
Additional Reading

Luck Favors the Well Prepared

- Keep up to date with financial news and events
 - Newspapers: Wall Street Journal, Financial Times, NY Times
 - Periodicals: Business Week, Economist, Forbes, Fortune
 - Online commentary: thedeal.com, thestreet.com, Motley Fool (fool.com), etc.
 - <http://dealbook.blogs.nytimes.com/>
 - <http://dealbook.blogs.nytimes.com/category/professor/>
 - Be current on key market statistics!
 - Dow, S&P and Nasdaq performances, US 10 year yield, etc.
 - Know key recent transactions and trends in the market!
 - Sign up for Capital IQ's monthly "Market Observations"
 - Visit www.capitaliq.com, select "Market Observations" under "Resource Center" in the top bottom right hand corner near the site search
- Leverage off alumni, 2nd years, other students, career services, faculty, etc.

Useful Websites and Other Content

Useful websites:

Financial Accounting Standards Board

<http://www.fasb.org/>

International Accounting Standards Board

<http://www.iasb.org>

Key differences between IFRSs and US GAAP

<http://www.iasplus.com/usa/ifrsus.htm>

Standard & Poor's Leveraged Commentary & Data (LCD)

<https://www.lcdcomps.com/lcd/f/primers.html>

Private Equity / Venture Capital

<http://kfbspevc.blogspot.com>

<http://www.privateequitylawreview.com>

Damodaran Online

<http://pages.stern.nyu.edu/~adamodar>

Useful industry periodicals that focus on mergers & acquisitions and private equity:

- The DealBook from the NY Times (<http://dealbook.blogs.nytimes.com>)
- The Deal Magazine or <http://www.thedeal.com>
- Mergers & Acquisitions: The Dealermaker's Journal by SourceMedia
- Private Equity Week by Thomson Financial Partners
- Buyouts by Thomson Financial Partners