# Fixed Income Management

Quarter Ended March 31, 2024

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## **Organization**

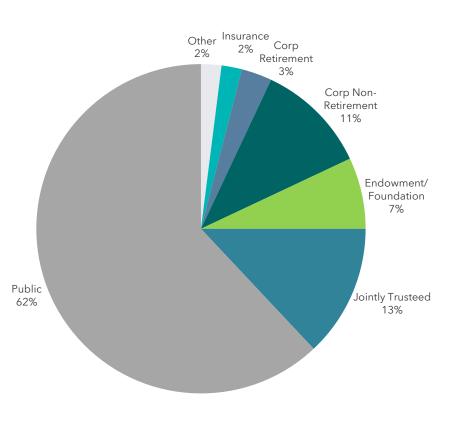
- Founded in 1988
- 100% employee-owned and operated MBE Firm
- 40 employees in Houston, Texas
- 13-member investment team has 324 years of industry experience and 139 years combined
   Firm experience
- Over \$20 billion in assets under management
- High-quality fixed income strategies designed to prevent "negative surprises"
- No Debt

## **Asset Breakdown**

## By Type

#### Intermediate Gov/Credit Intermediate Aggregate Government/ Credit 1% Short Duration Strategies 6% LDI 6% Cash Strategies 9% Aggregate 61% Other Intermediate Strategies Other Fixed Income Strategies 3%

## **By Client**

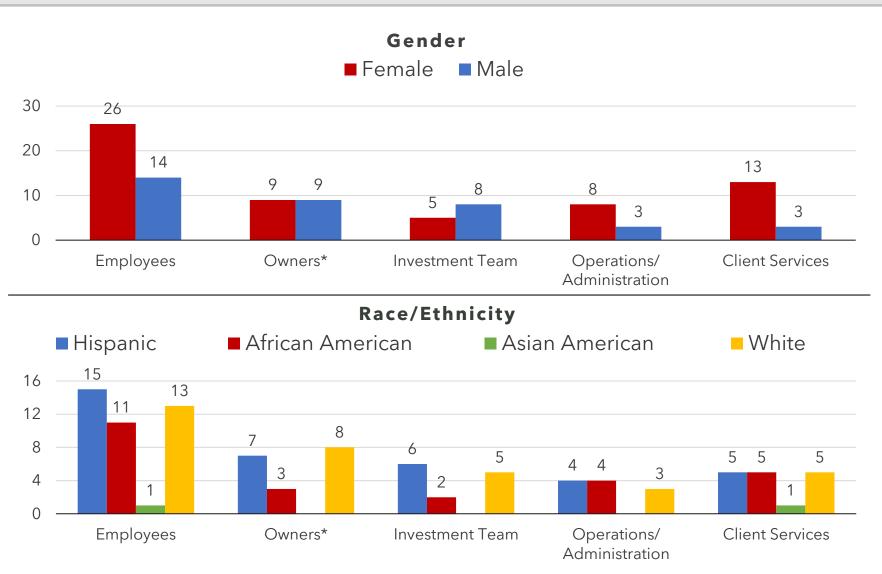


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Garcia Hamilton & Associates

As of March 31, 2024

## **Employee Demographics (40 Total Employees)**



\*Women and Minority partners own over 87% of the Firm

## **Partners**

#### **INVESTMENT TEAM**



GILBERT ANDREW GARCIA, CFA Managing Partner, Chief Investment Officer Year Hired: 2002 Ownership 27.2%



TASS, CFA
Co-Deputy CIO,
Portfolio Manager
Year Hired: 2010
Ownership: 5.3%



JEFFREY D.
DETWILER, CFA, AAMS
Co-Deputy CIO,
Portfolio Manager
Year Hired: 2007
Ownership: 5.2%



MARK R. DELANEY, CFA Strategist, Senior Portfolio Manager Year Hired: 2021 Ownership 1.2%



DON ELSENBROCK Chief Risk Officer, Portfolio Manager Year Hired: 2014 Ownership: 1.8%



JUSTO GONZALEZ Director of Credit Research, Portfolio Manager Year Hired: 2023 Ownership 3.0%



NANCY RODRIGUEZ Portfolio Manager Year Hired: 1998 Ownership: 4.0%



BENJAMIN D. MONKIEWICZ Portfolio Manager Year Hired: 2010 Ownership: 2.0%



YVETTE M. DUEÑAS Portfolio Manager Year Hired: 2016 Ownership: 2.7%



CONNIE FALCON DAVIS Investment Analyst Year Hired: 2012 Ownership 1.0%

#### **CLIENT SERVICE & MARKETING**



RUBY MUÑOZ DANG Director of Marketing and Client Services Year Hired: 1995 Ownership: 15.6%



JANNA HAMILTON Marketing and Client Services Year Hired: 1994 Ownership: 13.8%



STEPHANIE J. ROBERTS Marketing and Client Services Year Hired: 2000 Ownership: 5.4%



SMITH
Vice President of
Marketing and Client
Services
Year Hired: 2021
Ownership: 1.0%



MORGAN DOYLE Client Relations Manager Year Hired: 2014 Ownership: 2.9%



KEVIN LUNDAY, CPA Chief Operating Officer Year Hired: 2007 Ownership: 4.0%



**ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENTS** 

BETH L. MCWILLIAMS Chief Compliance Officer Year Hired: 1994 Ownership: 1.6%



GARY MONTGOMERY Systems Manager Year Hired: 2007 Ownership: 2.3%

## **Fixed Income Investment Team**



GILBERT ANDREW
GARCIA, CFA
Partner
Chief Investment Officer,
Portfolio Manager
Year Hired: 2002
Experience: 39 yrs



KAREN H.
TASS, CFA
Partner
Co-Deputy CIO,
Portfolio Manager
Year Hired: 2010
Experience: 19 yrs
Coverage: Corporates



JEFFREY D.
DETWILER, CFA, AAMS

Partner

Co-Deputy CIO,
Portfolio Manager
Year Hired: 2007
Experience: 28 yrs
Coverage: Short Term



MARK R.
DELANEY, CFA
Partner
Strategist, Senior
Portfolio Manager
Year Hired: 2021
Experience: 43 yrs
Coverage: US TIPS,
Municipals



Partner
Chief Risk Officer,
Portfolio Manager
Year Hired: 2014
Experience: 32 yrs
Coverage: Risk
Management



JUSTO GONZALEZ Partner Director of Credit Research, Portfolio Manager Year Hired: 2023 Experience: 29 yrs Coverage: Credit Research



NANCY RODRIGUEZ Partner Portfolio Manager Year Hired: 1998 Experience: 37 yrs Coverage: Team Oversight



