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Andreas Typaldos is a veteran businessman and entrepreneur, focused primarily in the software and technology space where he has been a pioneer, as founder or early investor, of several software and technology companies in the US and Europe.

- Mr Typaldos is currently active in the healthcare and life sciences space, as founder, CEO, investor, or chairman. As founder and CEO, he is currently focused on building Kerna Health Inc, an advanced state-of-the-art technology company, focused on digital health monitoring and actionable preventive care management in connection with chronic diseases and mental health. Even as a young start-up, Kerna is already working in partnership with customers that include many of the US's biggest and best-known healthcare companies and institutions, such as large multi-unit hospitals and long term care facilities, major pain and wound management practices, ACO's and large primary care and urgent care practices, and healthcare payer systems and large self-insured employers. He is an Advisory Board Member for AI at Alkido Pharma, and a Board Member of QCD-x, an early cancer detection company. In the recent past, he was founder and CEO of Petra Acquisition Inc, a Nasdaq-listed SPAC ("special purpose acquisition company") before merging with a biotech company.
- In the AI space, Mr Typaldos has been active as founder and Chairman of Cogia Intelligence GmbH, a publicly traded AI company in Germany, focused on XM ("experience management"), web and social media monitoring, market research, and open-source intelligence. Application of Cogia AI/ML in healthcare included use cases for early detection of pancreatic cancer at the UT Southwestern University Medical Center, in collaboration with researchers in that institution.
- In the CLOUD computing and IT Infrastructure automatization software space, Mr Typaldos is active as investor in a logical datacenter consolidation platform, Dedicated Solutions, utilizing advanced IT Infrastructure management software, code-named Synora. Building that IT Infrastructure automatization software utilized market experience and knowhow developed through an early \$10M funding from Microsoft to build an IT-resources monitoring platform to feed the Microsoft System Center console.
- In the communications space, he is major shareholder of Scalix, Inc., a Linux-based email server company (formerly HP OpenMail), acquired through funding and strategic technology from Microsoft.
- In the past, Mr Typaldos was co-founder, investor, and CEO of Xandros, a Linux operating systems company that helped launch the netbook PC space (the Asus EeePC, pre-cursor to the iPad tablet) through strategic alliance with Intel, Asus, and Microsoft. He was founder and major investor of Arkados, a powerline-based fabless semiconductor technology company sold to ST Micro, the 6th largest semiconductor company in the world; and of NetGain, an early internet incubator that funded and helped develop key early platforms like Ximian (sold to Novel), and ForSaleByOwner.com (incubated at NetGain and ultimately purchased by the Chicago Tribune). Mr Typaldos began his technology and entrepreneurial career in 1972 at the early stages of the information revolution, after a short period of work as software developer at AT&T upon graduation from Columbia University. In respect to early IT entrepreneurial initiatives, he was founder of one of the early ERP software companies, Computron, focused on financial management applications for customers such as Deutsche Bank, AIG, Bank of England, Pfizer, and others, which had an early half-billion-dollar IPO in 1995 with bulge-bracket underwriters, such as Cowen and DLJ (Donaldson Lufkin Jenrette).
- Mr. Typaldos went to the US from Greece on full scholarship from Columbia University, where he graduated with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Mathematical Methods for Engineering and Operations Research. He also has a Master of Science Degree in Computer Science. He is a dual citizen of the US and Greece, married, and with four children. He is active in education through funding of the Theodosios and Ekaterini Typaldos and Chryst Loukas Scholarship Program at Columbia University, dedicated to providing annual scholarship grants to Greek students, which it has been doing for the past 25 years.