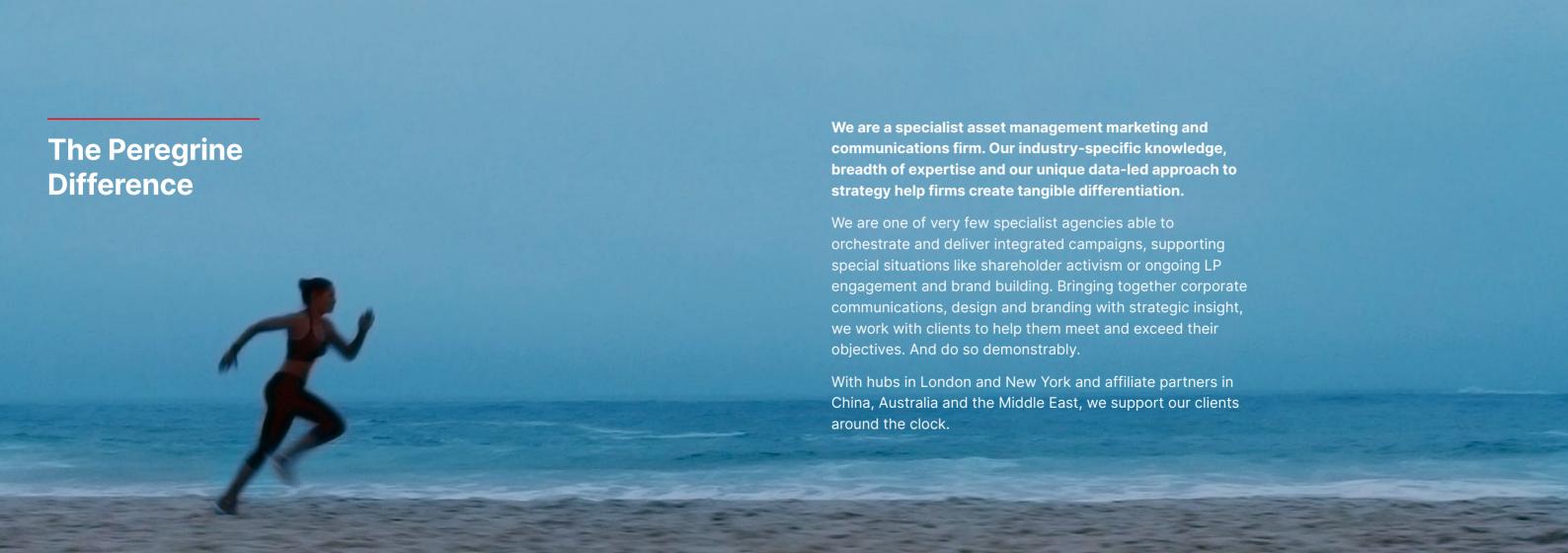


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Peregrine is an award-winning marketing and communications agency providing differentiated and integrated marketing solutions to the global financial services industry.

#### About us

Our offering is focused on forming strong partnerships with our clients, based on the quality of our advice and execution. We provide a proactive service and generate ideas and tactics that drive success across campaigns.



#### Strategy

Diagnostics
& Benchmarking
Analysis
Messaging
& Content
Development
Investor / Customer
Journey Mapping
White Space

**Analysis** 

Mission, Vision,
Values Development
Company Culture
Development
ESG, Philanthropy
& Sponsorship

Message Penetration Analysis



#### **Engage**

Management

Integrated Campaigns
Media Relations
Thought Leadership
& Content Marketing
Social Media
Management
Digital Advertising
Communications
Podcast Production
Presentation Training
Media Planning
& Buying
Webinar Production
Crisis & Issues

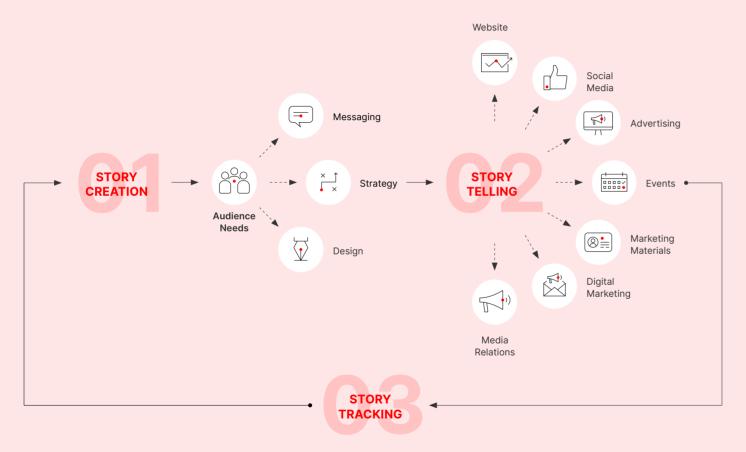


#### Design

Visual Identity
Website Design
& Build
Corporate Naming
Video & Animation
Pitch Decks