BENJAMIN D.
MONKIEWICZ
Partner
Portfolio Manager
Year Hired: 2010
Experience: 14 yrs
Coverage:
MBS/Agencies



YVETTE M.
DUEÑAS
Partner
Portfolio Manager
Year Hired: 2016
Experience: 17 yrs
Coverage: Municipals



CONNIE
FALCON DAVIS
Partner
Investment Analyst
Year Hired: 2012
Experience: 12 yrs
Coverage: Analytics



BRIAN SIMON Investment Analyst Year Hired: 2003-2007, 2018 Experience: 26 yrs Coverage: Analytics



REESE WELLER Investment Analyst Year Hired: 2017 Experience: 24 yrs Coverage: Municipals



JAZMINE DANIELS Junior Analyst Year Hired: 2020 Experience: 4 yrs

## Representative Client List

#### **PUBLIC FUNDS**

City of Annapolis Police & FF, MD Arkansas Local Police & FF, AR Arkansas State Highway ERS, AR City of Atlanta Police, GE & FF, GA Town of Bay Harbor Islands ERS, FL Beaumont FF, TX Boynton Beach GE, FL

California Earthquake Authority, CA California Wildfire Fund, CA Cambridge Retirement System City of Cape Coral Police & FF, FL Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority, TX

Chicago FF Annuity & Benefit, IL Chicago Municipal Annuity & Benefit, IL Chicago Police Annuity & Benefit, IL Chicago Public Schools, IL Chicago Transit Authority, IL

College of Micronesia Land Grant, FM Coral Gables RS. FL City of Coral Springs Police & FF, FL

Corpus Christi FF, TX

County Employees' & Officers' Annuity and Benefit Fund of Cook County, IL Dallas Area Rapid Transit, TX

Town of Davie Police & FF. FL City of Deerfield Beach FF, FL

City of DeLand Police, FL Delray Beach GE, FL City of Detroit General Health Care, MI

Detroit Retirement Protection Trust, MI DFW International Airport TX East Bay Municipal Utility District ERS, CA El Paso Fire & Police Pension Fund, TX

Englewood Area FF, FL ERF of the City of Dallas, TX

ERS of Baltimore County, MD City of Evanston Police, IL Fairfax County Uniformed RS, VA

City of Fort Lauderdale GE, FL City of Fort Myers Police, FL City of Fort Walton Beach GE, FL City of Fort Walton Beach Police & FF, FL

FSM Social Security Administration, FM General RS of the City of Detroit, MI Government of Guam, GU

Greater Orlando Aviation Authority, FL City of Hialeah FF, FL

Hollywood FF & Police, FL Illinois State Board of Investment, IL Illinois Student Assistance Commission, IL

Jackson County ERS, MI City of Jacksonville Beach, FL

City of Lakeland, FL City of Lake Worth Beach, FL

Lake Worth FF, FL Lantana Police & FF. FL Los Angeles City Employees' Retirement

Macon-Bibb County, GA Marianas Public Land Trust, MP Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission MD Medford RS, MA

City of Melbourne Police & FF, FL City of Memphis Retirement System, TN Metropolitan Water Reclamation District, IL

Miami GE & Sanitation ERS, FL City of Miramar Police, FL Municipality of Anchorage, AK

MWRA ERS, MA City of Naples General Employees' Retirement System, FL

City of Naples Police & FF Retirement Trust Fund, FL

NC Association of County Commissioners, NC Nevada Tuition Program, NV City of New Port Richey Police, FL City of North Miami Beach Police, GE & FF, FL

City of North Miami GE & Police, FL Northern Marianas College, MP

City of Oakland Park Police & FF, FL City of Ocoee Police & FF, FL

Oklahoma FF, OK Orlando Utilities Commission, FL City of Ormond Beach Police, GE & FF, FL

Overland Park Police & FF. KS Palm Beach County FF, FL City of Palm Beach Gardens FF, FL

Town of Palm Beach RS, FL Village of Palm Springs GE & Police, FL

City of Pembroke Pines, FL Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission Retiree

Medical Trust, PA City of Pensacola FF, FL Philadelphia Gas Works, PA Philadelphia Public ERS, PA

City of Philadelphia Water, PA City of Pinellas Park Police, GE & FF, FL

City of Plantation Police, FL City of Pontiac Police & FF. MI Prince George's County Police & FF, MD

Prince William County Police & FF, VA City of Punta Gorda Police & GE, FL Rantoul Police, IL

Republic of Palau Civil Service, Palau Republic of Palau COFA Trust, Palau

City of Riviera Beach Police & GE, FL Road Commission for Oakland County, MI

City of Roanoke, VA City of Rockledge Police, GE & FF, FL City of Sanford Police, FL

City of Sanford FF, FL Santa Barbara County ERS, CA City of Sarasota Police, FL

City of Sebring Police. FL South Walton Fire Control District FF. FL

City of St. Cloud Police, GE & FF, FL City of St. Louis FF, MO

St. Petersburg Police, FL State Universities RS, IL Sunrise Police, FI City of Tamarac FF, FL

City of Tarpon Springs Police, FL Teachers' Retirement System, IL

City of Temple Terrace Police & FF, FL Village of Teguesta Public Safety Officers, FL Travis County ESD #6 FF, TX

Tyler Firefighter's Relief and Retirement, TX Utrik Atoll, Marshall Islands, MH City of Venice Police & FF, FL

City of Vero Beach Police, FL City of Warren Police and Fire Retirement, FL City of West Melbourne Police, FL

City of West Palm Beach FF, FL City of West Palm Beach GE & Police, FL City of Westland Police & FF, MI City of Wilton Manors Police & GE, FL

City of Winston-Salem, NC City of Winter Garden Police, GE & FF, FL

City of Winter Haven Police, FL Wood Dale Police, II

The Woodlands FF RS, TX Yap State Trust Fund, FM

#### CORPORATIONS

2Life Communities, Inc., MA Academy of Motion Pictures and Sciences, CA Adrian Dominican Sisters, MI Air Force Association, VA

American Baptist Home Mission Society, PA American Quarter Horse Association, TX American Speech-Language-Hearing

Association, MD Amerilodge Group LLC, MI

Archbold Medical Center, Inc., GA Archdiocese of Portland, OR

The Art Students League of New York Inc., NY

Asbury University, KY Asheville School, Inc, NC

Attorneys' Liability Assurance Society Ltd., IL Banner Health, AZ

Baptist Health Foundation, AR Bedford Fund, OUF Bethesda, Inc./TriHealth, OH

Bivium Capital Partners, LLC Bridgewater College Camila Madden Charitable Trust, MI

Caymich Insurance, CI Century Insurance Company Ltd., GU Church Extension Fund of the Michigan

