Workshop ELITE

Funding Solutions for Sustainable Growth

Lux Lisboa Park
Rua Padre António Vieira 32 A 34, Lisbon

8th July 2025
09:30 – 19:00

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09:30 Registration & Breakfast

10:00 **Welcome remarks**

10:15 **Opening speech - Banco Português de Fomento**
Gonçalo Regalado, Presidente and CEO – Banco Português de Fomento

11:00 **Keynote speech – European Investment Bank**
Vasco Costa, Cleantech Finance Advisor, Advisory Growth Capital Division - EIB
Joana Lisboa, Deep Tech & Digital Investment Officer - Equity & Growth Capital – EIB

11:35 *Coffee Break*

11:45 **M&A best practices and key learnings**
Pedro Pinheiro, Partner – Oaklins Portugal
Eduardo Paulino, Partner – Morais Leitão

12:30 **ELITE certificates ceremony**

12:45 *Lunch*

14:00 **Overview of the ENX markets and the IPOReady path**
Isabel Ucha, CEO – Euronext Lisbon

14:40 **In chat with ELITE companies: experiences in capital raising**
Rahim Lakhani, CEO – The Lakhani Group
Antonio Menditto, CFO – Undo Group

15:20 **Private funding solutions through the different stages of growth of a business**
André Pereira Ambrosio, Partner, Head of ECM – ALANTRA Equities

16:00 **Group discussion moderated by ELITE and closing remarks**

17:00 Networking & cocktails at the Lux Hotel Rooftop
19:00

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Join us for an exclusive opportunity to explore the diverse landscape of funding solutions tailored for medium-sized businesses across Europe. Organised by ELITE, this workshop is part of a series of international events designed specifically for leaders and directors of ELITE companies. It promises to be a day filled with insights, networking, and strategic discussions aimed at empowering your business's growth journey.

Objectives:

Gain insights from leading institutions, market experts, and investors on the various funding opportunities available.
Understand the nuances and complementarities between private and public funding.
Learn from the experiences of fellow entrepreneurs and ELITE companies in capital raising and mergers & acquisitions (M&A).

Structure of the Day:

- Institutional keynotes: Learn about the trends and the opportunities from the markets.
- In Chat with ELITE Companies: Hear firsthand experiences in capital raising.
- Roundtables with experts, advisors and investors: listen to those who work side-by-side with businesses in their successes and failures.
- Group Discussion: Participate in a moderated discussion to share insights and experiences.
- Networking breaks and Cocktail: enrich the day with networking opportunities, fostering connections across borders.

Why Attend?

This workshop is a must-attend for leaders of medium-sized businesses seeking to unlock new funding avenues and drive sustainable growth. By attending, you'll gain valuable knowledge, build strategic connections, and position your company for success in an increasingly competitive market. Don't miss this chance to be part of a dynamic community of forward-thinking business leaders.

Register now to secure your place at this transformative event!

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