Investor Reports
Infographic Design
Advertising Creative
Email Marketing
Corporate
Photography

## **How We Work**



## **Selected Client List**

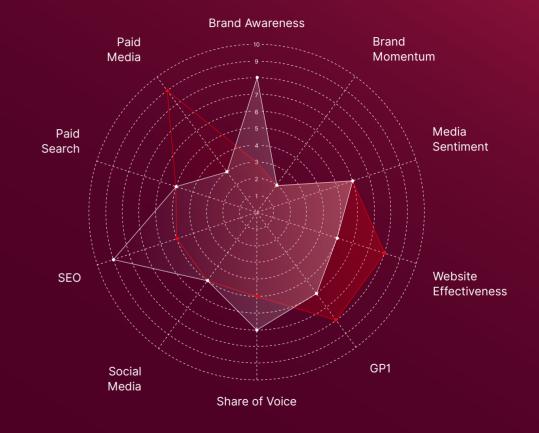
400 Capital Management	Cantab	EJF Capital	Oaktree
A-Cap	CITCO	Equinox Partners	Omni
Aaro Capital	Clocktower	Euroclear	Orchard Global
Advent	Cobblestone	FIM Partners	Penso
ALFI	CQS	Finisterre	Phoenix IA
Allspring	Credit Suisse	Gatemore	Quest Partners
Artisan	Crestbridge	Haidar	RFA
Asean	Dalma Capital	Harvest	Robeco
Axonic Capital	Dexion	Highbridge	Sackville
Blackstone GSO	DGS Partners	HITE	Selwood
Brevan Howard	Dome Equities	Hudson Structured	Sightway
Bregal Milestone	DSC Meridian	KAH Capital	Smith Graham
C-Cap	dv01	Maniyar	UBP
CA Ventures	Elefant Markets	Medalist Partners	Wells Fargo AM
Cadian	El Sturdza	Mirae	Willis Towers Watson
Cambridge Associates	Eighteen 48	Natixis IM	Yoo Capital

# **Diagnostics & Benchmarking Analysis**

Our proprietary research methodology provides insight into how a firm is perceived and its brand presence globally (or regionally), while laying out a strategic roadmap to inform marketing and activism campaign planning and business development.

#### **Key Benefits:**

- Create a marketing communications strategy built on a data-driven understanding of the firm's current positioning.
- Compare Integrated Marketing Communications Performance ('IMC') with your peer group and industry and set and track meaningful goals that support a firm's business objectives directing budgets to where they can generate the greatest impact.
- Gain intelligence on competitor's strategies and provide internal and external stakeholders with a concrete rationale for decision-making.



# **Dedicated ESG Practice**



Asset managers are now under enormous pressure to talk about their approach to responsible investing with ESG communications at the forefront of investors' minds. We understand the need to effectively communicate ESG capabilities within a landscape that is overwhelmed with similar narratives, which is why we have a dedicated ESG practice.

With continuous demands to provide innovative ESG solutions, it is crucial to build a brand and communications strategy that is differentiated. Utilizing the findings from both our strategic analysis and robust annual ESG research, we work with you to create a strategy that resonates with target audiences and provides a clear solution to their needs.

# **Allspring**

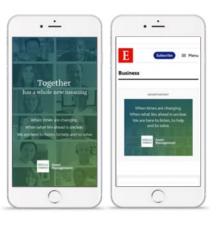
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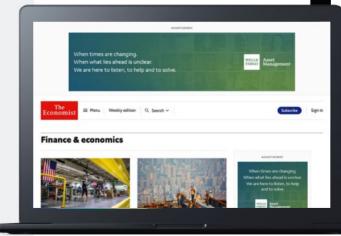
 Peregrine's mission with the announcement of Wells Fargo AM's sale to private equity buyers was to ensure the narrative of the asset management business unit and its CEO Nico Marais permeated globally and would not be drowned out by the narratives of the buyers and Wells Fargo.

