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## Endowment Performance 2024: How Sweet It Is

Being too far ahead of your time is indistinguishable from being wrong — <u>Howard Marks</u>

Our latest fiscal year-end 2024 endowment performance report features ten-year and one-year returns, and AUM for one-hundredforty-four US and eight Canadian institutions, the latest available.

In our line of work, acquiring talent and capabilities for institutional and family office clients, we like hard data on the individuals who drive the investment decisions. Returns may be historical, but they are useful clues to an investor's – and board's – views, process, and discipline.

We consider a ten-year span to be a rigorous and revealing measure of the strength of an institution's long-term investment abilities, but we remind our readers that there's much more to the story.

Board members and administrators set the parameters for investment execution, and they are the ones to judge whether their goals are met. Every school has its own endowment payout rate and tolerance for risk and that's what CIOs aim for. Some schools rely heavily on income, others place more weight on growing the principal.

#### A tale of two markets

For those institutions holding substantial U.S. public equity stakes life is sweet. As Chris Markoch at MarketBeat <u>writes</u>, the S&P was up twenty-three percent in 2024, "driven by earnings growth and sector leaders in AI, biopharma, and blue-chip companies."

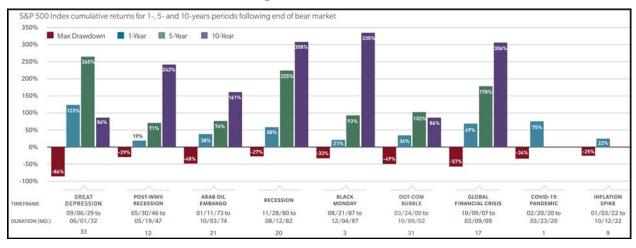
Sometimes it's best to run with the herd, to paraphrase our Mr. Marks. But for endowments with heavy exposure to alts, particularly private equity, there were challenges.

PE has performed well for forty years. But there are periods when the economy tanks, deals stagnate, and returns to investors slow to a trickle.

Here's Peter Lynch's <u>droll take</u> on fickle Mr. Market, and a few partisan comments on PE from Alisa Amarosa Wood and Chris Harrington, partners at <u>KKR</u>, and <u>Ludovic Phalippou</u>, professor of Financial Economics at Saïd Business School, University of Oxford.

Opposing pundits aside, we take comfort in the chart below, a cheerful visual we ran in September's <u>newsletter</u> from MFS investment Management depicting the S&P's bumps and grinds.

# S&P 500 Index cumulative returns for 1-, 5-, and 10-year periods following end of bear market



### **Tenure and Turnover**

What a difference a decade makes. Only about a third of the CIOs in our FY2024 endowment investment report logged ten years or more tenure, and those are mostly the ones on top.

Mr. <u>Philip Zecher</u>, CIO at Michigan State University, and our featured guest below, will soon pass the ten year mark and the endowment's splendid performance reflects his time and attention.

Chief investment officers new to the position, Ms. <u>Geeta Kapadia</u> at Fordham for example, barely have time to roll up their sleeves and grab a pitchfork. It takes five years at least to clear, plough, and seed an endowment, and five more to fully bear fruit.

College endowments consist of thousands of gifts with strings and legally binding contracts attached. To repeat a well-worn trope, it takes years to fully implement a multi-asset, multi-generational investment strategy and altering course mid-stream – a new investment chair, a change in CIOs, court battles – can sap performance for a decade. Phil Zecher, chief investment officer Michigan State University

Count Lev Nikolayevich Tolstoy <u>maintained</u> that history was a vast "<u>storm-tossed sea</u>" of individual actions – complicated, unpredictable, impossible to fathom.

When it comes to the stock market, our thoughts exactly.

In the world of institutional investing, another vast and unpredictable expanse, there always seems to be a handful of hot hands who enjoy spectacular runs, but most shine within an era or a set of conditions and then they're gone. That does not mean their efforts were wasted.

