

## ACG Portland... "Go for Growth"

A rich cross section of senior executives, from a diverse cross section of industries sharing a dynamic member experience focused on strategies for growth.

It's where executives gather to grow their companies, their network and themselves by:

**Networking among true peers.**

- Through invitation only membership ACG Portland carefully cultivates the member base to keep the mix 65% corporate high level business executives – CEOs, CFOs and COOs – and 35% "top of their game" service providers.

**Exchanging views across industries.**

- ACG members are from a diverse mix including technology, manufacturing, health care, financial services and business services.

**Accessing an appealing portfolio of programs of five distinctly different compact events for learning about growth.**

- All five varieties of ACG Portland programs package networking with programming in a compact, efficient and lively format.

Add it all up and ACG Portland delivers a unique package of value to busy executives who want the best growth return from their investment of "extra curricular" time.

Here is what leaders say about their experience:



**Craig Sabina, CEO Summit Projects (Interactive Ad Agency):**

*"I really like the networking. I find little gems inside people's brains that I can translate into ideas I can use."  
Member since 2006*



**Bill Janner, President Can and Bottle:**

*"Networking is where it starts and ends. I look at the clock at 5:15 and my first reaction is the last thing I want to do is go network at ACG. But once I get there everything clicks--it's like 'Cheers--everybody knows your name and I find interacting with intelligent career oriented people energizing. It's relatively effortless--show up, get good stuff and go home."  
Member since 2001*



**Jim Boyle, President, Hideki Electronics:**

*"I really enjoy getting to connect with people outside my every day business. Add the education I get from quality presenters, ACG delivers a great value."  
Member since 2008*

### ACG Portland--Part of a Global Organization

ACG Portland is one of 53 chapters of ACG which has more than 10,000 members in North America and Europe. Founded in 1954, ACG's mission is "To create a forum supporting the interests of senior business executives by sharing information and experiences that foster corporate growth." ACG Portland, responding to our members' needs and interests, focuses more on organic growth than corporate development and mergers and acquisitions. Our members benefit from the connection to the broader ACG network which has in depth expertise and easy access to resources related to M&A and corporate development.



**ACG Portland  
2009 Chapter of  
the Year**  
(200 or Less Members)

### Members have lots of choices for learning about growth:

**Peer Growth Events**...where CEOs share their stories and lessons learned in growing their companies.

**An Evening with**...a creative format where "renowned leaders & masters of growth" are interviewed to reveal the person behind their incredible success as well as their decisions and strategies leading to the success.

**Ahead of the Curve**...a seminar type event in which experts translate trends which will have a big impact on business growth in the not so distant future.

**CXO Exchanges**...opportunities for CEOs and CFO's to connect in relaxed and gracious settings for free wheeling conversations on hot topics of their choice.

**Golf Tournament**...play, network and do good by supporting scholarships for Oregon Business Schools.

*Of course, all these events include fun and informative opportunities for networking.*

### More Information

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