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# **Brochure Supplement**

(Part 2B of Form ADV)

This brochure supplement provides information about James Meyer, Robert Whalen, Christopher Gildea, Dan Rodan, Christopher Crooks and Michael Adams, all of whom provide investment advice on behalf of Tower Bridge Advisors. This information supplements the Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc. brochure that you should have already received. Please contact Jeffrey Kachel, jkachel@towerbridgeadvisors.com, if you did not receive Tower Bridge Advisors' brochure or if you have any questions about the contents of this supplement.

Additional information about certain of the individuals named in this supplement is available on the SEC's website at www.adviserinfo.sec.gov.

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# James Meyer, CFA<sup>1</sup>

## Educational Background:

- BS, Wharton School of Finance of the University of Pennsylvania, 1968
- MBA, New York University, 1973

## Business Experience:

- CEO, Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc., 2023 date
- Co-Chief Investment Officer, Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc. 2020 2023
- Principal, Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc. 2001 date
- Chief Compliance Officer, Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc. 2001 2021
- Chief Investment Officer, Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc. 2001 2020
- Director of Research, Janney Montgomery Scott, 1973 2001

Year of Birth: 1946

Disciplinary Information: None Other Business Activities: None Additional Compensation: None

#### Supervision:

James Meyer's advisory activities are supervised by Christopher Gildea, Tower Bridge's Chief Compliance Officer. He reviews Mr. Meyer's work through office interactions as well as through the firm's compliance procedures and code of ethics You can contact Mr. Gildea by phone, at 610.260.2200, or by email at <a href="mailto:cgildea@towerbridgeadvisors.com">cgildea@towerbridgeadvisors.com</a>.

## Robert Whalen

Educational Background:

- AB, Villanova University, 1969
- MBA, Southern Illinois University, 1973

#### Business Experience:

Managing Director, Principal, Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc. 2006 - date

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Please see page 4 below for an explanation of the CFA designation.

• Portfolio Manager, The Swarthmore Group 2000 - 2006

Year of Birth: 1947

Disciplinary Information: None Other Business Activities: None Additional Compensation: None

## Supervision:

Robert Whalen's advisory activities are supervised by Christopher Gildea, Tower Bridge's Chief Compliance Officer. He reviews Mr. Whalen's work through office interactions as well as through the firm's compliance procedures and code of ethics. You can contact Mr. Gildea by phone, at 610.260.2200, or by e-mail at cgildea@towerbridgeadvisors.com.

# **Christopher Gildea**

## Educational Background:

- BS, Economics & Operations Management, Boston College, 1992
- JD, Suffolk University Law School, 1997
- MBA, Purdue University, 2004

# Business Experience:

- Secretary, Co-Chief Investment Officer, Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc. 2023 – date
- Chief Compliance Officer, Principal 2021 date
- Senior Portfolio Manager, Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc. 2018 date
- Portfolio Manager, Portview Partners / Portsmith Capital Fund, 2014
   2018
- Analyst / Portfolio Manager, Merit Investment Management, 2010 2014
- Analyst, Gardner Lewis Asset Management, 2004 2010

Year of Birth: 1969

Disciplinary Information: None Other Business Activities: None Additional Compensation: None

#### Supervision:

Christopher Gildea's advisory activities are supervised by Jeff Kachel, Tower Bridge's CFO. He reviews Mr. Gildea's work through office interactions as well as through the firm's compliance procedures and code of ethics. You can contact Mr. Kachel by phone, at 610.260.2200, or by email at <a href="mailto:ikachel@towerbridgeadvisors.com">ikachel@towerbridgeadvisors.com</a>.

#### Dan Rodan

## Educational Background:

BS Finance, Virginia Tech, 2003

# Business Experience:

- Portfolio Manager, Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc. 2018 date
- Portfolio Manager, Valley Forge Asset Management / Sterling Advisors 2004 -2018

Year of Birth: 1981

Disciplinary Information: None Other Business Activities: None Additional Compensation: None

## Supervision:

Dan Rodan's advisory activities are supervised by Christopher Gildea, Tower Bridge's Chief Compliance Officer. He reviews Mr. Rodan's work through office interactions as well as through the firm's compliance procedures and code of ethics. You can contact Mr. Gildea by phone, at 610.260.2200, or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:cgildea@towerbridgeadvisors.com">cgildea@towerbridgeadvisors.com</a>.

# Christopher Crooks, CFA, CFP®2

#### Educational Background:

- BS, Chem. Engineering, Drexel University, 1989
- MBA, Villanova University, 1994

#### Business Experience:

- Co-Chief Investment Officer, Tower Bridge Advisors Inc., 2023- date
- Senior Portfolio Manager, Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc. 2020 date
- Financial Advisor, Bank of America Corp., f/k/a Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, 2019-2020
- Senior Portfolio Manager, AlphaOne Capital Partners LLC, 2009-2019
- Portfolio Manager, Oppenheimer Funds, 2003-2009

Year of Birth: 1966

Disciplinary Information: None Other Business Activities: None Additional Compensation: None

Supervision:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Please see page 5 below for an explanation of the CFP designation.

Christopher Crooks's advisory activities are supervised by Christopher Gildea, Tower Bridge's Chief Compliance Officer. He reviews Mr. Crooks's work through office interactions as well as through the firm's compliance procedures and code of ethics. You can contact Mr. Gildea by phone, at 610.260.2200, or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:cgildea@towerbridgeadvisors.com">cgildea@towerbridgeadvisors.com</a>.

#### Mike Adams

## Educational Background:

- BS Finance, LaSalle University, 1982
- MBA, LaSalle University, 1988

## Business Experience:

- Senior Portfolio Manager, Tower Bridge Advisors, Inc. 2020 date
- Senior Vice President, BB&T Securities, LLC, 2016-2020
- Portfolio Manager, Sterling Advisors f/k/a Stratton Management Company, 1998-2016

Year of Birth: 1956

Disciplinary Information: None Other Business Activities: None Additional Compensation: None

#### Supervision:

Mike Adams' advisory activities are supervised by Christopher Gildea, Tower Bridge's Chief Compliance Officer. He reviews Mr. Adams' work through office interactions as well as through the firm's compliance procedures and code of ethics. You can contact Mr. Gildea by phone, at 610.260.2200, or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:cgildea@towerbridgeadvisors.com">cgildea@towerbridgeadvisors.com</a>.

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