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Michelle joined Snowden Lane Partners in 2017 as a Managing Director and Financial Advisor, bringing with her a passion for financial literacy that marries the science of wealth management with the art of financial therapy.

Michelle started her financial planning career with American Express Financial Advisors, where she counseled high net worth individuals to manage their wealth, build their legacy, and find a sense of ease in their relationship with money. She brought this unique approach to each of her successive roles, as an Investment Specialist for Northwestern Mutual, a Financial Planning Specialist for Merrill Lynch, and Vice President for Morgan Stanley before finding her home at Snowden Lane.

Michelle earned her B.S. in Business Administration from Rider University and her Graduate Certificate in Financial Therapy from Kansas State University. She is passionate about empowering clients through a personalized approach anchored in financial planning and financial literacy as the gateways to authentic financial wellness. Michelle is a Certified Financial Planner (CFP®) practitioner and Certified Investment Management Analyst (CIMA®).

As an author, speaker, and nationally recognized advisor, Michelle has been quoted in Newsweek, the Wall Street Journal, and published in the Journal of Financial Planning. She has twice named one of Worth Magazine's Best 250 Financial Advisors. Michelle is a Forbes Business Council Member and contributing writer, a Founding Member of Bergen County's Women United in Philanthropy, and the co-Chair of the Investment & Wealth Institute Investment Advisors Forum planning committee.

She lives in Wyckoff, NJ, where she continues to write her own story with her husband, Mike and sons, Alex and Nick. She's an avid photographer, an enthusiastic lacrosse fan, and a lover of books and conversation.

