# INTRODUCTION TO ANTARES INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT

TOTAL EQUITY & BALANCED STRATEGIES



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### **ABOUT ANTARES**



Independent discretionary Portfolio Management firm serving private clients



Founded in 2004; Based in Winnipeg



We invest our own money alongside our clients



We work with independent Financial Planners for the benefit of clients

#### THE FINANCIAL PLANNER & PORTFOLIO MANAGER ROLES

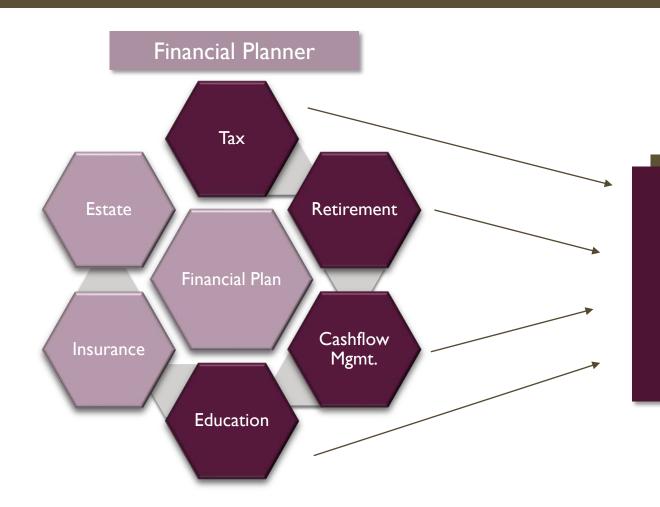
#### **Financial Planner**

- Estate Planning
- Tax Planning
- Retirement Planning
- Cashflow Management
- Education Planning
- Risk Management

## Portfolio Manager

- Equity Research
- Asset Allocation
- Portfolio Construction
- Portfolio Rebalancing

## HOW WE WORK WITH FINANCIAL PLANNERS





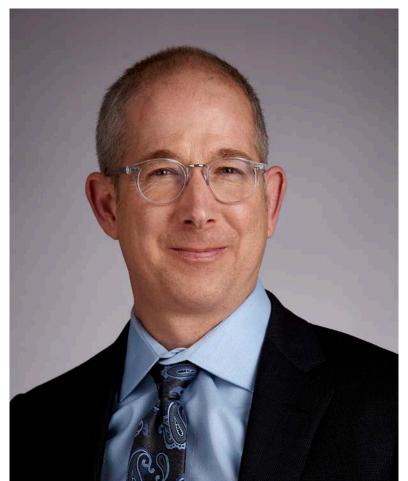
As Portfolio Manager we invest your money to achieve these objectives

#### PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT TEAM

- Our Portfolio Managers hold the Chartered Financial Analyst designation
  - We follow a strict code of ethics
  - Portfolio Managers are the only financial professionals in Canada under fiduciary obligations
- Over 50 years of combined investment management experience
- Portfolio Management Team works collaboratively to generate rational investment decisions

## **CONTACT US DIRECTLY**

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#### OUR INVESTMENT PHILOSOPHY

We buy companies, not "the market"

We hold them for the long term

We look around the world for opportunities

We believe in focused investment portfolios

We value simplicity and transparency

We believe an investment strategy works best with a comprehensive financial plan

## WHAT IS A FOCUSED PORTFOLIO?

20-30 companies

Portfolio looks nothing like the index

Conviction in our best ideas

All decisions weighed carefully

### WHAT WE WANT IN A COMPANY

## Moderate Debt

- Avoid financial trouble
- Flexibility to increase borrowing for opportunities

## **Consistent Profits**

• Cash flow is necessary for future growth and dividends

## Fair Price

- Great company purchased for a good price increases the odds of success
- Reduced odds of impairing capital

## **EQUITY PROCESS**

Idea Generation Analysis of 10 years of financial data

Formulate thesis – why would we own shares?

Analysis of the value of business

Discussion, debate, decision

Ongoing review

Sell when initial thesis no longer holds

## HISTORIC PERFORMANCE BALANCED POOL

Performance – March 31, 2019

3 month	l Year	2 Year	3 Year	Annualized Since Inception*	Cumulative Since Inception*
6.7%	5.8%	4.0%	6.0%	6.4%	31.2%

2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	YTD
1.9%	5.6%	10.1%	7.0%	(3.0%)	6.7%

Source: Antares Investment Management, Inc. - Internal Management System \*Inception Date: November 4, 2014

All performance figures are in Canadian dollars. Performance returns exclude management fees but include trading costs, foreign exchange related costs, withholding taxes and other operating costs. See important disclaimers on the last page. Sources for the data are NDEX and Antares calculations.

## HISTORIC PERFORMANCE TOTAL EQUITY POOL

Performance – March 31, 2019

3 month	l Year	2 Year	3 Year	Annualized Since Inception*	Cumulative Since Inception*
13.4%	12.4%	10.0%	12.9%	12.4%	72.8%

2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	YTD
7.4%	11.3%	12.5%	15.0%	(1.5%)	13.4%

Source: Antares Investment Management, Inc. - Internal Management System \*Inception Date: July 22, 2014

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## HISTORIC PERFORMANCE TOTAL EQUITY – SEPARATELY MANAGED

Performance - March 31, 2019

	3 month	YTD	l Year	2 Year	3 Year	Annualized Since Inception*	Cumulative Since Inception*
Canadian Equities	12.9%	12.9%	7.2%	5.8%	9.6%	8.3%	46.0%
S&P TSX Total Return	13.3%	13.3%	8.1%	4.9%	9.3%	4.4%	22.5%
U.S. & International (USD) Equities	14.9%	14.9%	14.5%	13.6%	15.2%	12.5%	74.9%
S&P500 Total Return (USD)	13.6%	13.6%	9.5%	11.8%	13.5%	10.3%	59.5%
MSCI World Total Return (USD)	12.7%	12.7%	4.6%	9.3%	11.4%	6.7%	36.1%
U.S. & International (CAD) Equities	12.5%	12.5%	18.5%	13.8%	16.3%	17.6%	116.0%
S&P500 Total Return (CAD) MSCI World Total Return (CAD)	11.5% 10.5%	11.5% 10.5%	13.4% 8.5%	12.0% 9.6%	14.7% 12.5%	15.7% 11.9%	99.8% 70.6%

Source: NDEX for Antares returns. Bloomberg for market index data

\*Inception Date: June 30, 2014

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#### TWO FIXED INCOME STRATEGIES

## Exchange Traded Funds

- Used for asset allocation purposes
- Low cost, diversified solution
- Highly liquid

## Individual Bond Portfolio

- Used for cashflow matching purposes
- Minimizes interest rate risk
- Investment Grade Bonds only

#### REAL ESTATE

We offer access to a global real estate portfolio



## Benefits of real estate in a client's portfolio

Diversification

Low correlation with stocks and bonds

Income generation with capital appreciation potential

### WHY THIS APPROACH WORKS

Collaborative approach between client, financial planner and Antares

Direct contact with investment decision makers

High quality portfolio

Rigorous process

Flexible implementation

Fair fees

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