# Partners Fund Briefing

February 2023



## 1693 Partners Fund

#### Investment Strategy and Objectives

#### • Investment Strategy

• To pool together the endowment assets that support William & Mary and to invest those assets in a portfolio of forward-looking, high-performing investment management organizations, diversified among asset class, strategy and geography to achieve its investment goals and objectives

#### • Investment Objectives

- Maintain the inflation adjusted value of the Fund in perpetuity (intergenerational equity), net of spending
- Provide a steady, predictable (and growing) stream of income to the individual endowment account.
- Achieve competitive investment results that exceed public market benchmarks over a mediumterm time horizon

## 1693 Partners Fund

#### Governance and Administration

#### • Governance

- The Fund is managed by a team of highly capable, experienced professional investors along with seasoned operations executives at the 1693 Management Company (a wholly-owned subsidiary of the William & Mary Foundation)
- Governance oversight from the 1693 Partners Fund Board

#### • Key Administrative Features

- Each Partner receives the same exposure to all asset classes and the same access to all investment managers
- Each Partner determines its own spending policy
- The Fund does not charge a participation fee; Partners pay their pro-rata share of oversight expenses

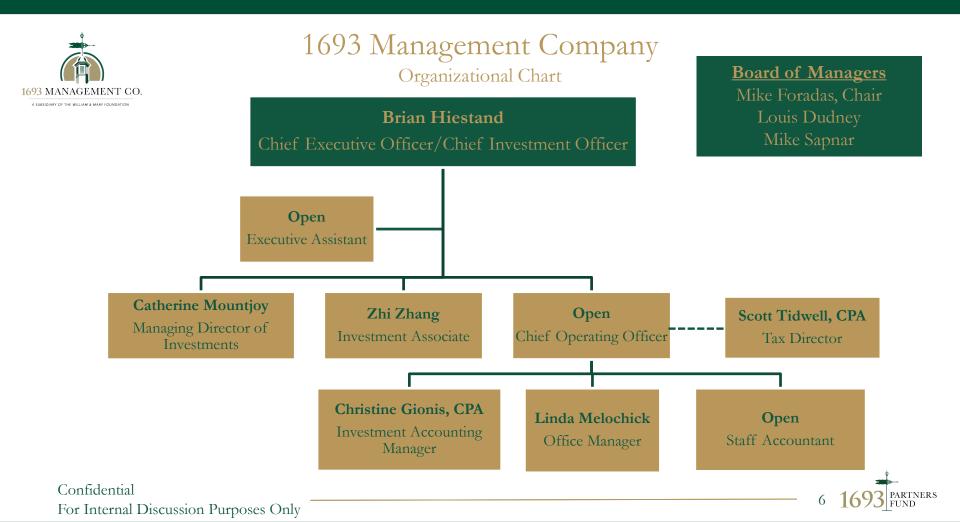
## 1693 Partners Fund

#### Core Investment Principles

- Maintain a long-term perspective
- Manage risk through diversification
- Partner with world class investment managers
- Keep an independent mindset
- Pursue a value-oriented investment approach
- Seek sensible concentration within individual investment manager portfolios

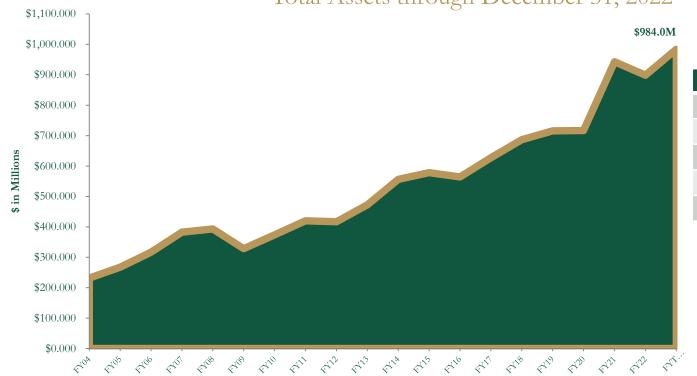
## 1693 Partners Fund Board Members

- Elizabeth Jennings, '85, Chair
- Jody Forsyth, P '15 LSP '18, Vice Chair
- Dave Covin, P '21
- Gene Foley, '89, P '19
- Andrew Horrocks, '87
- Darpan Kapadia, '95
- Jim Mallory, '88
- Scott Perkins, '89
- Cliff Fleet, '91, MA '93, JD '95, MBA '95
- Karim Ahamed '79
  - Business School Foundation Representative
- Paul Eckert, JD '96
  - Law School Foundation Representative
- Jim Hixon, JD '79, MLT '80, P '08, '11
  - Board Of Visitors Representative