The good Count's gloomy perspective aside, we think CIOs can and do make a difference. Take Mr. Phil Zecher, for example, Ph.D. Nuclear Physics from Michigan State University, and for the last ten years, chief investment officer at the MSU endowment.

In the years since Mr. Zecher took on the CIO role, the university's endowment performance has steadily improved. MSU's ten-year return in our latest report rests comfortably at number eight on our list of one-hundred-and-nineteen over one billion AUM segment, a praiseworthy effort.

Pensions & Investments recently took note. "Among the 44 endowments whose returns have been tracked by Pensions & Investments as of Nov. 11, the median return was 9.8%. The top performer was Michigan State University's endowment. The East Lansing, Mich.-based \$4.4 billion endowment returned a net 15.1% for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024." Mr. Zecher is not cut from common endowment cloth. Over half of all endowment and foundation chief investment officers come from other nonprofits. Mr. Zecher, on the other hand, rocks a hard science and Wall Street risk background.

After earning his doctorate from MSU, (BS, Physics, Ohio University) he worked at Deloitte in NYC, co-founded a risk analytics firm, sold it, then joined a hedge fund as partner. He began <u>advising</u> the MSU endowment in 2011 when I met him and eventually became the university's first CIO.

It's been pretty much uphill ever since, barring the rocky tenure of recent MSU presidents and a gymnastics scandal, the "<u>annus horribilis</u>" of MSU yore.

We spoke with Mr. Zecher about the endowment's laudable performance, what he has done to focus the portfolio, and how he looks at the world of institutional investing.

**Skorina**: I think we first began chatting when you were sitting on the endowment advisory board and it's been quite an odyssey since. What led you from the halls of science to the temples of Mammon?

**Zecher**: I used to joke that I was trying to find a career by process of elimination. But the reality was simpler, I wanted to live in NYC and there weren't many nuclear physics jobs in NYC.

I think studying physics is a great education, and I'd do it all over again, the analytic skills you develop are broadly applicable to many problems, not just physics. In one sense, physics problems are perhaps a lot easier than problems involving people. **Skorina**: Your mission when you became CIO in 2016 was to build a team, pull together a strategy, and make the school some money. How did you begin?

**Zecher**: Complicated questions, Charles. As you mentioned, I had been on the board's investment advisory committee for a number of years and that was really my introduction to the allocator space (I'm embarrassed to admit I bought Swenson's book but have never read it).

During that time, I was frequently frustrated by the "received wisdom" that was offered without analytical appraisals as basis for our actions. As a research scientist by training, I tend to be skeptical of just about everything I hear without supporting data.

And to be clear, the data often does not give you a clear answer, but it might shed light on how shaky the ground is you've built your edifice on. Once we had a team in place – thank you for your search assistance, Charles – we started to carefully evaluate a lot of the implied assumptions our portfolio rested on.

We wanted to test our funds against those assumptions. To do that meant we needed to remove a lot of the common biases that come with how people generally evaluate managers. That led us to do a blind review of the portfolio, which included our IC, where we removed all the identifying information for managers and simply showed how the manager performed against various assumptions – no names, track records, strategy or asset class labels etc.

We try to be students of behavioral science, appreciating how easy it is to be biased by information that is not important. For instance – I don't always succeed, but – I try to ban us looking at any time series graphs. Why? Humans are very good at creating totally plausible stories to explain purely random data. **Skorina**: Any surprises?

**Zecher**: Yes and no. I wasn't surprised that a lot of the funds didn't hold up to the assumptions we'd made about them, or about the role they played in the portfolio. But I was surprised at how consistent the reviews were from the team and IC. There were a few funds with mixed reviews, but most of them clearly either met or failed to meet expectations.

It took us a couple of years to clean house, and there were certainly some missteps along the way, but today we have over twice the assets and about half the number of [public] funds we started with.

**Skorina**: Most CIOs at endowments and foundations work from a standard template these days. How do you keep a fresh perspective?

**Zecher**: You can only keep a fresh perspective if you are constantly critical of what you are doing. Which is hard, and even harder when you're being successful.