City Public Service Decommissioning Trust, TX Construction Association of Michigan, MI Crime Stoppers of Houston, TX

Delta Dental Plan of New Hampshire, Inc., NH D.W. McMillan Hospital/Escambia County Healthcare, AL

Dimension Assurance Ltd, CI

Fairfield Medicial Center, OH FSM Development Bank, FM Fulton-Dekalb Hospital Authority, GA Harvard Pigrim Health Care, Inc. H.N.S. Management Co., Inc., CT

Equal Justice Initiative, AL

Iliff School of Theology Institute of Contemporary Art of Boston, MA Illinois College, IL

KEW Management Investor, NY The Los Angeles LGBT Center Maryland Medicine Self Insurance Trust, MD

McNay Art Museum, TX Meritus Medical Center, Inc., MD

Meyer Memorial Trust, OR Micronesia Conservation Trust, FM Naples Community Hospital Healthcare

System, FL New York Power Authority, NY Northwood University, MI

Operators Reinsurance Company, CI The Orange Bowl Committee, Inc. Pacific Indemnity Insurance Company, GU Paradigm Indemnity Corporation, OR Pine Street Inn, Inc.

Penn Highlands Healthcare, PA Poor Handmaids of Jesus Christ Community Support Trust, IN

Public Broadcasting Service, VA Quality Alliance Assurance

Company, Ltd., Cl RJ McElroy Trust, IA Rush University Medical Center, IL Serve Insurance Ltd., CI

St. Xavier High School, Inc., OH Stetson University, Inc., FL

STP Nuclear Operating Company, TX Strategic Investment Fund for La Raza, DC Sulzer Pumps (US) Inc., TX

Sweeny Community Hospital, TX Tufts Medical Center, Inc., MA

UnidosUS, DC Union Presbyterian Seminary, VA United Board for Christian Higher

Education in Asia, NY University Athletic Association, Inc., GA

University of Arizona Academic Enhancement Trust, AZ The University of Findlay, OH

University of Mary, ND University of Maryland Medical System, MD University of Rio Grande, OH Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art The Walters Art Gallery, MD

The Widows Corporation, PA Wistar Institute of Anatomy and Biology, PA **ENDOWMENTS/FOUNDATIONS** 

1889-CHS Foundation, Inc., PA All Church Home for Children Foundation, TX

American Quarter Horse Foundation, TX Anshe Chesed Fairmont Temple Foundation, OH Silicon Valley Community Foundation, CA Bakersfield College Foundation, CA Baptist Health Foundation of San Antonio, TX Board of Higher Education and Ministry, The United Methodist Church, TN

The Boyd and Joan Kelley Charitable Foundation, VA Boys and Girls Club of Wichita Falls, TX

The Brianwood School TX Brookwood Endowment, Inc., TX Central Indiana Community Foundation,

Charles Hayden Foundation, NY The Children's Home Foundation, TX Community Foundation of Greater Memphis, TN

The Community Foundation for Northeast Florida, Inc., FL

Community Foundation of Greater Flint, MI The Community Foundation of Herkimer & Oneida Counties, NY

Curtis Institute of Music, PA Denver Foundation, CO E. Rhodes and Leona B. Carpenter

Foundation PA East Bay Community Foundation, CA

East Texas Medical Center Foundation, TX Embry Riddle Aeronautical University, FL Endowment for Health, Inc., NH Florida A&M University Foundation, FL Fort Hays State University Foundation, KS Genesis Healthcare Foundation, IA

Greater Milwaukee Foundation, Inc., WI Guam Community College Foundation, GU Hartford Foundation for Public Giving, CT

Health Forward Foundation, MO Marin Community Foundation, CA Mary Institute & St. Louis Country Day School, MO

Mary Louise Curtis Bok Foundation, PA McDaniel College, Inc., MD

Medical University of South Carolina Foundation, SC

Million Dollar Round Table Foundation Morris Goldseker Foundation of Maryland, MD National Fish and Wildlife Foundation National Recreation Foundation, NY The Nea Foundation for the Improvement of Education Nellie Mae Education Foundation, MA University of Northern Iowa, IA

Northfield Mount Hermon School, MA PBS Endowment, VA The Poetry Foundation, IL The Ralph C. Wilson, Jr. Foundation, MI

Racine Community Foundation Inc., WI Rhode Island Community Foundation, RI San Francisco Foundation, CA Sarah Campbell Blaffer Foundation, TX

Seattle Foundation, WA Special Operations Warrior Foundation, GA Tallahassee Memorial Healthcare

Foundation, Inc., FL

Endowment, IN

Triangle Community Foundation, NC University of Guam Endowment, GU University of Hartford, CT Westminster Canterbury, VA White's Residential & Family Services

Wichita Falls Area Community Foundation, TX Xavier Univeristy of Louisiana, LA Youngstown State University Foundation, OH

#### **TAFT- HARTLEY & UNION**

Bricklavers of Indiana, IN Cement Masons Pension Trust Fund for Northern California, CA Central Illinois Carpenters Retirement, IL District 1199J New Jersey Healthcare Employers, NJ

IBFW Local Union #129, OH IBEW Local Union #351, NJ

Indiana Electrical Workers Pension Trust, IN Indianapolis Bricklayers Pension, IN Local 665 IATSE Annuity, HI MARTA/ATU Local 732, GA

The Mason Tenders District Council of Greater New York and Long Island, NY Northern California Genearl Teamsters, CA

Palm Tran, Inc./ATU Local 1577, GA Plumbers Local Union #68, TX Roofers Local 149 Security Benefit Trust, MI Sacramento Area Electrical Workers, CA

San Mateo HERE, CA Service Employees International Union Health

and Welfare Fund, DC Sheet Metal Air, Rail, and Transportation Association Local #33, OH

Sheet Metal Workers Health Plan, CA Sheet Metal Workers Pension Plan, CA Teamsters Union Local #35, NJ

WMATA/Local 922 Retirement Plan, DC

American Beacon Garcia Hamilton Quality Bond (Mutual Fund), TX Garcia Hamilton Quality Aggregate Bond, LP, TX

Clients retained for 10 to 15 Years (Highlighted in green) Clients retained for 15 years or more (Highlighted in red)

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## **Investment Goal**

#### **INVESTMENT GOAL**

Our goal is to outperform the benchmark, net of fees, over a full market cycle using a high-quality strategy with less risk. By setting realistic expectations, we avoid taking unnecessary risks.