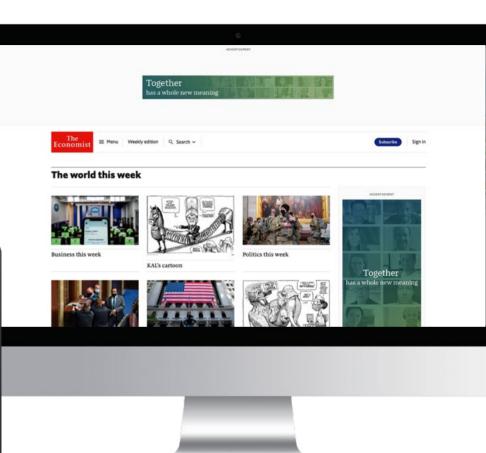
#### Strategy

- Peregrine established key messages which were trial tested with the key stakeholders. On the day of the sale announcement, we leveraged WFAM's CEO with journalists in order to ensure WFAM's messages cut through and built on the buyers' and Wells Fargo's communications.
- These messages were linked to a bigger picture story, ensuring that WFAM's core messages come across via media coverage.
- Peregrine has been providing ongoing media relations programme to Wells Fargo AM, now known as Allspring Global Investments, for over a decade.

- 140 pieces of media coverage worldwide.
- Achieved extended profiling pieces with targeted high impact publications from one-to-one interviews with the CEO of WFAM - Financial Times, Bloomberg, Institutional Investor, P&I, Citywire Selector.
- Highest Google search volume in the U.S. for WFAM in more than 15 years. Globally, search volumes for WFAM were almost 25 times higher than the 10-year average.
- These articles are the first thing audiences searching for WFAM will come across – and crucially all articulate the positive messaging developed to tell WFAM's side of the story.
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 We worked with BG&Y, an established IFA, to modernize their brand identity, website and communications materials.

#### Strategy

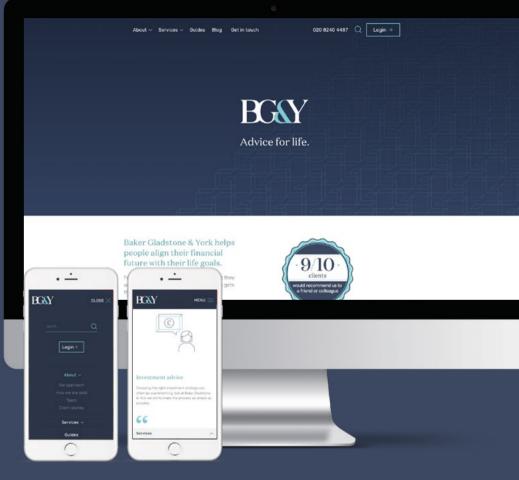
- BG&Y is a long-established IFA in London with a dedicated client base. When they approached us their brand had fallen behind the standard of the market. They wanted to appeal to a wider audience and connect with them emotionally.
- In our Discovery & Messaging sessions we identified the & (ampersand) as a key component of the relationship between IFAs and their clients. We decided that this would be the element to anchor the brand. Its versatility was employed across the website, brochures, investor portal app and all marketing collateral.

#### Results

- Increase in page views of 280%.
- Email campaigns saw a CTR 11 times higher.
- LinkedIn sponsored content and email campaigns led to an 191% increase in visitors.
- Google search campaign generated a 48% increase in overall website traffic and a 24.3% increase in visits to the 'Get in touch' page.
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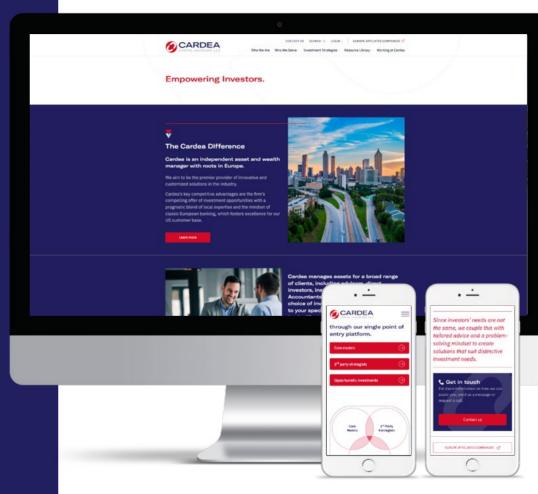
 Following a corporate transaction, CCA entrusted Peregrine to lead a comprehensive proposition and visual brand redevelopment.