## Growth in Assets Under Management

Total Assets through December 31, 2022



Fiscal Year to Date 2023

Beginning AUM	\$898,846,341
Net Partner Activity	\$76,086,910
Contributions	\$96,077,848
Withdrawals	(\$19,990,938)
Investment Gain/Loss	\$9,035,927
Ending AUM	\$983,969,178

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## Portfolio Allocation

as of December 31, 2022



Asset Allocation Range					
Global Public Equities	al Public Equities Private Equity		Private Equity Diversifying Strategies Real Assets		
30%-70%	15%-35%	5%-15%	5%-15%	5%-15%	

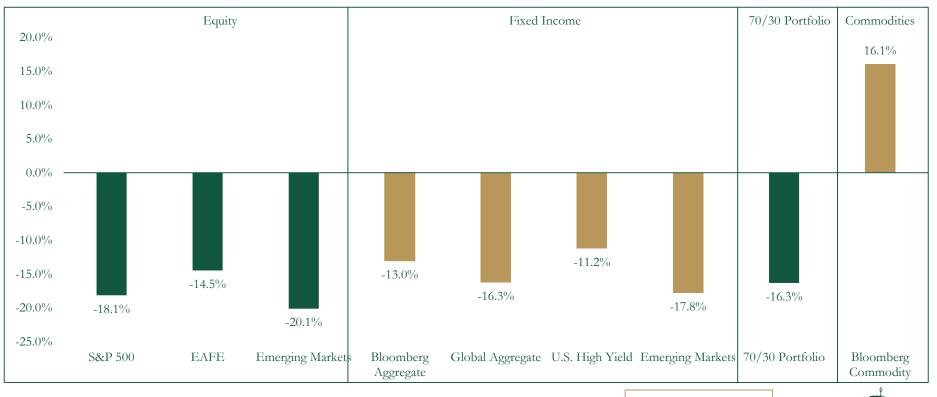
The portfolio also includes a 0.1% weighting to transition assets (holdbacks, side pockets and distributed securities)

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#### Global Market Review-Nowhere to Hide

as of December 31, 2022



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1693 PARTNERS FUND

# Performance Report

as of December 31, 2022

	Numbers in %	Fifteen <u>Years</u>	Ten <u>Years</u>	Five <u>Years</u>	Three <u>Years</u>	One <u>Year</u>	FYTD '23
	1693 Partners Fund <sup>1</sup>	5.85	7.84	7.60	7.96	(7.26)	1.12
Policy	Policy Benchmark <sup>2</sup>	4.30	5.73	4.73	3.93	(14.45)	2.79
Simple	70% Stocks/30% Bonds	4.88	6.45	4.30	2.62	(16.30)	0.97
	MSCI ACWI	5.40	8.54	5.75	4.49	(17.97)	2.50
	Blomberg Aggregate Index	2.66	1.06	0.02	(2.71)	(13.01)	(2.97)

Performance footnotes are in the Appendix

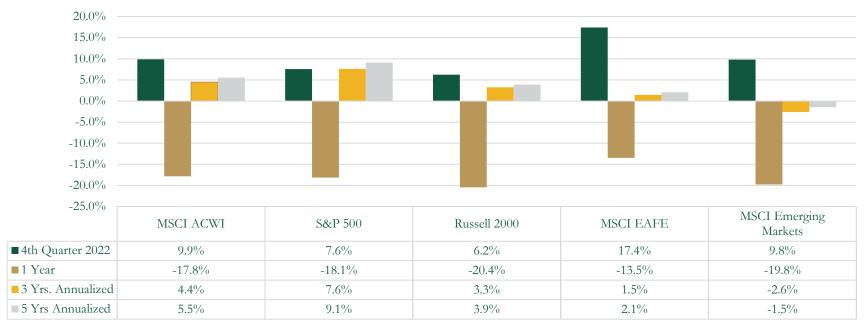
# Investment Portfolio Globally Diversified Active Manager Roster