## **Core Principles**

Preserve Principal

Maintain Liquidity

Provide High Current Income

Be Responsible Citizens

## **Key Tools**

Sector Rotation

Controlled Interest Rate Anticipation

Yield Curve Positioning

# **Investment Style**

## **High-Quality**

- Portfolio dominated by US Treasuries, agency debentures and agency guaranteed MBS
- Corporate securities rated A- or better
- Spread product exclusively in the short to intermediate maturities to reduce volatility

## **No Big Surprises**

- No foreign bonds/yankees
- No BBB rated securities
- No sin names tobacco, gambling, alcohol, firearms
- No derivatives
- No leverage/dollar rolls
- No pricing overrides
- Maintain a manageable number of securities
- No soft dollars

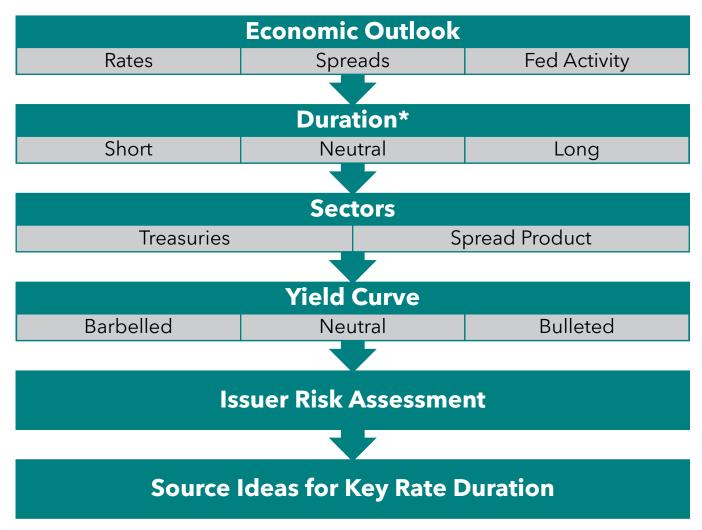
## **Flexibility**

- Actively rotating sectors
- Actively managing yield curve
- Exploiting smaller markets

### **Risk Controls**

- Percentage sector allocation
- Duration contribution by sector
- Credit reviews
- Yield curve
- Performance attribution
- Peer group performance monitoring
- Issuer risk assessment

## **Portfolio Construction**

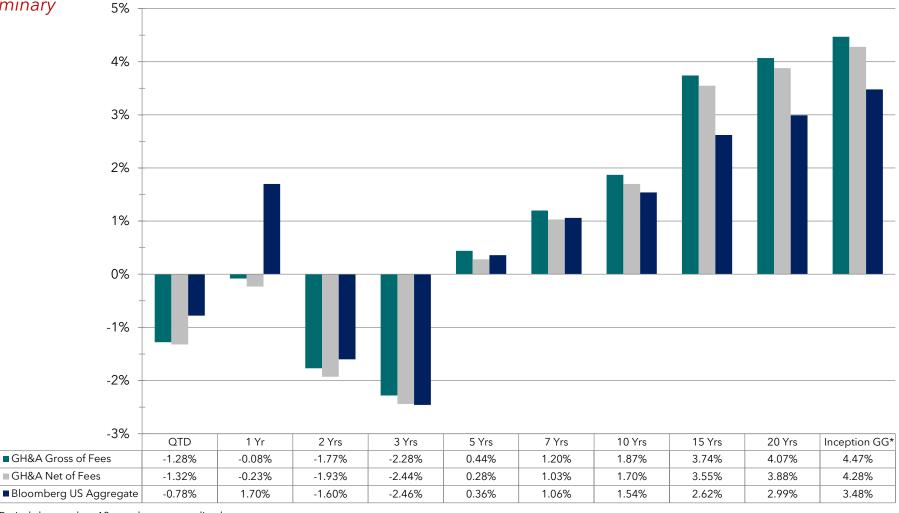


<sup>\*</sup>The firm normally operates in a duration range of +/- 10% of the benchmark index duration for all mandates, excluding 1-3 and cash mandates. In extreme market environments, the firm operates in a duration range of +/- 25%.

# Fixed Income - Aggregate Composite Returns

Comparative Annualized Rates of Return

### Preliminary



Periods longer than 12 months are annualized.

<sup>\*</sup>Gilbert Garcia management inception March 31, 2002

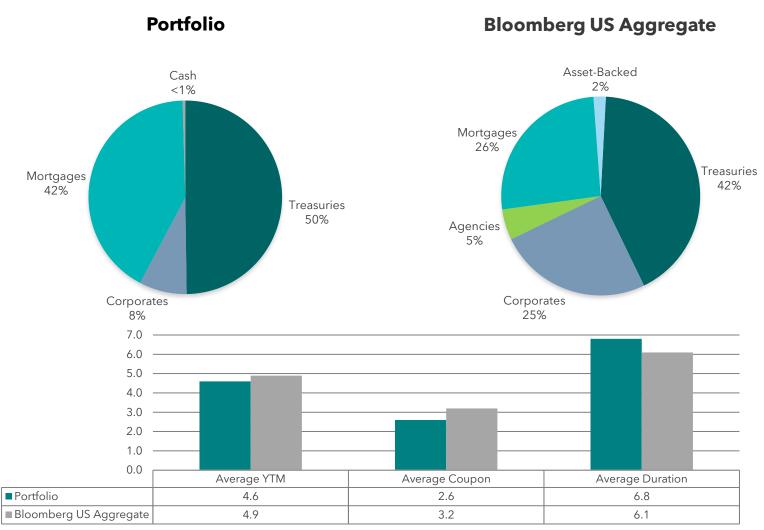
## **Fixed Income Composites Performance Summary**

