

Momentum Global Investment Management appoints Head of Institutional Sales

Momentum Global Investment Management (Momentum GIM) has appointed Alex Garton as Head of UK Institutional Sales.

Alex, who joins on 10th August 2015, will be responsible for developing partnerships with pension consultants and institutional investors in the UK, focusing on generating new business inflows into Momentum GIM's funds and solutions.

Alex brings nearly 20 years of experience in the financial services industry. He was previously Director, Client Service & Relationship Development, at Baring Asset Management, where he was responsible for managing existing and developing new relationships with clients. Whilst at Barings, he specialised in multi asset products and managed over 60 institutional client relationships. Prior to this, he was Director, Corporate Broking Advisory, both at Evolution Securities (now part of Investec) and at Hoare Govett (when it was owned by ABN AMRO and then RBS) where he advised blue chip FTSE corporate clients on transactions and investor relations.

Commenting on his appointment, Alex said: "Momentum GIM is entering an exciting period in its development. The team has established a strong track record in multi asset and other investment strategies, and I look forward to building on this success."

Ferdinand van Heerden, CEO of Momentum GIM, said: "As Momentum GIM continues to make strides in the UK institutional market, we are strongly positioned with a number of investment solutions. Alex's wealth of experience makes him an excellent addition to our team and I look forward to working with him."

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