

I am delighted to share with you some excellent news. On 09 March, Apricus Finance has received the 2023 WealthBriefing External Asset Manager award as **Best Portfolio Management Team** in Switzerland, with WealthBriefing citing: "Awarded to a team that demonstrates an outstanding track record in managing client portfolios".

In its press release, WealthBriefing announced:

Apricus Finance joins global elite with WealthBriefing Swiss Eam Award "Leading wealth management industry participant, Apricus Finance, has joined the ranks of an elite global group who have been handed the honour of winning a WealthBriefing Award.

Apricus Finance was awarded 'Best Portfolio Management Team' at the Third Annual WealthBriefing Swiss EAM Awards 2023. Showcasing 'best of breed' in the Swiss region, the awards have been designed to recognise outstanding organisations grouped by specialism and geography which the prestigious panel of independent judges deemed to have 'demonstrated innovation and excellence during the last year'. Each of these categories is highly contested and is subject to a rigorous process before the ultimate winner is selected by the judges. It is this process that makes WealthBriefing awards so prized amongst winners."

We were delighted and honoured to receive this prestigious award for the second year in a row at the award ceremony held at the Park Hyatt hotel in Zurich on 09 March. It is a validation of our firm's investment philosophy, striving to provide excellence in everything we do for clients, as well as being a testament to the dedication and professionalism of our investment teams.

We believe the keys to client success are founded in a combination of our market conscious approach, strategic and thematic convictions, and a flexible and opportunistic investment DNA - leading the way in Independent Asset Management.

Being family owned, we are families, working with families and for families, ensuring that every client receives the attention and service they deserve, as a member of the Apricus "Club". We are dedicated to ensuring that the best interests of our clients are met, time and again.

François Struye de Swielande, CEO & Partner, Apricus Finance SA