Comparative Annualized Rates of Return

#### **Preliminary**

	QTD	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	15 Years	Inception to Date
Intermediate Gov/Credit - Gross of Fees Gilbert Garcia Inception March 2002	-0.74%	1.57%	0.55%	-0.60%	1.22%	1.56%	1.95%	3.53%	4.15%
Intermediate Gov/Credit - Net of Fees	-0.79%	1.36%	0.34%	-0.80%	1.01%	1.36%	1.74%	3.30%	3.87%
Bloomberg US Int. Gov/Credit	-0.15%	2.69%	0.49%	-1.06%	1.09%	1.43%	1.61%	2.46%	3.27%
Intermediate Aggregate - Gross of Fees Inception December 2007	-1.10%	0.77%	-0.20%	-1.33%	0.76%	1.25%	1.80%	3.41%	3.52%
Intermediate Aggregate - Net of Fees	-1.14%	0.58%	-0.40%	-1.53%	0.55%	1.05%	1.60%	3.19%	3.30%
Bloomberg US Intermediate Aggregate	0.42%	2.30%	-0.28%	-1.66%	0.60%	1.11%	1.45%	2.37%	2.55%
Short Duration Government - Gross of Fees Inception December 2003	-0.06%	2.49%	1.22%	0.79%	0.94%	1.11%	1.25%	1.51%	2.33%
Short Duration Government - Net of Fees	-0.09%	2.38%	1.10%	0.66%	0.82%	0.99%	1.12%	1.38%	2.20%
Bloomberg US 1-3 Year Gov	0.29%	2.98%	1.60%	0.03%	1.14%	1.21%	1.07%	1.11%	1.85%
Short Duration Opportunistic - Gross of Fees Inception March 2009	-0.11%	2.62%	1.41%	0.93%	1.47%	1.55%	1.66%	2.37%	2.37%
Short Duration Opportunistic - Net of Fees	-0.14%	2.49%	1.29%	0.80%	1.33%	1.41%	1.54%	2.22%	2.22%
Bloomberg US 1-3 Year Gov	0.29%	2.98%	1.60%	0.03%	1.14%	1.21%	1.07%	1.11%	1.11%
Short Duration Gov/Credit - Gross of Fees Inception September 2013	-0.10%	2.66%	1.46%	0.86%	1.70%	1.79%	1.84%	N/A	1.86%
Short Duration Gov/Credit - Net of Fees	-0.12%	2.54%	1.34%	0.74%	1.58%	1.69%	1.75%	N/A	1.77%
Bloomberg US 1-3 Year Gov/Credit	0.42%	3.49%	1.86%	0.25%	1.36%	1.43%	1.29%	N/A	1.27%
Cash - Gross of Fees Inception May 2014	1.11%	5.01%	3.77%	2.54%	2.29%	2.20%	N/A	N/A	1.76%
Cash - Net of Fees	1.10%	4.96%	3.71%	2.49%	2.23%	2.14%	N/A	N/A	1.71%
Bloomberg US Treasury Bellwether 1-Month	1.33%	5.21%	3.79%	2.53%	1.89%	1.77%	N/A	N/A	1.29%

# Fixed Income - Aggregate Portfolio Characteristics



The characteristics shown are those of an actual portfolio that is representative of this strategy at a particular point in time. Individual portfolio characteristics may vary depending on the date shown as well as client-imposed restrictions, cash flows, etc. This information is supplemental to the Fixed Income Aggregate Composite Disclosure Statement.

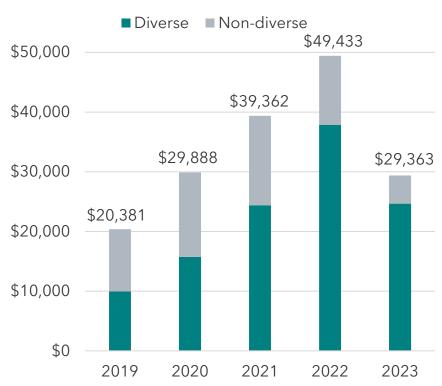
# **Risk Tools**

	Duration Contribution	Treasury	Agency	Corp	MBS	ABS	Sum
9c 3	Portfolio	4.05	0.00	0.64	2.23	0.00	6.92
Dec '23	Bloomberg US Aggregate	2.55	0.26	1.75	1.56	0.08	6.20
ar 4	Portfolio	4.12	0.00	0.51	2.16	0.00	6.79
Mar '24	Bloomberg US Aggregate	2.52	0.26	1.72	1.56	0.08	6.14

# **Diverse Brokerage Utilization**

We have executed 67% of all trades with diverse\* brokers over the past 5 years.

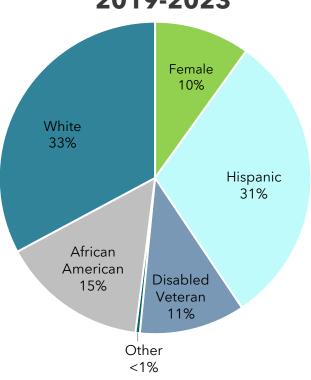
### **Total Trade Value**



Par Volume Traded (in Millions)

# Demographic of brokers by ownership





Total Trade Market Value - Last 5 Years \$168,427 million

<sup>\*</sup>Minority, Women, and Disabled Veteran



## Mentorship/Internship

- Our goal is to introduce women and minority youth to the financial industry
- The Firm has a paid summer internship program for 20 minority undergraduate and high school students each year to promote the next generation of diverse talent
- Our interns get incredible exposure working with portfolio managers and they have had conversations with key industry giants such as SEO Chairman Henry Kravis and former SEC Chairman Jay Clayton
- We promote from within as many of our partners started at GH&A as junior team members (2 of our current Firm Partners started as interns with the Firm)
- The Firm mentors youth through speaking engagements at college campuses, high schools and conferences as we understand the value and impact on minority youth seeing and hearing from diverse business leaders

# **GH&A Giving Back**































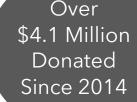


















KINGWOOD FALLEN HEROES



Hispanic Heritage

FOUNDATION

HOUSTON



**CITRUS CENTER** 

**BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS** Serving East Polk County





















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# **Corporate Citizenship**

GH&A became a **Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI)** signatory in 2019.

Signatory of:



In 2022, GH&A adopted the voluntary **CFA Institute DEI** code for Investment Professionals.



SIGNATORY
ORGANIZATION TO THE
CFA INSTITUTE DIVERSITY,
EQUITY, AND INCLUSION
CODE (USA AND CANADA)

FIXED INCOME - AGGREGATE COMPOSITE (GIPS Report as of December 31, 2023)

Garcia Hamilton & Associates, L.P.

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Year End	Annual Composite - Gross Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Net Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Bloomberg US Aggregate Index Return (%)	Annual Composite - Composite Dispersion (%)	Composite – Standard Deviation (3-yr) <sup>1</sup> (%)	Bloomberg US Aggregate Index - Standard Deviation (3-yr) <sup>1</sup> (%)	Composite Assets - Number of Portfolios	Composite Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	Total Firm Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	% of Total Firm Assets
2002	10.4	10.2	10.3	NM	-	-	3	85	3,280	3
2003	4.1	3.9	4.1	NM	-	-	3	88	4,628	2
2004	4.9	4.8	4.3	NM	-	-	4	98	4,710	2
2005	3.8	3.6	2.4	NM	-	-	4	121	4,152	3
2006	4.2	4.0	4.3	NM	-	-	4	126	3,025	4
2007	8.6	8.4	7.0	0.1	-	-	6	184	2,215	8
2008	5.9	5.7	5.2	0.2	-	-	9	248	1,538	16
2009	12.1	11.9	5.9	1.7	-	-	16	419	1,939	22
2010	8.2	8.0	6.5	0.4	-	=	27	653	2,382	27
2011	5.3	5.1	7.8	0.3	3.5	2.8	42	983	2,704	36
2012	10.5	10.3	4.2	0.2	3.1	2.4	47	1,084	3,227	34
2013	0.1	-0.1	-2.0	0.2	3.4	2.7	59	1,372	3,387	40
2014	8.0	7.8	6.0	0.2	2.8	2.6	111	2,485	4,962	50
2015	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.1	3.2	2.9	146	3,768	6,340	59
2016	3.2	3.0	2.7	0.1	3.3	3.0	168	5,080	8,016	63
2017	3.8	3.6	3.5	0.1	3.1	2.8	185	7,135	10,071	71
2018	1.0	0.8	0.0	0.2	2.5	2.8	205	8,287	12,590	66
2019	7.3	7.1	8.7	0.5	2.3	2.9	250	10,113	14,997	67
2020	8.1	7.9	7.5	0.4	3.1	3.4	253	10,994	16,726	66
2021	-2.1	-2.3	-1.5	0.1	3.3	3.4	254	10,951	18,740	58
2022	-11.3	-11.4	-13.0	0.3	6.1	5.8	258	9,968	16,764	59
2023	5.3	5.1	5.5	0.2	8.2	7.1	268	11,774	20,237	58
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Fixed Income - Intermediate Government/ Credit Composite (GIPS Report as of December 31, 2023)