#### Strategy

- This comprised of corporate and client messaging as well as the creation of a logo, responsive website design and investor materials.
- The Cardea Difference positioned the firm as a premiere asset and wealth management solution provider for independent advisors, financial managers, accountants and investors.
- We helped emphasise CCA's global mindset and co-community culture to differentiate it from the U.S.centric focus of most turnkey asset management providers.

#### Results

- Differentiated messaging which clearly articulates Cardea's edge.
- Modern and progressive brand identity.
- Cohesive brand materials and marketing collateral.
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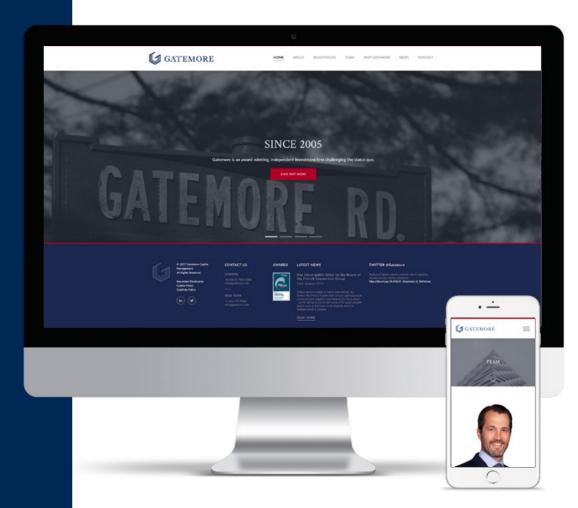


 We planned and executed a Media Relations campaign that supported Gatemore Capital Management's activist stakes in UK-listed companies, French Connection and DX Group.

#### Strategy

- We were briefed to put together a campaign that would increase pressure on the Boards of French Connection and DX Group to yield to Gatemore's demands and increase shareholder value.
- In our messaging sessions, we identified that there was an opportunity to take advantage of specific corporate governance failings in the target companies by engaging with the media and leveraging letters presented by Gatemore.

- The board of DX Group acquiesced to Gatemore's demands and has agreed to appoint Gatemore's nominees.
- Gatemore earned 24% on exiting its position in French Connection.
- Liad Meidar, Gatemore's CIO, was nominated as CITY AM "Investor of the Year."
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- Establish Harvest Global Investments as experts in Chinese and Asian markets.
- Build recognition of Harvest's funds amongst sophisticated European investors.
- Create a modern and dynamic brand to be used across all marketing materials.

#### Strategy

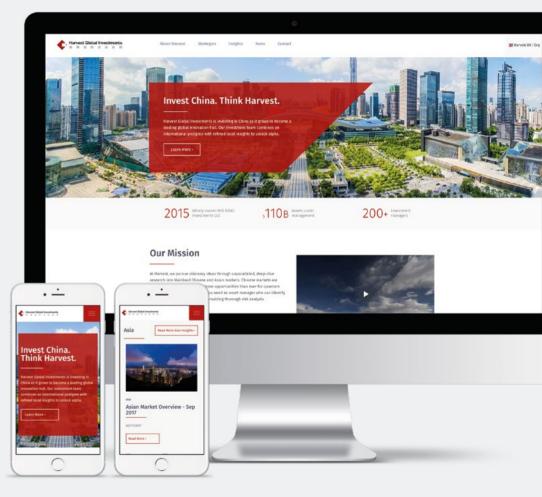
- We worked with Harvest's executive team to create a new set of corporate messages, including the strapline: "Invest China. Think Harvest."
- Brief Harvest portfolio managers and executives in advance of interviews with top-tier financial journalists.
- Design a new website and new marketing material, including writing the copy.
- Position the Harvest investment team as expert commentators on major Chinese market events, such as MSCI's inclusion of A-Shares in its EM Index.

#### Results

- In the first year, Peregrine secured over 450 pieces of coverage for Harvest.
- Highlights included a profile of Chairman, Dr. Henry Zhao, in The Financial Times, and broadcast appearances for their CIOs on CNBC and Bloomberg.
- Creation of optimised, re-designed marketing and communications material for digital and print media.
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## Imperial College **Business School**

#### **Objectives**

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· We supported the Centre for Climate Finance & Investment at Imperial College Business School in its mission to help shape a global energy transformation through the fusion of business, technology and an entrepreneurial mindset. Goal was to build confidence and position WFAM as a stable and visible force that clients were available to connect with.