As of December 31, 2022	Investment Managers	<u>Individual Funds</u>
Global Public Equities	11	11
U.S. Equity	3	3
Developed International	7	7
Emerging Market Equity	1	1
Private Equity	13	49
Fixed Income	1	2
Diversifying Strategies	11	27
Real Assets	12	27
Total	48	116

# CAPITAL MARKETS REVIEW

## Global Equity Market Review

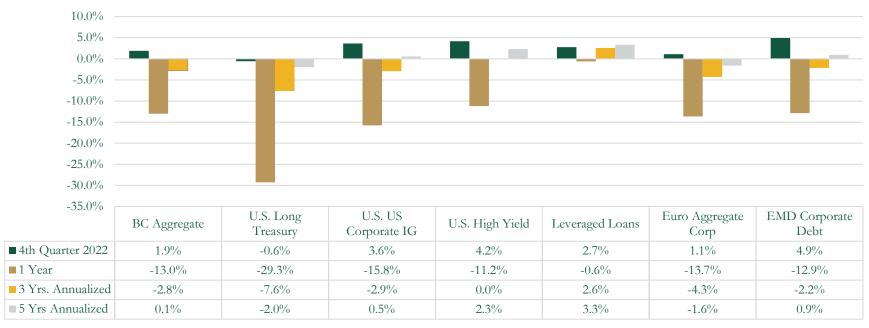
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Sources: Neuberger Berman, Northern Trust

## Global Fixed Income Market Review

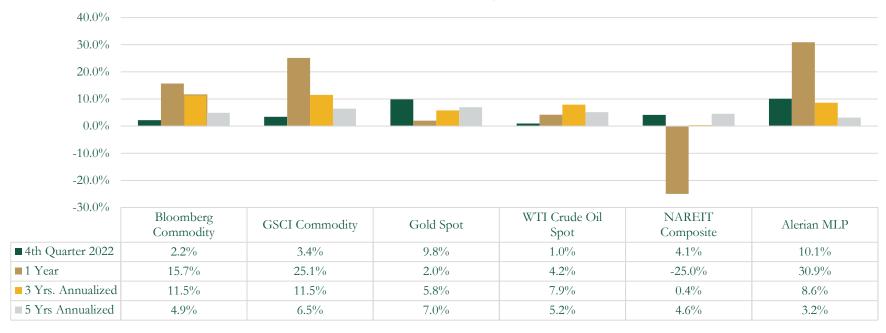
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## Real Asset Market Review