Garcia Hamilton & Associates, L.P.

Year End	Annual Composite - Gross Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Net Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Bloomberg US Intermediate Gov/Credit Index Return (%)	Annual Composite - Composite Dispersion (%)	Composite - Standard Deviation (3-yr) <sup>1</sup> (%)	Bloomberg US Intermediate Gov/Credit Index - Standard Deviation (3-yr) <sup>1</sup> (%)	Composite Assets - Number of Portfolios	Composite Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	Total Firm Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	% of Total Firm Assets
2002	9.8	9.3	9.8	0.2	-	-	9	154	3,280	5
2003	4.2	3.7	4.3	0.3	-	-	12	166	4,628	4
2004	3.9	3.4	3.0	0.2	-	-	14	223	4,710	5
2005	2.4	1.9	1.6	0.1	-	-	18	294	4,152	7
2006	4.4	4.1	4.1	0.1	-	-	18	307	3,025	10
2007	8.3	8.0	7.4	0.1	-	-	19	340	2,215	15
2008	5.4	5.1	5.1	0.2	-	-	19	269	1,538	17
2009	10.9	10.6	5.2	0.5	-	-	28	443	1,939	23
2010	7.3	7.1	5.9	0.2	-	-	32	495	2,382	21
2011	3.7	3.4	5.8	0.1	3.5	2.6	34	623	2,704	23
2012	9.6	9.4	3.9	0.2	3.2	2.2	34	651	3,227	20
2013	1.2	1.0	-0.9	0.2	3.3	2.1	32	556	3,387	16
2014	4.7	4.5	3.1	0.2	2.4	1.9	38	774	4,962	16
2015	1.5	1.3	1.1	0.1	2.3	2.1	42	825	6,340	13
2016	3.1	2.9	2.1	0.2	2.4	2.2	48	1,057	8,016	13
2017	2.3	2.1	2.1	0.1	2.2	2.1	51	1,145	10,071	11
2018	1.3	1.1	0.9	0.1	1.9	2.1	57	1,284	12,590	10
2019	6.1	5.9	6.8	0.2	1.6	2.0	72	1,577	14,997	11
2020	6.0	5.8	6.4	0.2	2.4	2.3	75	1,902	16,726	11
2021	-1.7	-1.9	-1.4	0.1	2.5	2.3	71	1,853	18,740	10
2022	-6.5	-6.6	-8.2	0.2	4.4	3.8	63	1,572	16,764	9
2023	5.6	5.4	5.2	0.2	6.0	4.6	59	1,405	20,237	7

<sup>1</sup>Historical information not required prior to 2011. NM = Not statistically meaningful due to an insufficient number of portfolios in the composite for the entire year. Creation Date: 7/1/1988 Source: Bloomberg

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**FIXED INCOME - INTERMEDIATE AGGREGATE COMPOSITE (GIPS Report as of December 31, 2023)** 

Garcia Hamilton & Associates, L.P.

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Year End	Annual Composite - Gross Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Net Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Bloomberg US Intermediate Aggregate Index Return (%)	Annual Composite - Composite Dispersion (%)	Composite - Standard Deviation (3-yr) <sup>1</sup> (%)	Bloomberg US Intermediate Aggregate Index - Standard Deviation (3-yr) <sup>1</sup> (%)	Composite Assets - Number of Portfolios	Composite Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	Total Firm Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	% of Total Firm Assets
2008	5.4	5.1	4.9	NM	-	-	4	136	1,538	9
2009	11.5	11.2	6.5	NM	-	=	5	130	1,939	7
2010	7.3	7.0	6.2	0.1	-	=	7	201	2,382	8
2011	4.0	3.8	6.0	0.3	3.3	2.3	9	203	2,704	8
2012	8.9	8.6	3.6	0.1	3.0	1.9	11	235	3,227	7
2013	1.1	0.9	-1.0	0.1	3.1	2.0	16	250	3,387	7
2014	5.3	5.1	4.1	0.1	2.4	2.0	16	269	4,962	5
2015	1.7	1.6	1.2	0.1	2.4	2.1	18	267	6,340	4
2016	3.2	3.0	2.0	0.1	2.5	2.1	20	287	8,016	4
2017	2.2	2.0	2.3	0.1	2.3	2.0	22	331	10,071	3
2018	1.6	1.4	0.9	0.1	1.9	2.1	23	379	12,590	3
2019	5.9	5.7	6.7	0.1	1.6	2.0	26	462	14,997	3
2020	5.6	5.4	5.6	0.3	2.3	2.2	29	605	16,726	4
2021	-1.6	-1.8	-1.3	0.1	2.3	2.0	30	647	18,740	3
2022	-7.7	-7.9	-9.5	0.1	4.9	4.3	27	592	16,764	4
2023	5.3	5.1	5.2	0.1	6.7	5.5	25	632	20,237	3
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FIXED INCOME - SHORT DURATION GOVERNMENT COMPOSITE (GIPS Report as of December 31, 2023)

Garcia Hamilton & Associates, L.P.

