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Hedge Fund Association Elects George Schultze Vice President

Global Nonprofit Organization Also Appoints New Regional Directors and Committee Leaders and Amplifies Member Benefits with Launch of New U.S. and International Chapters

NEW YORK, NY – November 21, 2016 – The Hedge Fund Association (“HFA”), a leading volunteer driven nonprofit trade and nonpartisan lobbying organization serving the global alternative investment industry, is pleased to announce that hedge fund manager George Schultze has been elected to succeed attorney Ron Geffner as vice president. HFA’s board of directors has also appointed several new regional directors, added chapters in the U.S. and abroad, and launched a new cybersecurity committee.

To view an interactive map of HFA’s global presence and biographies of all HFA leaders, including George Schultze, Global Vice President and the new additions listed below, [please click here](#).

- Steve Edney, New York Chapter Co-Director
- Ajai Thomas, Long Island Chapter Director
- Tate Turner, West Coast Chapter Co-Director
- Tim Baker, UK Chapter Co-Director
- Martin Cornish, UK Chapter Co-Director
- David Rowen, Canada Chapter Co-Director
- Martin Pelletier, Canada Chapter Co-Director
- Philip Graham, BVI Chapter Director
- Simon Schilder, Jersey Chapter Director
- Frank Triose, Singapore Chapter Director
- Scott Patterson, Cybersecurity Committee
- James Van Horn, Regulatory Committee

“As HFA celebrates our 20th Anniversary it is an honor to announce these outstanding additions to our volunteer leadership team, strengthening our mission on behalf of investors, managers and service providers. We take great pride in fostering development and trust, while addressing misperceptions and educating the media, lawmakers and the public at large,” said Mitch Ackles, HFA’s President.

About The Hedge Fund Association

The Hedge Fund Association, HFA, is a leading global nonprofit trade and nonpartisan lobbying organization devoted to advancing transparency, development, education and trust in alternative investments. HFA’s [global presence](#) spans 5 continents. Membership in HFA includes hedge fund firms, global financial institutions with hedge fund offerings including private banks, asset management firms and broker dealers, investors including funds of hedge funds, family offices, public and private pension funds, endowments and foundations, high-net-worth individuals, allocators and service providers including prime brokers, administrators, custodians, auditors, attorneys, risk managers, technology firms, third party marketers and other industry consultants. To learn more, visit <http://hedgefundassoc.org> and [@hedgefundassoc](#). Watch “HFA Turns 20” https://youtu.be/zyzuKn-4_uw and “HFA’s 2016 Events” https://youtu.be/tK6u_9s6Amk videos.

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