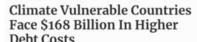
#### Strategy

- Peregrine established kev We worked alongside Imperial's research teams to develop key messages to promote their mission and industry-leading thought leadership reports.
- These reports cover vital sustainability issues from renewable energy returns to emerging market green bonds and portfolio capitalization on lowcarbon transition.

#### Results

- 572% increase in page views
- 906% increase in time spent on page.
- "Peregrine's deep understanding of Environmental, Social and Governance investment, coupled with its expertise in bringing our key messages to life in the media in a clear and creative way has been invaluable." - Charles W. Donovan. Professor of Practice & Executive Director, Centre for Climate Finance and Investment.
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Activists raised climate risk as a problem to encourage finance to engage in addressing the challenge. The law of unintended

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With bankers stuck at home and dealmaking mostly

on ice, unabated demand for renewable power assets has made the sector a rare hot snot for

While energy prices plummeted as oil producers

acquisition activity in Europe this year.

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Green energy acquisitions up 64% this year in Europe Investors want to buy green power as economies go electric





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US renewable groups' shares rise amid coronavirus crisis as oil leads wider market lower

peers in oil and gas, new research has shown, as the oil price shock and

"We found that renewable power had a bit of a protective property, and that is

something we did not know before," said Milica Fomicov, a researcher at

Imperial and one of the report's authors. "After this kind of shock [in the

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cent during the same period.

SOAS Renewable energy investments are delivering massively better

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Global Investments

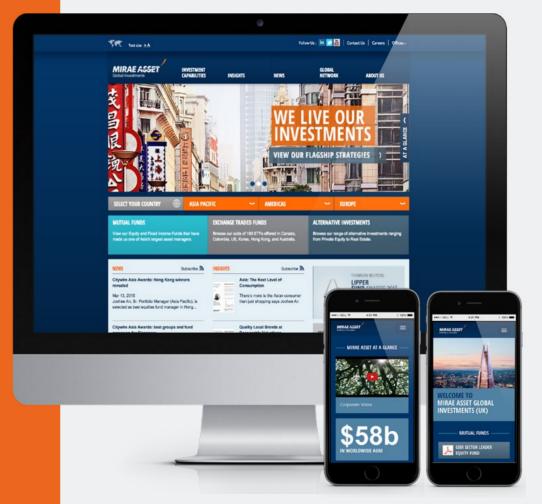
#### **Objectives**

- To establish in the UK and Europe the brand presence of Mirae Asset Global Investments, the largest Asia-based investor in emerging market equities.
- To build understanding and acceptance of Mirae Asset's 'Asia Great Consumer' and 'Asia Sector Leader' fund strategies amongst key target investors.
- To successfully support the raising of assets for Mirae Asset's core SICAV range.

#### Strategy

- Strong product and corporate messaging culminating in the development of the 'We Live Our Investments' slogan – now deployed as a fundamental aspect of Mirae Asset's brand strategy.
- Redesigned the UK / HK websites to convey a strong and consistent brand identity, with supporting video, filmed and edited by Peregrine.
- High value, high impact media relations: corporate and fund manager profiles and guest articles, with media training for executives prior to interviews.
- A global brand-building advertising campaign across both print and digital in 2014/15.

- Mirae Asset's core SICAV range total AUM grew from \$150mn to \$1.75bn in 14 months.
- Mirae Asset has become a recognised brand and a leading voice in the emerging market equities space in the UK and Europe.
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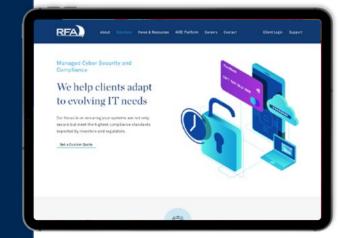
 We helped RFA sharpen their value proposition to clients through more tightly targeted corporate messaging and a brand update.

#### Strategy

- We sought to create high impact, memorable branding with an institutional look/feel that would showcase RFA's leadership in technological innovation and its outstanding record of client-led service excellence.
- This saw Peregrine redesign the RFA website and create message differentiators focused on the key service groupings and what each provides to the firm's four client segments.