Year End	Annual Composite - Gross Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Net Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Bloomberg 1-3 Year US Gov Index Return (%)	Annual Composite - Composite Dispersion (%)	Composite - Standard Deviation (3-yr) <sup>1</sup> (%)	Bloomberg US 1-3 Year US Gov Index - Standard Deviation (3-yr) <sup>1</sup> (%)	Composite Assets - Number of Portfolios	Composite Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	Total Firm Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	% of Total Firm Assets
2004	2.9	2.7	1.1	NM	-	-	1	22	4,710	< 1
2005	2.6	2.5	1.7	NM	-	-	1	42	4,152	< 1
2006	4.6	4.5	4.1	NM	-	-	1	44	3,025	1
2007	7.1	6.9	7.1	NM	-	-	1	47	2,215	2
2008	7.3	7.1	6.7	NM	-	-	1	50	1,538	3
2009	2.3	2.2	1.4	NM	-	-	1	51	1,939	3
2010	2.8	2.7	2.4	NM	-	-	1	56	2,382	2
2011	3.3	3.1	1.6	NM	1.2	1.0	1	56	2,704	2
2012	1.5	1.3	0.5	NM	1.0	0.7	1	29	3,227	< 1
2013	0.4	0.3	0.4	NM	0.9	0.5	2	64	3,387	2
2014	1.5	1.4	0.6	NM	0.9	0.4	1	55	4,962	1
2015	1.1	0.9	0.6	NM	1.1	0.6	1	55	6,340	1
2016	1.9	1.8	0.9	NM	1.1	0.8	1	56	8,016	1
2017	1.4	1.3	0.5	NM	1.0	0.8	2	67	10,071	1
2018	1.6	1.5	1.6	NM	0.8	0.9	2	68	12,590	1
2019	2.3	2.2	3.6	NM	0.3	1.0	2	66	14,997	< 1
2020	0.6	0.5	3.1	NM	0.3	1.2	2	47	16,726	< 1
2021	0.1	-0.1	-0.6	NM	0.3	1.2	2	50	18,740	< 1
2022	-1.8	-2.0	-3.8	NM	1.3	1.8	1	30	16,764	< 1
2023	4.3	4.2	4.3	NM	2.2	2.1	1	31	20,237	<1
<sup>1</sup> Historical i	nformation not requ	uired prior to 2011	NIM = Not statistic	ally meaningful du	ie to an insufficient	number of portfolios	in the composite	for the entire year	Creation Date: 10	1/1/2008

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FIXED INCOME - SHORT DURATION OPPORTUNISTIC COMPOSITE (GIPS Report as of December 31, 2023)

Garcia Hamilton & Associates, L.P.

Year End	Annual Composite - Gross Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Net Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Bloomberg 1 - 3 Year US Gov Index Return (%)	Annual Composite - Composite Dispersion (%)	Composite - Standard Deviation (3-yr) <sup>2</sup> (%)	Bloomberg 1 - 3 Year US Gov Index - Standard Deviation (3-yr) <sup>2</sup> (%)	Composite Assets - Number of Portfolios	Composite Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	Total Firm Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	% of Total Firm Assets
2009 <sup>1</sup>	6.4	6.3	1.1	NM	-	-	1	80	1,939	4
2010	3.2	3.0	2.4	NM	-	-	2	72	2,382	3
2011	2.5	2.2	1.6	NM	-	-	2	74	2,704	3
2012	5.2	5.0	0.5	0.1	1.3	0.7	6	196	3,227	6
2013	1.2	1.0	0.4	NM	1.4	0.5	2	27	3,387	1
2014	2.1	1.9	0.6	NM	1.2	0.4	2	27	4,962	1
2015	1.2	1.2	0.6	NM	1.2	0.6	1	1	6,340	< 1
2016	2.4	2.3	0.9	NM	1.1	0.8	3	40	8,016	1
2017	1.6	1.4	0.5	NM	1.0	0.8	1	29	10,071	< 1
2018	1.6	1.5	1.6	NM	0.7	0.9	4	122	12,590	1
2019	3.5	3.4	3.6	NM	0.4	1.0	4	87	14,997	1
2020	1.9	1.8	3.1	NM	2.0	1.2	4	105	16,726	1
2021	0.3	0.1	-0.6	0.1	2.0	1.2	7	196	18,740	1
2022	-1.5	-1.6	-3.8	0.1	2.4	1.8	9	231	16,764	1
2023	4.4	4.3	4.3	0.1	2.3	2.1	18	469	20,237	2

<sup>1</sup>Inception (4/1/09) through 12/31/09. <sup>2</sup>Historical information not required prior to 2011. NM = Not statistically meaningful due to an insufficient number of portfolios in the composite for the entire year. Creation Date: 1/1/2010 Source: Bloomberg

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Year End	Annual Composite - Gross Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Net Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Bloomberg 1 - 3 Year US Gov/Credit Index Return (%)	Annual Composite - Composite Dispersion (%)	Composite - Standard Deviation (3-yr) (%)	Bloomberg 1 - 3 Year US Gov/Credit Index - Standard Deviation (3-yr) (%)	Composite Assets - Number of Portfolios	Composite Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	Total Firm Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	% of Total Firm Assets
2013 <sup>1</sup>	0.6	0.6	0.2	NM	-	-	3	92	3,387	3
2014	2.0	1.9	0.8	NM	-	-	1	72	4,962	1
2015	1.1	1.1	0.7	NM	-	=	2	98	6,340	2
2016	2.6	2.5	1.3	NM	1.1	0.8	1	165	8,016	2
2017	1.6	1.6	0.8	NM	1.0	0.7	3	286	10,071	3
2018	1.8	1.7	1.6	NM	0.7	0.8	4	396	12,590	3
2019	4.1	4.0	4.0	NM	0.5	0.9	3	157	14,997	1
2020	3.1	3.0	3.3	NM	2.1	1.0	3	200	16,726	1
2021	0.1	-0.1	-0.5	NM	2.2	1.0	4	398	18,740	2
2022	-1.8	-1.9	-3.7	0.4	2.6	1.7	8	457	16,764	3
2023	4.5	4.4	4.6	0.1	2.4	2.2	8	396	20,237	2

<sup>1</sup>Inception (10/1/13) through 12/31/13. NM- Not statistically meaningful due to an insufficient number of portfolios in the composite for the entire year. Creation Date: 1/1/2014 Source: Bloomberg

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The composite benchmark is the Bloomberg 1-3 Year US Government/Credit Index. The benchmark is used for comparative purposes only and generally reflects the risk or investment style of the product. The account minimum for the composite is \$2.0 million. The composite inception date is October 1, 2013.

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**FIXED INCOME - CASH COMPOSITE** (GIPS Report as of December 31, 2023)

Garcia Hamilton & Associates, L.P.

