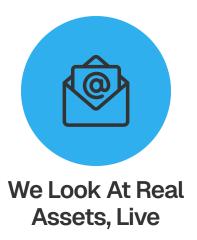
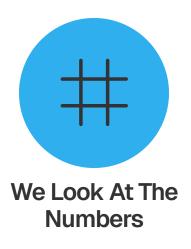


# LIVE FIXES FOR BROKEN OUTREACH

## What Is A Teardown?









# Biases We Are Seeing

### Meritocracy Bias

"If I just have a great track record or sharp thesis, the capital will come."

**Reality:** Capital doesn't flow to merit — it flows to **narrative + access + trust**.

**Fix:** Rewire GPs to think like salespeople, not selectors.

### Time Dissonance Bias

If you're not spending 70% time, 45+ hours per week for 18+ months you are not fundraising. That is 2457 hours. Let me know when they're done.

"I can balance fundraising with deal flow, ops, and everything else."

Fix: Enforce 70/30 calendar discipline. Track time like a revenue org.

### Relationship Illusion Bias

"I've got 200 LPs in my network — I just need to make a few calls."

Reality: "Warm intros" are worthless without a real conversion funnel.

Fix: GPs must build a true pipeline and CRM with weekly velocity tracking.

# Biases We Are Seeing

### Overconfidence Bias

I don't need help. I've raised before / I know my stuff / I'm credible.

Reality: The 2025 market's different. What worked in 2018 doesn't work now.

Fix: Break GPs early. Make them rehearse pitches. Demand mock LP Q&As

### Burn Rate Denial Bias

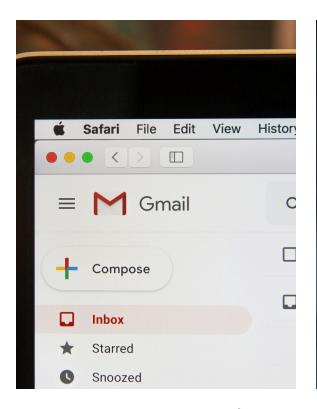
"I'll get soft commitments, and then backfill ops, marketing, and IR later."

**Reality:** Raises are front-loaded. If you don't look institutional **early**, you don't get second meetings.

**Impact:** GPs hold cash too tightly, then panic-spend at the end - when it's too late, WOMP WOMP.

**Fix:** Require GPs to allocate and deploy 2-2.5% upfront. No capital plan = no raise. No 2-2.5%? Not on my Zoom.

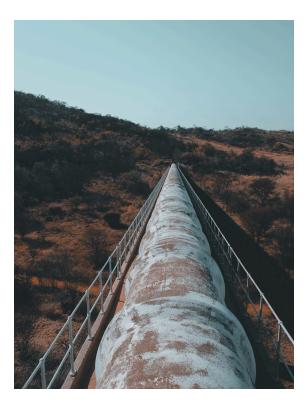
# What Failing Funnels Have In Common



No system to qualify interest



Reactive vs proactive follow-up



Pipeline bloat: LPs sitting idle for months



**Emotional exhaustion** 

### Where To Share Your Teardown From

### **Your CRM**

Hubspot, Salesforce, etc.

# Lightweight Pipeline Trackers

Google Sheets, Notion, Airtable

# Outbound Workflow System,

Snovio, MixMax, Apollo,. Smartlead, etc.

# "Out Or Through" - The Funnel Discipline







Service > Chasing, No Pitching In First Meeting, Pain Funnel Only, No Pain, No Pitch In Second Meeting, LP's Pain Must Be Deeply Profiled Prior To First Meeting

# The Capital OS Funnel

Your Anchor Research + Anchor Packs

Al-Powered Anchor Investors that Are Best-Fit who have anchored funds just like vours

Hubspot CRM, Affinity or similar

Stages/Pain for all anchor investors

Hubspot or Smartlead

Outreach Automation for all hyper-personalized email sequences for the 6-7 people at each anchor to determine pain level

IR Calendar

Tracked, qualified meetings

### What To Do This Week

# Figure Out The Exact Size of the Raise Including The 15% Buffer

\$100M = \$115M

Many investment firms under-budget because they fail to account for ops, cost of data warehouse, Al budget and LP and dealflow origination costs. **\$500K-\$1.2M/year**—just to play at an institutional level.

### **Have The Right Landing Pages**

If the landing pages on your website are about you, founders or stuff other than LPs and LP problems LPs are going to think you're out of touch or full of shit. LPs care how you make them feel and what you know about their problems. That's it.

#### Do "Fund To Fund" LPs

We have a document that shows you exactly how to get your LPs from Fund 1 and Fund 2 into your newest fund. First you need to know their AUM and their exact problems. If you're talking to people with AUM under \$200M you're talking to the wrong people.

#### **Clean The Funnel**

Figure out exactly what type of biz pain each LP has. If you cannot determine 2-3 reasons that they want to meet with you and then set the agenda for the next meeting, kill the deal.

# Join Capital OS Premium - June Cohort



### Whats Included

- Full Narrative Overhaul From first word to closing call
- Deck + Data Room Refinement Clarity, structure, and strategic polish
- LP Pipeline Design Tiered, prioritized, frictionless
- Fundraising OS Buildout From pipeline dashboards to workflows
- Live Cohort Weekly sessions and async reviews
- Capital OS Access All Al tools + lifetime updates