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Please see below a monthly update on the latest people moves within the EMEA investment management industry. Please do get in contact with the team if you would like to discuss any topics relating to talent in the investment or wealth management areas.

- **Amundi** has appointed **Azhar Hussain** as **Head of Global High Yield**. Formerly, Azhar was Head of Leveraged Finance at Royal London Asset Management.
- **Argenta Asset Management** has appointed **Willem Glorie** as **Senior Fixed Income Portfolio Manager**. Formerly, Willem was Fixed Income Portfolio Manager – Head of EM Corporate Credit at LGT Capital Partners.
- **BNP Paribas Asset Management** has appointed **Guy Davies, Olivier de Larouzière, Laurent Clavel, and Robinson Rouchié** as **Chief Investment Officers**.
- **Broadstone** has appointed **Steven Bell** and **Liam Hudson** as **Senior Defined Contribution Consultants**. Formerly, Steven was Senior DC Consultant at Aon and Liam was Consultant, Pension and Wellbeing at Howden.
- **Causeway Securities** has appointed **Mark Dunn** as **Managing Director, Asset Management Distribution**. Formerly, Mark was Partner, Head of Retail Sales at Downing.
- **Columbia Threadneedle Investments** has appointed **Natasha Ebtehadj** as **Global Equities Portfolio Manager**. Additionally, **Ciara Fitzgerald** has joined as **Investment Grade Credit Portfolio Manager**, and **Steve Nelson** has joined the **Fixed Income Client Portfolio Management Team**.
- **De Lisle Partners** has promoted **Daniel Scott Lintott** from Senior Investment Analyst to **Assistant Fund Manager**, and has appointed **Philip Coombes** as **Investment Analyst**. Formerly, Philip was Equity Analyst and Head of AI at HC Andersen Capital.
- **Edmond de Rothschild Asset Management** has promoted **Alain Krief** from Global Head of Fixed Income to **Global Chief Investment Officer**. Additionally, **Charles Lilford** has joined as **Co-Head of Equities and Senior Portfolio Manager** from BlackRock where he was a Portfolio Manager.
- **Fortress Investment Group** has appointed **Harry Bush** as **Managing Director, Head of Private Wealth Solutions, EMEA**. Formerly, Harry was Managing Director, Head of UK Wealth and EMEA Strategic Accounts at Nuveen.
- **GAM Investments'** Investment Manager, Global Equities, **Duncan Bulgin**, has **left** the firm.
- **HarbourVest Partners** has appointed **Guido Lombardi** as **Principal – Global Private Wealth**. Formerly, Guido was Head of Research and of External Funds Allocation Program – Investment Solutions at DWS Group.
- **Insignis** has appointed **Sam Pennefather** as **VP of Wealth**. Formerly, Sam was Head of Intermediary Sales at CCLA Investment Management.
- **Legal & General** has promoted **Rachel Cutts** from Chief of Staff to Institutional Retirement CEO to **Head of Origination and Execution, Pension Risk Transfer**.
- **M&G** has appointed **John Bruen** as **Head of Infracapital**, succeeding **Martin Lennon**, who is **retiring**. Additionally, **Ross Sterling** has joined as **Deputy Portfolio Manager, Japanese Equities** and **Joyeeta Kanungo** has joined as **Director, Products and Structuring**.
- **Mediolanum International** has appointed **Stephen Tapley** as **Deputy Head of High Yield**. Formerly, Stephen was Senior Fund Manager, Leveraged Finance (Global Credit) at Royal London Asset Management.
- **Pacific Asset Management** has appointed **Carlos Rodriguez** as **Partner and Managing Director, Americas Business Development**. Formerly, Carlos was Director, Senior Investment Strategist, Multi-Asset Strategies and Solutions at BlackRock.
- **Parmenion's** Investment Director, **Meera Hearnden**, has **left** the firm.
- **Rathbones Asset Management** has appointed **Ianjit Bhatti** as **Senior Investment Analyst**. Formerly, Ianjit was Equity Research Analyst, Global Software at Sarasin & Partners. Additionally, **Francesca Guinane** has joined to work within its **Multi-Asset Investment Specialist Team** from Schroders where she was Investment Director, Investment Insights Unit.
- **T Rowe Price** has promoted **Elizabeth Hogbin** from Senior Director of Business Strategy, Investments to **Head of Global Product**.

- **Triodos Investment Management** has appointed **Jorik van den Bos** as **Director Impact Equities & Bonds**.
- **UTI Investments** has appointed **Benjamin Rumary** as **UK Business Head**. Previously, Benjamin was Head of UK Wholesale Business at Candriam.



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