



Press release

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Stephanie de Saint-Marcq (Geake) appointed Head of Rothschild's Asset Management Distribution Business in Switzerland

Rothschild Asset Management announces that Stephanie de Saint-Marcq (Geake), who has been working as Client Relationship Manager for Rothschild's asset management activities in France and Switzerland since 2013, has been appointed Head of the Rothschild Asset Management distribution business in Switzerland. Stephanie will be based in Geneva and cover institutional clients, fund distributors and financial intermediaries across Switzerland. She will locally report to Laurent Gagnebin, CEO of Rothschild Bank AG.

Before joining Rothschild Asset Management, Stephanie de Saint-Marcq (Geake) worked as an Analyst at Microfinanza Rating and as a Project Manager for the World Microfinance Forum Geneva as well as several other organisations within the financial sector. She studied Economics at the University of Edinburgh and the Universitat Pompeu Fabra and holds a Master of Arts with Honours in Economics of the University of Edinburgh.

Gil Platteau, who headed the Swiss asset management business since 2013, has decided to leave Rothschild Asset Management to take on a new role outside the Group.

Rothschild Asset Management is headquartered in Paris and runs three complementary fields of expertise: conviction management, open architecture solutions and risk-based strategies. The traditional conviction-based arm concentrates primarily on European assets, with extensive expertise in European equities, fixed income, convertible bonds and flexible diversified management. These strategies can be accessed in the form of mutual funds, dedicated funds or tailor-made mandates.

In open architecture solutions, Rothschild Asset Management has been a pioneer in investing in hedge funds through Fund of Hedge Fund strategies since 1969. More recently, a dedicated liquid alternatives platform has allowed the group to select and on board a handful of hedge fund managers into liquid, transparent Ucits vehicles. These managers have been present in Rothschild Asset Management's alternative portfolios for many years, allowing for true alignment of interests and solid partnerships with one manager per strategy type (today: a long/short equity fund, a multi-asset systematic fund and a global macro fund).

Finally, Rothschild Asset Management offers clients risk-based investment solutions, proposing an alternative to traditional portfolios that are capitalisation-weighted (equities) or debt-weighted (bonds).

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model is grounded in deep understanding of each and every client's needs. We combine state-of-the-art technology and the latest sophisticated modelling with deep on-the-ground experience to develop bespoke investment solutions for our clients. It is this innovative yet considered approach that enables to offer a distinct perspective to our clients and make a meaningful difference to their assets in the long-term. For more information: www.rothschildgestion.com