshkosh, Wisconsin



### Elgen

An engineer and manufacturer of ductwork accessory products.

Closter, New Jersey



#### Revision

A manufacturer of ballistic and laser protective eyewear.

Essex, Vermont



### John-Richard

A designer and manufacturer of high-end  $\,$  home furnishings.

Highpoint, North Carolina



## **Propet Footwear**

A supplier of comfort footwear products. Auburn, Washington



#### **Urban Surfaces**

A distributor of flooring products. Corona, California



### GoodGiant

A full-service, integrated marketing agency. Mobile, Alabama



## CyCan Industries

A developer and manufacturer of adhesives, cleaners, lubricants, fragrances, and coatings. Woodstock, Georgia



## Acacia

A provider of home health, hospice, and palliative services.

Orange County, California



## Displayit, Inc.

A designer, manufacturer, and installer of custom structural branded solutions. Irvine, California



## **American Producers Supply**

A distributor of industrial and construction related products.

Marietta, Ohio



## PFI

A provider of retail display solutions. St. Louis, Missouri



## AFX

A designer and distributor of decorative and commodity lighting solutions.
Waukegan, Illinois



## Circuit Check

A designer and manufacturer of custom test systems and test fixtures for electronics. Maple Grove, Minnesota

