

# Weekly Investor Updates For The Week Ending 25 July 2014

Ardent Financial Planning

advise clients on investments into ethical funds. Currently they are seeking funds that focus on Renewables, Green Tech and Green Energy.

Brookdale IFP

advises clients on investing into ethical funds. Currently they select funds from sriservices.co.uk's fund universe. They are open to

hearing from other ethical funds.

Harris Fraser

are reviewing Asian focused Equity Long/Short strategies,

preferably registered with the SFC.

**Africa** 

Ace & Company

co invest and invest directly in Private Equity. Currently they would not like to hear from any new managers.

Australia

AMP Capital Investors (Australia)

outsource all manager selection to a number of external consultants.

Europe

1788 Capital Trust SA

invest in Long Only and Hedge Funds. They are reviewing managers on an opportunistic basis.

Absolut Research

are investing in Absolute Return strategies within Onshore European structures. They are strategy agnostic and are interested

in overall performance of the fund.



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Acropolis Capital are currently reviewing Equity Long/Short and Event Driven funds.

Akros Alternative Investments invest in Long Only and Hedge Funds. They are currently review

global and Developed Markets Equity and Fixed Income strategies.

review managers on an ongoing basis. The current focus is on Aletti Gestielle SGR Spa

Discretionary Global Macro, Equity Long/Short and Event Driven

(Special Situations). Funds must be UCITS compliant.

Apo Asset Management review Hedge Funds opportunistically. They use several databases

to screen and source managers.

are not currently investing in any new managers. B. Metzler Seel. Sohn & Co.

Banco di Credito P. Azzoaglio are not currently investing in any new managers.

Bank CIC (Schweiz) AG are seeking single and Multi Manager Merger Arbitrage strategies

as well as Equity Long/Short and Multi Strategy funds.

**Bregal Investments** actively seek to invest in Private Equity Funds. Some strategies

they review include Energy (outside US and not renewable), Buy

Out, Distressed Opportunity and Secondary Funds.

**BRI** Wealth Management are not currently investing in any new managers.

**CERN Pension Fund** are not currently investing in any new managers.

Management AG

Conservative Concept Portfolio are reviewing Equity Long/Short and Fixed Income strategies

within European Onshore structures.

FarmaPension A/S outsource all manager selection to Sparinvest.

Auersperg

Fides Vermögensverwaltung Flick & are not currently investing in any new managers.

**GAM International Management** are reviewing UCITS compliant, single manager funds across all

asset classes.



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Harcourt Alternative Investing are seeking Equity Long/Short strategies which offer Event Driven

strategies. They also review the Equity Long/Short space

opportunistically.

Hasma Capital Advisors continue their focus on Private Equity funds.

Indecap (Fixed Income and Hedge Funds) are not currently investing in any

new managers.

KBL European Private Bankers are reviewing Long Only Equity funds for a Global Emerging

Markets Fund of Funds that will be ready in October 2014.

Mapfre are investing in Equity Long Only strategies across Asia, Europe

and the US. Mapfre review all Cap funds and have a preference for

Large Cap.

Per4m are not investing in any new managers.

PFA Pension Fund invests in unlisted Private Equity and are actively reviewing

Leveraged Buyout and Distressed Credit strategies. Sector focused strategies, including Oil & Gas, Infrastructure and Renewable

Energy are not currently the primary focus.

Stellum Asset Management are seeking Active and Passive Large Cap Equity managers who are

listed on the Swedish Pension Authority platform.

Valia Group are only interested in hearing from Smart Beta strategies for their

client's Long Only portfolio. Their clients are very cautious with their investments so they are currently reviewing Long/Short funds

with low volatility. Volatility should be between 3% and 4%.

Varma Mutual Pension Insurance

Company

are seeking a Global Emerging Market Equity or Multi Asset

strategy which has low Beta.

Warwickshire County Council are moving away from Active Investments and are moving towards

fundamental Passive Investments.



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#### Middle East

Government of Kuwait invest opportunistically into a range of external funds.

Oman Arab Bank invest in Equity and Fixed Income Long Only Funds. They mainly

> allocate to UCITS compliant funds, including FCPs and other European-regulated fund structures. They can allocate to funds via Managed Accounts if the AuM of the fund is large enough. The Oman Arab Bank can review regional and sector-focused

strategies.

#### North America

Alaska Permanent Fund Corporation invest into external funds through a range of consultanta, including

Blackrock.

Retirement System

Arkansas Local Police and Fire outsource all of their investments to Stephens Incorporated.

**Ballentine Partners** have current searches for European Event Driven and Emerging

Markets Equity Long/Short strategies.

Christ School are looking to invest in European Real Estate opportunities.

Cica Inc. currently seeking to invest in Euro denominated UCITS funds.

Colorado State University Foundation are not currently investing in any new managers.

**Cross Shore Capital Management** invest in majority in Equity Long Short funds.

are not currently investing in any new managers. Dallas Police & Fire Pension System

**ELM Asset Management** exclusively reviews funds in the CTA space and is looking

opportunistically at both trend following and non-trend following

approaches.



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GE Asset Management Limited invest in Long Only and Hedge Funds. On the Long Only side they

are reviewing Discretionary and Systematic strategies across all

asset classes.

Granite Asset Management exclusively invest in CTA managers. The strategies of interest are

trend following, non trend following and trend anticipating. These

can be Systematic or Discretionary.

Lancaster County Community

Foundation

outsource all manager selection to Glenmede Investment and

Wealth Management.

LUMA Capital are not investing in any new managers at the moment.

Oberlin College Endowment invest in managers opportunistically.

Peter G. Peterson Foundation outsource all investment decisions to a consultant.

Russell Berrie Foundation outsource all manager selection to Prime Buchholz.

Trustcore Financial Services, Inc advise their clients on Private Equity, Long Only and Hedge Funds

across all types of structures. They will review Active and Passive managers. Their clients have the ability to invest via Managed

Accounts.

Utah Retirement System invest on an opportunistic basis.

Van Biema Value Partners LLC are currently reviewing only Value focused Emerging Hedge Fund

Managers with AuM of less than \$200m. They review Equity Long

biased and Event Driven strategies.

Worcester Retirement System outsource all manager selection to Meketa Investment Group.