For me, being a late comer to the field helps me keep an outsider mentality. The dogma that comes from learning something earlier in your career is very hard to overcome.

An example of that dogma is most asset models. Your "standard template" or pejoratively, bucket filling models, lead teams to focus on beating their bucket, not necessarily doing what is right for the whole portfolio. That puts the responsibility on the IC to ensure that they have the right buckets to best benefit the total portfolio.

Our earlier process of critically evaluating our asset allocation model led us to throw out the buckets and adopt more of a risk-budgeting

approach—perhaps not surprising since I'd grown up on the risk side of the business rather than the trading or allocator side.

You could also describe our approach as more like the "total portfolio approach" used by the Australia Futures Fund or New Zealand Superannuation Fund.

Every investment is evaluated by what it contributes to the whole portfolio's return and risk.

**Skorina**: How do you spend your time, managing, investing, teaching, stakeholder relations? I'm not certain that boards and administrations always understand <u>what CIOs do</u>.

**Zecher**: Yes, all of those. I guess you could say we work very hard to do nothing. We are, after all, long-term investors, so we shouldn't be messing around with the portfolio too often. But to keep our mettle, we need to constantly monitor and evaluate options, even if nothing comes of most of that work.

The CIO's role, like any role with a lot of responsibility, turns towards making sure all the stakeholders understand and are aligned with the strategy.

As Ellen Shuman, former CIO at Carnegie Corporation, once told us at a Greenwich Roundtable meeting, when you become CIO the focus shifts from investing to management, policy, and politics.

**Skorina**: The endowment had an impressive year as of June 30, 2024. How did that happen?

**Zecher**: In investing there is always some combination of luck and skill involved. And a little bit of luck early can help a lot later on—luck is after all a compounding asset.

What probably differentiated and benefited us over other institutions in the last year, has actually benefited us over a number of years, and that is an intentional move towards more U.S. centric global equities.

In the 2017-2018 timeframe we debated a basic question, did we believe foreign markets were likely to be stronger or better performers over the next decade or two than the U.S? Our answer was and remains no.

For instance, consider how much has been invested in European companies over the last few decades based on uncritically applying U.S. corporate valuation models to European companies.

According to these models, Europe has been and remains "cheap". But taking our valuation models and applying them to foreign markets belies an appreciation for culture differences, among other risks.

Again, take Europe, banks play a much bigger role in corporate finance than in the U.S., and corporate leaders often don't see their job as just to increase stock value, like they do in the U.S. That is not to say there aren't opportunities in foreign markets, but they require fine brush work, not the broad brush of the asset allocation models.

Skorina: What are your thoughts about future opportunities?

**Zecher**: Today, we think one of the most important, and little discussed, mega trends is how value has shifted from physical capital to intellectual capital.

Most physical production has become commoditized, and with any commodity product, margins get squeezed to nothing and the only way you can survive is through scale.

Consider NVIDIA, which has become one of the most valuable companies in the world but has no foundry, only a massive amount of very hard to replicate IP. If IP is going to be where the value is, it is going to be what drives outside returns.

If IP is the future of wealth, then it's not surprising that Google's research budget alone is 5 times the entire National Science Foundation's budget, and slightly more than the National Institute of Health's budget. If you are concerned about wealth disparity, that should concern you.

Skorina: It's been a pleasure speaking with you. Any closing comments?

**Zecher**: I love the university and – yes, I'm biased – our world class physics department. And I feel privileged to be in a position to help MSU. Hopefully, for many years to come. Go Green!

## **Endowment Performance 2024**

#### How we display our data

We have grouped our endowment performance data into four sections:

- 119 US endowments over \$1bn
- 22 US endowments, \$500mm to \$1bn
- 3 US endowments, non-June 30 FYs

• 8 large Canadian endowments in \$CA dollars (about \$0.70 US dollar)

Eleven endowments over \$1 billion and four between \$500 million and \$1 billion are managed by OCIO firms (Outsourced Chief Investment Officer). We have highlighted them in green.

### Caveats

There is no agreed upon standard for endowment performance reporting and no institutional body to enforce a standard even if there was one.

