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James Seppala

James is the Head of Real Estate Europe at Blackstone. Since joining Blackstone in 2011, Mr. Seppala has been involved in a number of Blackstone's investments across Europe including Logicor, OfficeFirst, and Mileway. Prior to joining Blackstone, James was a Vice President at Goldman Sachs & Co, where he spent 10 years focused on equity and debt investment opportunities in Europe and the United States on behalf of Goldman Sachs's real estate private equity group.

James graduated magna cum laude from Harvard College in 2001 with a degree in Romance Languages and Literatures. He has worked in real estate ever since. James serves on the Imperial College Endowment Board, on the European Advisory Board of the Zell/Lurie Real Estate Centre at the Wharton School, and is a governor of the John Lyon's Foundation.