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Managing Director, Baker Tilly Capital, LLC - Steve has more than 30 years of diverse corporate finance experience including mergers and acquisitions, private equity, management buyouts, venture capital and business valuations. He has completed hundreds of transactions and advisory assignments. Prior to joining Baker Tilly, Steve was a managing director in the mergers and acquisitions advisory practice of Fleet Boston Financial (now Bank of America). He was also a managing director and principal at Howard, Lawson & Co., a regional investment banking boutique specializing in corporate finance advisory services and valuations for middle market companies. Steve began his career in the venture capital group of that firm where he led direct investments in emerging growth technology companies and management buyouts. He was also a principal in the boutique's merchant banking affiliate. Steve has spoken frequently to various groups on such topics as capital markets, mergers and acquisitions, valuation, testified as an expert witness, and published regarding intellectual property and royalty rates. Steve earned a Master in Business Administration with a concentration in finance from the University of Cincinnati and a Bachelor of Arts in economics from the University of Pittsburgh. Steve and Lydia (A&S 81) have three children, Nicholas, Andrew and Sophia. Sophia is currently attending the Swanson School of Engineering. Steve has served in various capacities on the alumni board since 2013, including serving as Chair of the Scholarship and Recruitment Committee, before agreeing to serve as Treasurer for the 2016-2018 term.