Many schools report their numbers net of all costs including external management fees, internal office costs, and the endowment tax, but not all. Some report gross returns. Others subtract external management fees but not office costs or the endowment tax. Over a ten-year period that makes a difference.

Another issue. Timing of returns can be a big problem, particularly over the last few years. Public market results are computed and consolidated by investment custodians and reported to their clients usually within a month of the fiscal close.

But things get cloudier for illiquid alternative assets with no quoted prices: so-called "level 3" items. As a result, private market valuations take much longer, three months at least, and there is a fair amount of wiggle room.

Most investment teams will not know their June 30th private investment performance until September 30th or later. In some cases, much later. As a result, returns released to the media are estimates at best.

#### Where are the women?

We count twenty-one female investment heads, or 19%, within our over one billion AUM group and two of fifteen, about 13%, in the \$500 million to \$1 billion group. There are two women among the eight Canadian endowments. We have highlighted them all in blue.

Despite excellent performance across the board and an almost fifty-fifty split in the ranks below CIO, it is still a tough road to the top.

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#### Updates and edits

Try as we might, there are bound to be errors. Please let us know. We will make the changes and send out an update in a few weeks.

To all those who helped us, thank you. We greatly appreciate it.

Best regards, Charles

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	Endowment Performance 2024 Ranked by 10-year returns as of June 30, 2024 Source: Charles Skorina & Company skorina@charlesskorina.com www.charlesskorina.com						
-	Institution over \$1bn AUM	Head of Investments (CEO/CFO/CIO)	<b>10-yr Rtn</b> <b>FY24</b> (Jun30)	<b>1-yr Rtn</b> <b>FY24</b> (Jun30)	<b>AUM</b> FY24 (Jun30)		
_	-	-	%	%	\$ bns		

1	Bowdoin College	Bryant, Niles	10.90	10.90	2.60
2	Brown University	Dietze, Jane	10.80	11.30	7.20
3	Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)	Alexander, Seth	10.50	8.90	24.60
4	Santa Clara University	Kerrigan, John	9.60	-	1.50
5	Yale University	Mendelsohn, Matt	9.50	5.70	41.40
6	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill	King, Jonathon	9.40	12.60	5.70
7	Dartmouth College	Ruth, Alice A.	9.40	8.40	8.30
8	Michigan State University	Zecher, Phil	9.30	15.10	4.40
9	Wesleyan University	Martin, Anne	9.30	5.50	1.58
10	Princeton University	Tuohey, Vincent	9.20	3.90	34.10
11	Williams College	Wattley, Abigail	9.19	10.20	3.65
12	North Carolina State University	Ip, Chris	9.10	11.80	1.80
13	University of Minnesota (OIB)	Parks, Andrew	9.10	4.30	2.25
14	Davidson College	Jacobson, Raymond A.	9.00	5.73	1.37
15	Tulane University	Chau, Richard	8.90	8.80	1.80
16	Amherst College	Johnson, Letitia L.	8.80	10.20	3.55
17	Rochester Institute of Technology	Watters, James	8.72	11.20	1.38
18	University of Michigan	Lundberg, Erik	8.70	8.93	19.96
19	Washington University, St. Louis	Wilson, Scott	8.70	8.70	13.20
20	University of Virginia	Durden, Robert	8.70	7.50	14.20
21	Rockefeller University	Volent, Paula	8.70	7.50	2.57
22	University of Pennsylvania	Ammon, Peter H.	8.70	7.10	22.30
23	Carnegie Mellon University	Kennedy, Charles A.	8.70	6.60	3.20
24	Rice University	Lawrence, John	8.60	9.70	7.50
25	Stanford University	Wallace, Rob	8.60	8.40	42.80
26	Duke University	Triplett, Neal F.	8.60	8.00	11.90
27	Wellesley College	Kuenstner, Deborah F.	8.60	7.80	2.98
28	Middlebury	(OCIO) Investure	8.50	8.70	1.55
29	UC San Diego Fdn	IC & UC Regents	8.40	15.50	1.60

