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# Mirae Asset Bolsters Institutional Business Development Coverage

## **Across Asia-Pacific**

Hong Kong and Australia -- (Oct 8, 2015) - Mirae Asset Global Investments (Hong Kong) Limited ("Mirae Asset"), announced the appointment of Marko Tutavac and Chris Wildman to bolster the firm's institutional coverage in Asia and Australia respectively.

Based in Hong Kong, Marko Tutavac joined Mirae Asset as the Head of Consultant Relationships on September 7. He is responsible for cultivating Mirae Asset's relationship with global investment consultants and ratings agencies in Asia. Prior to joining Mirae Asset, Marko was the Associate Director – Institutional Business, Asia ex-Japan at Fidelity Worldwide Investment. He has over 15 years of institutional sales & marketing experience across Asia, Europe and the US.

Chris Wildman joined the company as the Head of Australia Sales on September 28. Based in Sydney, Australia, Chris is responsible for driving the distribution of Mirae Asset's funds, particularly in the institutional market. Before joining the company, Chris was an Institutional Business Executive at AMP Capital in Australia.

Jung-ho Rhee, CFA, Chief Executive Officer at Mirae Asset said: "Mirae Asset is committed to bolstering our institutional coverage across Asia-Pacific. We are excited that Marko and Chris joined our rapidly growing team in the region. Our focus is on growing assets through expanding geographically, strengthening relationship with clients and investment consultants, as well as widening our product offering. With their invaluable experience in serving investment consultants and institutional clients, Marko and Chris are great additions to our institutional sales and marketing team. We look forward to working with them to strengthen our institutional business."

In April 2015, Mirae Asset appointed Eldora Wong as the Sales Director who oversees the firm's institutional distribution of SICAV funds in Asia.

## **About Mirae Asset Global Investments Group**

Launched in 1997, Mirae Asset Global Investments has over 120 investment professionals focusing on emerging market portfolio construction. As of end July 2015, Mirae Asset manages over US\$73.45 billion in client assets, spread across the full spectrum of asset classes and investment solutions. This makes us one of the world's largest managers of emerging market equities<sup>1</sup>. We focus on actively managed, high-conviction emerging market portfolios through a bottom-up investment process rooted in team-based on-the-ground research. Mirae Asset has offices across regions worldwide, including in Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, Colombia, Hong Kong, India, Korea, Taiwan, the United Kingdom the United States, and Vietnam. http://investments.miraeasset.com.hk<sup>2</sup>.

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