# David Souder, Ph.D.

Professor and Senior Associate Dean for Faculty and Research at University of Connecticut Storrs, CT, US

Dr. Souder specializes in strategic management.

#### **Biography**

Professor Souder?s ongoing research analyzes the antecedents and consequences of firms? long horizon investments, including capital infrastructure, organization design, and mergers and acquisitions. He has published scholarly articles in the Academy of Management Review, Strategic Management Journal, Journal of Management, Journal of Management Studies, and Business and Professional Ethics. In conjunction with the Network for Business Sustainability, Dr. Souder is the lead author of a systematic review and executive report on ways to incorporate long-term thinking into current business decisions. Dr. Souder also serves as the Academic Director of UConn?s Executive MBA program, and as the PhD Coordinator for the Management Department. Before joining academia, Professor Souder obtained a decade of private-sector experience, primarily as a strategy consultant based in New York and London. He also served as the finance director for a startup that launched the first non-profit charter school in New York state, and continues to advise business and community organizations. In the classroom, Dr. Souder has taught case-based courses in strategic management for undergraduate, MBA, and executive audiences, as well as a PhD seminar on research methods in strategic management. He has also taught courses on the meaning and interpretation of statistics to Executive MBA students, and the identification of entrepreneurial opportunities to undergraduates.

### **Areas of Expertise**

Baby Boomer Effect on Business Ownership, Cable Industry

#### Education

University of Minnesota
Ph.D. Business Administration

University of Pennsylvania B.S. Economics

## **Accomplishments**

**MBA** Teacher of the Year

Awarded by the Management Department, University of Connecticut.

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