



**Thomas M. Turmell**

## EXECUTIVE EDUCATION

Director, Corporate Partnerships

Tom Turmell is a Director in Executive Education at the Kellogg School of Management, where he is responsible for developing relationships with world-class businesses that use executive education as a resource for their leadership development strategy, and participates in the creation and execution of programs designed to achieve identified learning and development objectives.

Mr. Turmell is a seasoned business professional with over 25 years of experience providing various capital and advisory services to middle market, lower-middle market and high growth-potential manufacturing, distribution, and business to business service companies. Tom founded TMT Capital Partners, LLC, a private investment and advisory firm focused on working closely with companies and their management teams to professionalize business processes, improve operating performance, capitalize properly, and develop and execute initiatives that generate profitable business growth.

Prior to founding TMT Capital, Mr. Turmell held the position of Principal at Golub Capital, providing senior debt, junior debt, and equity capital to middle market companies. Mr. Turmell joined the firm in 2004 to establish and build the firm's Chicago office, make new investments, and participate in portfolio management. Before Golub Capital, Mr. Turmell was a Vice President with Pffingsten Partners, L.L.C., an operationally-oriented, middle market private equity firm focused on making control investments in middle market companies in the manufacturing, distribution, and publishing sectors. Before Pffingsten, Mr. Turmell was a Vice President at LaSalle Bank, N.A., providing credit and non-credit financial solutions to middle market manufacturing, distribution and service businesses.

Mr. Turmell is actively engaged with organizations and activities that promote economic development and business growth. He is a past-president and Executive Committee Member of the Chicago Chapter of the Association for Corporate Growth ("ACG"), and leads several committees that create and deliver conferences and programs. He also serves as a Board Member of ACG Global, is actively involved with ACG Global's Public Policy Initiatives (focused on educating lawmakers about the merits of business and the promotion of a policy agenda that facilitates access to capital for middle market companies), and serves as an Advisory Board member for several middle market and high growth companies.

A Michigan native, Mr. Turmell holds a BBA degree in Business Administration from the University of Notre Dame, and an MBA degree in Finance, Management and Strategy, and Organizational Behavior from the Kellogg School of Management.