as of December 31, 2022

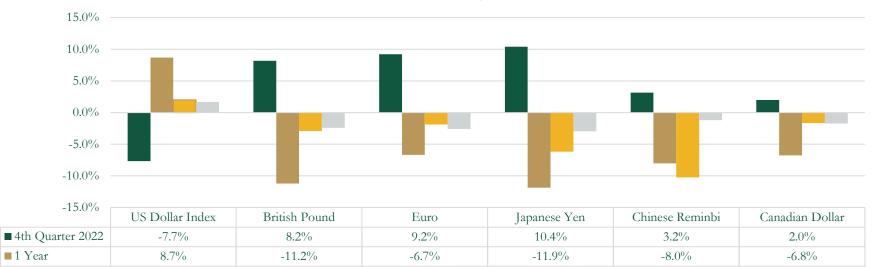


Source: Neuberger Berman



# Global Currency Review

as of December 31, 2022



-6.2%

-3.0%

-1.9%

-2.6%

Source: Neuberger Berman

-10.2%

-1.2%



-1.7%

-1.7%

2.0%

1.7%

-2.9%

-2.4%

3 Yrs. Annualized

■ 5 Yrs Annualized

# **APPENDIX**

## Performance Report

as of December 31, 2022

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Global Public Equities	5.26	7.70	4.36	3.44	(18.62)	4.33
MSCI AC World Index	5.40	8.54	5.75	4.49	(17.96)	2.51
Private Equity *	11.66	18.59	22.13	25.85	6.21	(3.77)
Private Equity Benchmark <sup>3</sup>	6.70	9.10	4.13	3.10	(20.44)	3.91
Fixed Income	4.71	1.80	0.82	(1.49)	(11.57)	(2.34)
Bloomberg Barclays Aggregate Index	2.66	1.06	0.02	(2.71)	(13.01)	(2.97)
Diversifying Strategies *	N/A	0.33	2.43	0.28	(0.49)	1.55
HFR Fund of Funds Index	N/A	3.51	3.02	3.71	(5.26)	1.44
Real Assets *	4.34	5.28	9.16	12.20	15.63	0.83
Real Assets Benchmark <sup>4</sup>	(2.61)	(1.29)	6.08	8.06	1.83	4.98

<sup>\*</sup> Most if not all assets in this category are reported on a one quarter performance lag, benchmark performance is presented as the current quarter.

Performance footnotes are in the Appendix

## Performance Reporting Footnotes

- 1. Fund-level investment performance is presented net of investment manager fees and gross of internal operating expenses. Fund-level performance are returns from the William and Mary Investment Trust from June 2004 through December 2020 and the 1693 Partners Fund from January 2021 to present.
- 2. <u>Policy Benchmark</u>: 56% MSCI All Country World Index, 24% Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Index, 2% Bloomberg U.S. Credit Index, 8% Bloomberg U.S. High Yield Index, 10% Bloomberg Commodity Index; Beginning <u>January 1, 2017</u>: 50% MSCI All Country World Index, 15% Russell 2000 Index, 10% Bloomberg Barclays Aggregate Index, 15% HFR Fund of Funds Index, 5% MSCI U.S. REIT Index, 5% S&P North American Natural Resources Index; <u>Beginning July 1, 2022</u>: 45% MSCI All Country World Index, 25% Russell 2000 Index, 7.5% Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Index, 12.5% HFR Fund of Funds Index, 5% MSCI U.S. REIT Index, 5% S&P North American Natural Resources Index
- 3. Private Equity Benchmark: Russell 3000 Index until January 1, 2017; Thereafter Russell 2000 Index
- 4. <u>Real Asset Benchmark</u>: Bloomberg Commodity Index until January 1, 2017; Thereafter 50% MSCI U.S. REIT and 50% S&P North American Natural Resources Index
- 5. Investment performance is at the fund, Exchange Traded Fund (ETF) or composite level and not the direct experience of the Partners Fund.
- 6. Partners Fund Domestic Equity total historical performance includes performance from Highfields Capital, Hound Partners and GMO Quality Fund, Royce
- 7. Partners Fund Developed International total historical performance includes performance from Mondrian Investment Partners
- 8. Partners Fund Emerging Markets Equity total historical performance includes performance from Arisaig Africa Consumer Fund, Albizia ASEAN Opportunities Fund, TBC Emerging Markets Fund, Sloane Robinson, Monsoon Capital, Tiger Asia, GMO Domestic Opportunities Fund, GMO Emerging Markets Fund, Proa Partners & Edgbaston Investment Partners
- 9. Partners Fund Fixed Income total historical performance includes performance from Convexity Capital, Commonfund High Quality Bond Fund and PIMCO Total Return Bond Fund
- 10. Partners Fund Diversifying Strategies total historical performance includes performance from Greywolf Capital, GMO Benchmark-Free Fund, Protégé Partners, Paulson & Co., Convexity Capital, Commonfund and King Street Capital
- 11. Cambridge Associates Private Market Benchmarking: Buyout-CA US Buyout, Venture Capital-CA US Venture Capital, Fund of Funds-CA Fund of Funds, Opportunistic-CA Credit Opportunities, Private Credit-CA Private Credit, Real Estate-CA All Real Estate, Energy-CA Upstream Energy Private Equity

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