

Press Release

Gottex wins «Best European Institutional Hedge Fund of Funds Product Provider» Award



On December 9, 2004 Gottex won the Hedge Funds Review (HFR) 2004 Award for the «*Best European Institutional Hedge Fund of Funds Product Provider*». Selected amongst a group of 113 competing candidates, Gottex was chosen by a panel of four independent judges. Similar to previous years, the awards selection process was rigorous, incorporating a comprehensive review of a completed questionnaire, a quantitative screen drawn from a proprietary database, and a detailed review by the judges of the short-listed fund of funds before a final decision was made. According to HFR «the judges were very impressed with the quality of the entries for the awards.»

«We are very pleased to have won this award, especially given the high quality of the other nominees», said Joachim Gottschalk, Chairman of Gottex. «As an alternative fund management group, we are committed to providing institutional investors with fund of hedge fund products of the highest standards, ranging from market-neutral fund of funds to portable alpha investment solutions. «

Founded in 1992, Gottex Fund Management is a leading global investment management group specializing in absolute return strategies. With funds under management in excess of US\$ 4 billion, Gottex offers a complete range of fund of hedge funds products. Gottex is headquartered in Lausanne (Switzerland) and has offices in London, New York, Boston, and Sydney.

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