30	University of Minnesota & Fdn	Behrens, Andrew J.	8.40	13.40	3.70
31	Texas Christian University	Safran, Jason R.	8.32	8.27	2.60
32	Baylor University	Morehead, David	8.30	9.00	2.10
33	Oberlin College	Yang, Jun	8.30	8.50	1.28
34	Swarthmore College	Grunseich, Frank C.	8.30	5.80	2.76
35	Emory University	Pulavarti, Srinivas (Srini)	8.21	9.60	10.70
36	Boston University	Hunnewell, Lila	8.20	-	3.50
37	Pennsylvania State University	Cullen, Joseph M.	8.20	10.60	4.90
38	Trinity University	Crow, Craig	8.10	12.50	1.90
39	Clemson University Fdn	Alexander, John	8.10	12.10	1.10
40	University of California Regents	Bachher, Jagdeep S.	8.10	11.70	22.60
41	Villanova University	McAndrew, Shane	8.10	9.20	1.34
42	Iowa State University of Science & Technology	IC & Cambridge Assocs.	8.00	10.90	1.50
43	University of Colorado Fdn	(OCIO) Agility	7.93	8.70	2.70
44	Vanderbilt University	Hall, Anders	7.92	9.20	10.30
45	University of Illinois & Fdn	Shore, Travis	7.90	10.60	3.00
46	University of Oklahoma	Johnson, Bradley	7.86	9.69	2.10
47	Syracuse University	(OCIO) Partners Capital	7.80	12.60	2.00
48	University of Arkansas	(OCIO) Cambridge Assocs.	7.80	12.30	2.56
49	Lehigh University	Agatone, Kristin	7.80	10.50	2.20
50	Harvard University	Narvekar, Narv CEO Slocum, Rick, CIO	7.80	9.60	53.20
51	Colby College	Shufrin, Deborah	7.80	8.10	1.16
52	University of Richmond	(OCIO) Spider Mgmt. Co. McLean, Will Pres & CIO	7.79	7.51	3.20
53	Claremont McKenna College	Floyd, James	7.70	12.30	2.20
54	University of Washington	Ferguson, Keith	7.70	11.30	5.50
55	Howard University	Bello, Frank	7.70	10.90	1.03
56	Grinnell College	Thayer, Jainen	7.70	10.70	2.67
57	Drexel University	Ulozas, Catherine	7.70	10.70	1.010
58	Cornell University	Miranda, Kenneth	7.70	8.70	10.70

59	Smith College	Howie, Lisa	7.70	7.70	2.72
60	Mount Holyoke College	Yankova, Ana	7.60	9.40	1.10
61	UTIMCO Endowment AUM UT general fund: <b>\$25bn</b> UT permanent fund: ¾ UT System <b>\$24bn</b> ⅓ TX A&M Sys <b>\$12bn</b>	Hall, Richard	7.60	8.70	61.00
62	Oklahoma State University	(OCIO) MEMCO Harms, Ryan, CIO	7.60	8.30	1.00
63	University of Southern California	Diamond, Amy	7.53	10.81	8.15
64	Texas A&M Foundation	Pia, Michael	7.50	8.75	2.80
65	Georgia Institute of Technology	Pellegrino, Brian	7.50	8.60	2.64
66	Indiana University Fdn	Weldy, Abe co-ClO Bergstrom, Jim co-ClO	7.50	8.00	3.54
67	University of Pittsburgh	Choudhry, Jeffer	7.50	6.70	5.70
68	Pomona College	Wallace, Dave	7.40	11.80	3.00
69	Purdue University	Cooper, David	7.40	11.60	4.10
70	Columbia University	Lew, Kim Y.	7.40	11.50	14.80
71	University of Rochester	Phillips, Douglas W.	7.40	9.50	3.50
72	William & Mary & Fdns	Hiestand, Brian	7.40	9.10	1.45
73	Colgate University	Hope, JS	7.40	7.30	1.25
74	University of Delaware	Walter, Keith	7.37	10.30	1.99
75	Idaho Endowment Investment Board	Anton, Chris, Manager of Investments	7.30	11.95	3.20
76	Lafayette College	Memani, Krishna K.	7.30	11.40	1.13
77	University System of Maryland Fdn	Steen, Sharcus	7.30	8.70	2.30
78	Northwestern University	Falls, Amy	7.30	8.40	14.20
79	Kansas State University Fdn	Chai, Paul	7.21	8.82	1.02
80	University of Missouri System	Richards, Tom	7.20	11.30	2.40
81	Arizona State University & Fdn	Mindlin, Jeffrey	7.20	11.30	1.60
82	University of Oregon Fdn	(OCIO) Jasper Ridge Partners	7.20	10.50	1.63
83	University of Kansas	Clarke, James G.	7.20	9.90	2.30