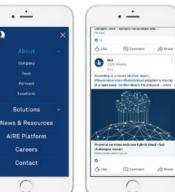
- Increased traffic from search engines by 309%.
- Increased session duration by 15 seconds.
- Increased traffic to careers page by 927%.
- Doubling of LinkedIn followers in 2019.
- Sustained coverage from media outlets that focus on alternative funds and related market segments.
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### EQUINOX PARTNERS

Peregrine was tasked with supporting Equinox Partners, a value investor focused on precious metals miners (long-only), energy E&P, and emerging markets as the firm undertook two shareholder activism campaigns.

The purpose of this brief was to raise the profile of the campaigns in the media, highlighted the following disruptors to board and shareholder alignment:

- Egregious executive payouts in mining M&A | Teranga Gold Corp and Endeavour Mining Corp deal
- A lack of alignment and transparency in mining sector board governance and ownership

#### Strategy

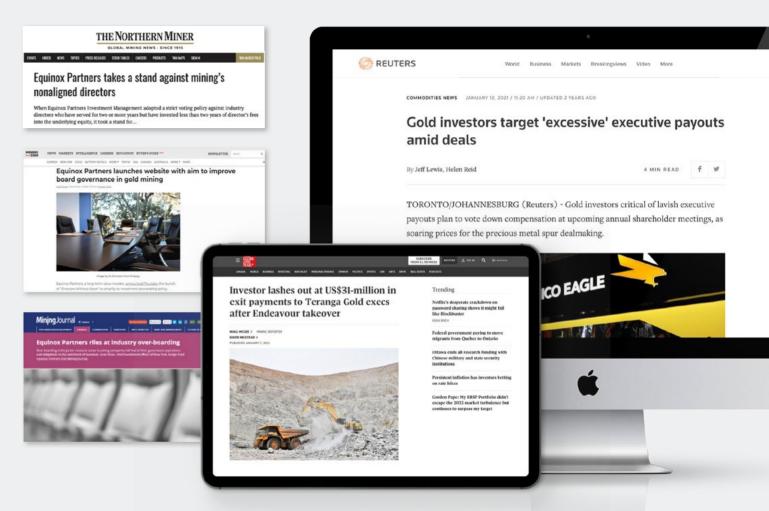
- Establishing Equinox's key messages on the topic of mining M&A and board governance.
- Leveraging Equinox Partner's President and CIO, with journalists in order ensure the firms core messages came across via coverage in key trade media.
- As a complement to media engagement, we drafted and disseminated a press release announcing the launch of Equinox' directors without stock website which acted as a centrepiece to the firms campaign, and as an extension to the firms policy to vote against directors who have served for two or more years but hold less than two years of director's feed in the company stock.

#### Results

- Over the course of these campaigns, we secured 5 pieces of coverage in key media outlets including Reuters, The Globe and Mail, The Northern Miner, Mining. com, and Mining Journal.
- Prepared the firm with strategic advice as proxy season approached and its governance in mining campaign continued to grow.

## Enduring value/changed perception created

 Open discussion with portfolio companies about their board governance and an expectation that real change will be made at the executive/board level.



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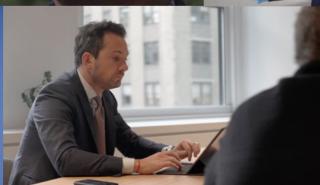
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HFM US Hedge Fund Services Awards



2019, 2018, 2017, 2016

**Best Marketing** & Communications Consultancy

Hedge Fund Journal Awards



2018, 2017, 2015

**Best Marketing** & Communications Consultancy

HFMWeek European Hedge Fund Service Awards



2016

**Best Global Marketing** & Communications Firm

Hedgeweek Awards



**Outstanding Contribution in Marketing Communications** 

Lifetime Achievement Award

- Anthony Payne



2015, 2014, 2013, 2012, 2011

Leading Public **Relations Firm** 

Hedge Fund Journal Awards



2001

**Best Financial** Communications Campaign

The Chartered Institute of Public Relations



2014, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009

**Best Public Relations Firm** 

HFMWeek European Hedge Fund Service Awards



**Best European Marketing** & Communications Agency

HFMWeek European Hedge Fund Service Awards



2015, 2014, 2013, 2012, 2011

**Best European Public Relations Firm** 

The Hedgeweek Global Awards



2015

**Best North American Public Relations Firm** 

The Hedgeweek USA Awards

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