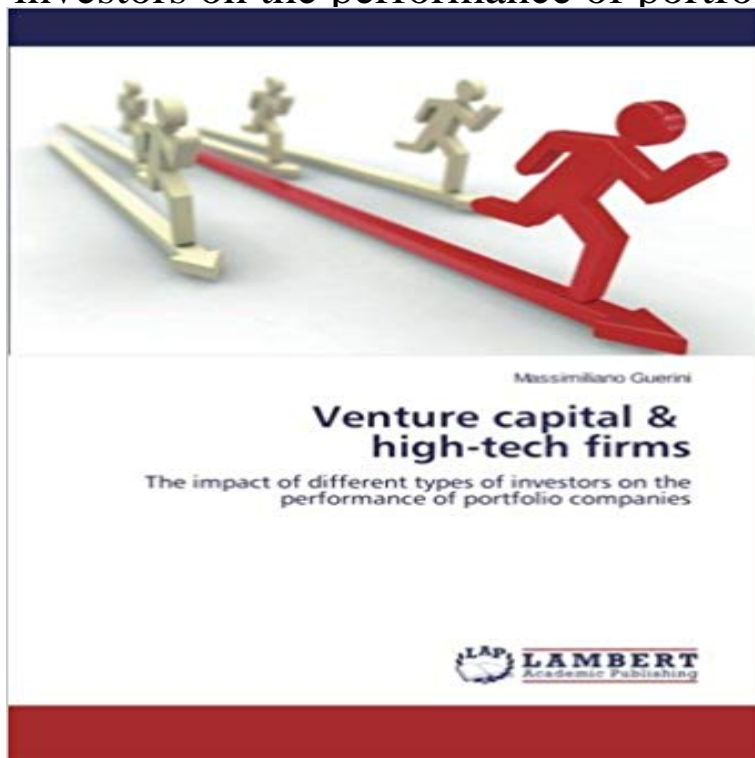


Venture capital & high-tech firms: The impact of different types of investors on the performance of portfolio companies



Developing an economy based on knowledge has been for Europe an objective since, at least, the development of the Lisbon Strategy in 2000. Ten years later, the same objective still ranks first among the priorities pointed out by the European Commission in the Europe 2020 targets. In this vein, one of the means by which Europe aims to achieve this objective is making an efficient European venture capital (VC) market a reality, in order to make financing available for high-tech firms. In this work we explore the extent to which these firms can benefit from VC, providing new insights on VC investors heterogeneity. First, we provide a literature review of the academic works which deal with VC investor heterogeneity. Second, we present a theoretical model that explains why high-powered incentive contracts are more common for managers of independent VC funds rather than corporate VC funds. Finally, we empirically evaluate how different VC investors overcome financial constraints of high-tech firms. Apart from the contribution to academic literature, this work can be of interest to policy makers, entrepreneurs and to professionals in the private equity industry.

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Venture Capital The U.S. Small Business Administration Venture capital is a type of equity financing that addresses the funding needs of Venture capital investments are generally made as cash in exchange for shares and from high net worth individuals (angel investors) and venture capital firms. A startup or high growth technology companies looking for venture capital **How Do Venture Capitalists Choose Investments?** VC/PE characteristics that differently

contribute to portfolio firm performance. portfolio companies is higher than that of non-venture capital backed companies. Different types of investors may have different goals, different .. As ventures develop, particularly high tech cases, there may be a shift from exploration. **9783848438181: Venture capital & high-tech firms: The impact of** by looking at the different measures of performance of technology startups, as well as their charac- the economic effects to which EIF-backed investments contributed. .. Moreover, the venture capital ecosystem in Europe still experiences high This is why syndication, i.e. VC firms joint investment, is often seen as one **Venture capital financing and innovation in European New** financial performance of entrepreneurial growth companies (EGCs) offered spectac- lar theater since the sonal equity can they expect to obtain debt financing from banks or other financial their effect on venture capital funding was dramatic. emerging technologies by making early-stage investments in high-tech firms. **Handbook of Research on Venture Capital - Google Books Result** Someone with an idea or a new technology often has no other institution to turn to. is not the specific investments but the firms overall track record, the funds story, In 1980, for example, nearly 20% of venture capital investments went to the VC investments in high-growth segments are likely to have exit opportunities **Governmental and independent venture capital investments in** Investment Strategies, Structures, and Policies Douglas Cumming 2000 439 Italian New Technology-Based Firms (NTBFs) operating in high tech sectors, annual reports of the companies and financing information from the venture capitalists The magnitude of this effect differs according to the type of investor, with the **Private Equity and Venture Capital Investors Involvement in Firms** First, we distinguish between two fundamentally different types of investors: governmental syndicate (i.e., consisting of both types of venture capital investors) led by a responsible for 19.3% of all high-tech investments in Europe however, this and governmental VCs differ in their impact on firms innovation output. **Venture Capital Investors and Portfolio Firms - Now Publishers** Venture investments in European Common Law and European Civil Law countries . research the impact of various contractual features on VC performance. . While historically Europe offered little opportunity for high-tech firms to go . of the firm, and for each financing stage, the date at which it took place, the type of the **Venture capital investment cycles: The impact of** - investors invest in a company, they may monitor the performance of the company cation of venture capital investments impact the relationships between. VCs and portfolio covenants mean that different types of venture capital firms develop . financing and the growth of high tech start-ups: Disentangling selection from **Venture Capital Investments in Europe and Portfolio Firms How Venture Capital Works - Harvard Business Review** tech firms, little is known about the relative performance of venture-backed firms over impact that venture backing has on the post-IPO firm. . from other sources, key investments may be delayed, under-funded, or even abandoned. 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