

# CEO to CEO Briefing

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**Major Business Conference Scheduled In Tulsa – March 28th** – Business owners seeking innovative ways to expand their business will acquire an insider's perspective in corporate growth strategy at the M&A conference "*Keys to Successful Acquisitions for Corporate Growth*" on Wednesday, March 28th at the Doubletree Hotel at Warren Place in Tulsa. Nationally renowned experts will educate business owners and advisors with an inside view of the strategic use of acquisitions, mergers, or divestitures to fuel corporate growth and success for companies in the Oklahoma region.

Presented in a forum with multiple panels, subject matter experts will offer information relevant to the Oklahoma marketplace and its dynamics. These experts will consist of intermediaries, private equity groups, attorneys, tax advisors, and commercial lenders that are prominent in the merger and acquisition industry. Business owners, key advisors, M&A professionals, CPAs and financial planners will be given information regarding the M&A process, techniques for strategic growth, and an insider's perspective of the "buy" side of the process.

The conference is hosted by The M&A Source, the world's largest international organization of merger and acquisition intermediaries representing the middle market. Local M&A specialists Rob Firestone and John C. Johnson, co-owners of State Chamber member Bluestem Resources Affiliated Group, serve as co-chairs for the event. To schedule an interview or request more information, please contact **Jennifer Thompson** at (918) 749-4315. Click [here](#) for detailed information about the conference.

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