84	University of Georgia	Bull, Jason	7.10	12.00	1.70
85	Phillips Academy, Andover	Glantz, Kirsten Landers	7.10	10.40	1.41
86	Carleton College	Deshler, Kelsey	7.10	10.30	1.26
87	Tufts University	Smith, Craig W.	7.10	9.40	2.40
88	Washington & Lee University	(OCIO) Makena	7.00	6.30	2.03
89	University of Massachusetts Fdn	Gibbons, Jonathan	6.90	15.20	1.50
90	Rutgers, State University of New Jersey	MacDonald, Jason	6.90	12.30	2.06
91	University at Buffalo Fdn	Investment Committee	6.90	11.10	1.33
92	Ohio State University	Srinivasan, Vishnu (Vish)	6.90	10.80	7.90
93	University of Houston	Bartlett, Raymond, SVP Finance & Admin	6.90	9.60	1.10
94	University of Cincinnati	Scheer, Karl L.	6.80	10.30	2.00
95	UCLA Investment Company	Barton, Justin	6.80	9.80	5.51
96	Case Western Reserve University	Milanich, Tim R.	6.80	8.10	2.40
97	University of Miami	Maynard, Charmel	6.70	14.10	1.69
98	University of Iowa & Fdns	Bethea, Jim	6.70	13.00	1.60
99	University of Chicago	Ward, Andy	6.70	8.40	10.40
100	Brandeis University	Saghir, Tarek	6.70	7.40	1.26
101	UC Berkeley	McAuliffe, David	6.70	7.30	3.10
102	University of Wisconsin Fdn	Stohler, Michael	6.60	14.70	4.30
103	Bucknell University	(OCIO) Commonfund	6.60	10.00	1.20
104	Denison University	Browne, Kathleen	6.60	7.80	1.05
105	University of Florida Fdn	Reeser, William S.	6.60	7.20	2.50
106	Texas Tech University System	Barrett, Tim	6.56	10.84	1.73
107	Wake Forest University	(OCIO) Verger	6.40	8.60	2.00
108	UC San Francisco	Harkins, David	6.40	7.40	3.10
109	Berea College	(OCIO) Hirtle Callaghan	6.30	11.90	1.60
110	Baylor College of Medicine	Walker, William D.	6.30	3.40	1.48
111	Loyola University of Chicago	Wyatt, Katharine	6.10	9.10	1.20
112	Southern Methodist University	Dahiya, Rakesh	6.10	7.50	2.12