Year End	Annual Composite - Gross Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Net Composite Total Return (% US\$)	Annual Composite - Bloomberg UST Bellwethers: 1 Month Index Return (%)	Annual Composite - Composite Dispersion (%)	Composite - Standard Deviation (3-yr) (%)	Bloomberg UST Bellwethers: 1 Month Index - Standard Deviation (3-yr) (%)	Composite Assets - Number of Portfolios	Composite Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	Total Firm Assets - Period End (US\$ mil)	% of Total Firm Assets
2014 <sup>1</sup>	0.1	0.1	0.0	NM	-	-	1	300	4,962	6
2015	0.5	0.5	0.0	NM	-	-	1	302	6,340	5
2016	1.0	1.0	0.2	NM	-	-	1	405	8,016	5
2017	1.3	1.2	0.8	NM	0.1	0.1	1	404	10,071	4
2018	2.0	2.0	1.7	NM	0.2	0.2	1	304	12,590	2
2019	3.1	3.1	2.1	NM	0.3	0.2	2	319	14,997	2
2020	1.6	1.5	0.4	NM	1.1	0.2	4	352	16,726	2
2021	0.2	0.2	0.0	NM	1.1	0.3	4	640	18,740	3
2022	1.3	1.3	1.4	NM	1.1	0.3	3	624	16,764	4
2023	5.2	5.1	4.9	NM	0.7	0.6	6	777	20,237	4

1 Inception (6/1/14) through 12/31/14. NM = Not statistically meaningful due to an insufficient number of portfolios in the composite for the entire year. Creation Date: 9/30/2017 Source: Bloomberg

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The composite benchmark is the Bloomberg US Treasury Bellwethers: 1 Month Index. The benchmark is used for comparative purposes only and generally reflects the risk or investment style of the product. The account minimum for the composite is \$2.0 million. The composite inception date is June 1, 2014.

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## **Award Disclosure**

#### **GARCIA HAMILTON & ASSOCIATES, L.P. AWARD METHODOLOGIES & DISCLOSURES**

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#### Pensions & Investments "Best Places to Work"

Pensions & Investments works with Best Companies Group in Harrisburg, PA to produce the Best Places to Work in Money Management awards. To participate, a firm had to have at least \$100 million of discretionary income, at least 20 employees in the U.S., institutional assets under management or advisement, and be in business for at least one year. Anonymous employee survey responses accounted for 75% of the total company score and employer responses account for the remaining 25%. Unless otherwise noted, all awards are based on AUM as of June 30 of the awarded year.

2023 "Best Places to Work" in Money Management | Companies with 20-49 Employees | Awarded to GH&A December 12, 2023 2022 "Best Places to Work" in Money Management | Companies with 20-49 Employees | Awarded to GH&A December 12, 2022 2020 "Best Places to Work" in Money Management | Companies with 20-49 Employees | Awarded to GH&A December 10, 2020 2019 "Best Places to Work" in Money Management | Companies with 20-49 Employees | Awarded to GH&A December 10, 2019 2018 "Best Places to Work" in Money Management | Companies with 20-49 Employees | Awarded to GH&A December 10, 2018 2017 "Best Places to Work" in Money Management | Companies with 20-49 Employees | Awarded to GH&A December 11, 2017 2016 "Best Places to Work" in Money Management | Companies with 20-49 Employees | Awarded to GH&A December 12, 2016

#### Houston Business Journal Diversity in Business

The Houston Business Journal's Diversity in Business Awards program recognizes organizations and individuals that have shown exceptional commitment to promoting practices that advance diversity and inclusion in the workplace. Awardees do not apply to be recognized. All company honorees are for-profit and nonprofit organizations local to the Houston business community and are split into three categories: Outstanding Diverse Organization, Outstanding Supplier Diversity, and Outstanding Diversity Helping Hand. All individual honorees are active in the Houston community and are split into two categories: Outstanding Diversity Champion and Outstanding Head of Diversity. Awards are based on activities of the previous calendar year (May to May).

2023 Outstanding Diversity Champion | Awarded to Gilbert Andrew Garcia, CFA, Managing Partner, February 17, 2023

2022 Outstanding Diverse Organization | Small Organization (10-99 Employees) | Awarded to GH&A May 6, 2022

2022 Outstanding Diversity Champion | Awarded to Gilbert Andrew Garcia, CFA, Managing Partner, May 6, 2022

2021 Outstanding Diversity Champion | Awarded to Gilbert Andrew Garcia, CFA, Managing Partner, February 24, 2021

#### Emerging Manager Monthly "Fixed Income Manager of the Year"

Presented by Emerging Manager Monthly, Emerging Manager Awards are awarded annually to firms across seven categories: large-cap equity, small-cap equity, small-to mid-cap equity, all-cap equity, international equity, and core fixed income. Nominees are ranked on the following criteria: excess returns over benchmark, performance versus peers, asset growth, asset percentage growth, and standard deviation. The top three managers in each category are then judged by a committee comprised of highly respected industry experts. The committee remains anonymous and evaluates the merits of each firm on qualitative and quantitative measures. To be eligible for the 2019 awards, managers must have submitted year end 2018 data to PSN Informa by January 25th, have had at least \$10 million in product assets, and have full year 2018 performance figures as well as 2018 year-end product asset information. Firm-wide assets for non-minority and women-owned firms were capped at \$2 billion, and all MWBE fixed-income managers were considered. To be eligible for the 2018 awards, managers must have submitted year end 2017 performance figures as well as 2017 year-end product assets for non-minority and women-owned firms were capped at \$2 billion, and all MWBE fixed-income managers were considered. The 2010 Emerging Manager Awards were presented by Emerging Manager Monthly, in association with eVestment. To be eligible, managers must have submitted 2009 year-end data to eVestment Alliance, have had less than \$2 billion in assets under management and have had full-year performance figures. Only separately managed accounts were considered.

2019 "Fixed Income Manager of the Year" Award | Awarded to GH&A April 3, 2019

2018 "Fixed Income Manager of the Year" Award | Awarded to GH&A April 5, 2018

2010 "Core Fixed Income Manager of the Year" Award | Awarded to GH&A April 1, 2010

#### Houston Business Journal "Best Places to Work"

This award from the Houston Business Journal celebrates companies in the Houston area with the most satisfied employees. Companies are ranked by the results of an anonymous employee survey covering the current employee sentiment, which aims to evaluate employee engagement and satisfaction.

2018 "Best Places to Work" | Awarded to GH&A October 24, 2018

#### Institutional Investor U.S. Investment Management

Manager of the Year awards are part of Institutional Investor's U.S. Investment Management Awards. Awardees are recognized by endowments, foundations, pension funds, and other institutional investors for innovation and impressive returns during the previous calendar year. Following a public call for nominations, the editorial staff of Institutional Investor selects award nominees based on the staff's analysis of data collected. Once the nominees are publicly announced, the group then conducts a wide survey of U.S. institutional investors and invites them to vote for the manager nominees.

2016 "Intermediate-Term Manager of the Year" | Awarded to GH&A May 10, 2016

2015 "Intermediate-Term Manager of the Year" | Awarded to GH&A May 4, 2015

2014 "Intermediate-Term Manager of the Year" | Awarded to GH&A May 8, 2014