# Globevest Capital Appalache Fund

Introduction document

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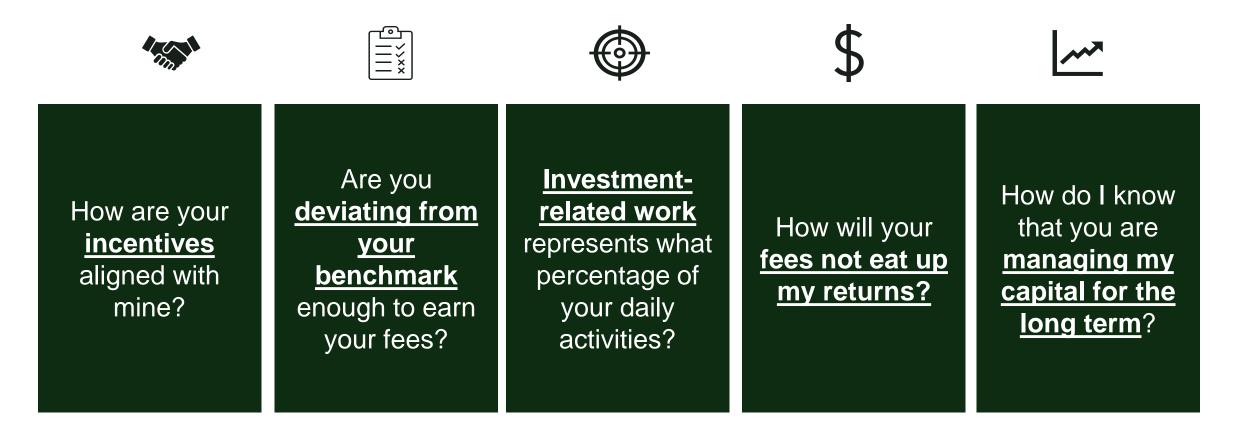
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# The launch of the Appalache fund stems from our inability to find a sufficient amount of public equity managers who could answer 5 simple questions



Source: Globevest Appalache Fund

# **Our business principles – Our 3 commitments to Investment Partners**

# Side-by-side investing

Always commit our own capital on the same basis as that of our Investment Partners. Earn value only if we create value

Structure and align incentives so that we win only if our Investment Partners also win.

# Investors first

Our core business is to find, value and invest in exceptional companies. It is not marketing, asset gathering or distribution.

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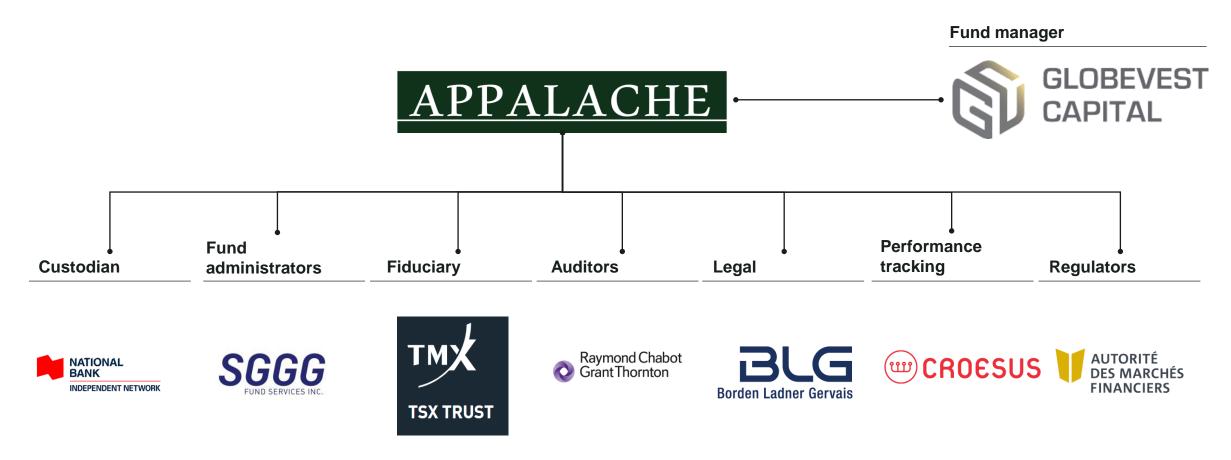
### Our investment strategy – the 3 pillars that dictate how we invest



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### **Our ecosystem of partners**



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## **Detailed investment terms**

### **Detailed fees and terms**

- Management fee: 1.0% charged monthly, and diminishing proportionately with increases in AUM to cover only the baseline costs of running the fund<sup>1</sup>
- **Performance fee**: 20% of returns above a return of 7%, charged annually, starting in 2024
- High-water mark: Yes
- Liquidity: Monthly, on the last business day of the month
- **Minimum investment** : \$150,000 for non accredited investors
- **Reporting:** Quarterly Partner Memorandums & virtual meetings
- **Suggested Partner time commitment:** 5-years. We encourage you not to invest if you plan on needing your capital in less than 5 years.
- **Custodian:** National Bank Independent Network (NBIN)
- Trustee: TSX Trust
- Legal: Borden Ladner Gervais LLP (BLG)
- Auditors: Raymond Chabot Grant Thornton
- **Registered accounts**: Yes

### **Portfolio parameters**

- What we invest in: Public market businesses that appear to possess 4 attributes
  - 1. High cash returns on invested capital
  - 2. A predictable and long runway for growth
  - 3. A **high-integrity** and shareholder-aligned **management** team
  - 4. A price that represents a meaningful discount to our estimate of intrinsic value
- **Geographical scope:** Global markets
- Portfolio composition: 5-20 companies
- Holding period: Multiple years for most holdings
- Benchmark: MSCI World, in Canadian dollars (CAD)
- Hedging: The fund can fully or partially hedge foreign exchange risk<sup>1</sup>
- Use of derivatives and short-selling: While not part of the core mandate, the use of leverage or derivatives, or the shorting of securities, may be used under unusual circumstances and with advance notice to all Unitholders

<sup>1.</sup> At the discretion of the fund manager

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