113	University of Nebraska	Neale, Brian	6.00	14.50	2.00
114	University of Tennessee	Mecherle, Raymond (Rip)	6.00	12.00	1.54
115	Virginia Tech Fdn	Greenberg, David	6.00	10.70	2.00
116	University of Kentucky	Shupp, Todd	6.00	9.50	2.30
117	University of Utah	Waite, Mark	5.90	10.00	1.70
118	University of Arizona & Fdn	(OCIO) Fund Evaluation Group	5.30	7.80	1.29
119	Fordham University	Kapadia, Geeta	4.80	7.60	1.01
-	* Women CIOs * OCIO, consultants, investn	nent committee (IC)	_	-	-
-	<b>Institution</b> \$500mm to \$1bn AUM	Head of Investments (CEO/CFO/CIO)	<b>10-yr</b> Rtn FY24 (Jun30)	<b>1-yr Rtn</b> <b>FY24</b> (Jun30)	<b>AUM</b> <b>FY24</b> (Jun30)
_	_	-	%	%	\$ bns
1	Babson College	IC & Spurlin, Trish	9.40	10.00	0.740
2	Principia Corporation	Fredrikson, Hans	7.90	12.13	0.951
3	DePauw University	(OCIO) CornerStone Partners	7.80	13.70	0.949
	UC Irvine Fdn	IC, Callan & UC Regents	7.65	11.10	0.899
5	UC Santa Barbara Fdn	UC Regents	7.60	11.40	0.647
6	Florida State University Fdn	IC & Cambridge Assocs. Tolbert, Keith, Dir Invest	7.50	11.50	0.795
7	Rush University Medical Center	Wiggins, Alex D.	7.48	12.21	0.852
8	Stetson University	Alexander, Jr., John C.	7.40	12.09	0.370
9	Spelman College	IC & TIFF	7.40	10.00	0.507
10	West Virginia University Fdn	Kraich, Rick	7.40	3.10	0.865
11	Reed College	Bernhardt, Erik	7.31	12.41	0.839
12	University of South Carolina Fdn	Kibler, Mandy	7.30	14.50	0.823
13	UC Davis Fdn	UC Regents	7.20	11.30	0.789
14	Oregon State University Fdn	(OCIO) Cerity Partners	7.15	10.42	0.997
15	University of Wyoming Fdn	Treick, Philip	7.00	7.70	0.833
16	Haverford College	(OCIO) Investure	6.80	12.10	0.700

17	Washington State University Fdn	IC & Mercer-Pavilion	6.80	10.80	0.723
18	University of New Hampshire & Fdn	IC & Prime Buchholz	6.70	12.40	0.529
19	Marquette University	Gissal, Sean	6.70	11.00	0.997
20	Furman University	Kenney, Rob	6.30	9.10	0.828
21	Miami University Fdn (Ohio)	(OCIO) Strategic Investment Group & Longi, Tony, Dir Invest	6.10	12.80	0.815
22	Macalester College	(OCIO) Investure	6.10	9.10	0.877
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-	Institution non-June 30 FY2024	Head of Investments (CEO/CFO/CIO)	10-yr Rtn FY24	1-yr Rtn FY24	AUM FY24
-	-	-	%	%	\$ bns
-	Boston College <b>31-May</b>	Zona, John J.	7.70	12.30	3.90
_	Texas A&M System Edn <b>31-Aug</b>	Robinson, Maria L.	6.30	12.90	1.60
-	California Institute of Technology (Caltech) <b>30-Sep</b>	Richland, Scott H.	8.20	12.30	4.21
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-	Canadian Institution non-June 30 FY2024	Head of Investments (CEO/CFO/CIO)	10-yr Rtn FY24	1-yr Rtn FY24	AUM FY24
-	31-Mar	AUM in Canadian dollars	%	%	\$CA bn
-	Dalhousie University	Kulczycki, Gitta, VP F&A Foran, Nancy-Beth, Treas	8.63	10.94	0.943
-	University of Alberta	Ritter, Ronald F.	8.50	8.50	1.80
-	University of British Columbia	Jia, Dawn	7.80	12.10	2.40
-	30-Apr	_	-	-	-
-	University of Western Ontario	Bélanger, Martin	8.70	11.40	1.30

-	Queen's University	IC & Janiec, Donna, VP F&A	8.30	12.00	1.60
-	University of Toronto	O'Reilly, Chuck	7.90	11.40	3.62
-	McGill University	Leblanc, Sophie	7.20	11.80	2.10
-	McMaster University	IC & Moore, Steven, Treas	6.87	9.21	0.972
-	* Women CIOs * OCIO, consultants, investment committee (IC)		_	-	-

Note: in a few cases we calculated 10-yr returns using geometric mean

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