



**EASTERN SHORE**  
CAPITAL MANAGEMENT  
A Division of Moody Aldrich Partners

# Smid Cap Equity

## Fourth Quarter 2020

FACT SHEET



### Strategy Highlights

**Style:** U.S. Smid Cap

**Holdings range:** 60-90

**Strategy Assets\*:** \$23 million

**Inception Date:** December 31, 2012

### Objective:

Outperform the Russell 2500 Index over a complete market cycle with lower overall risk.

### Philosophy:

- High-quality companies tend to outperform the market.
- Positive change can be as profitable as persistent excellence.

**Approach:** Fundamental, Bottom-up

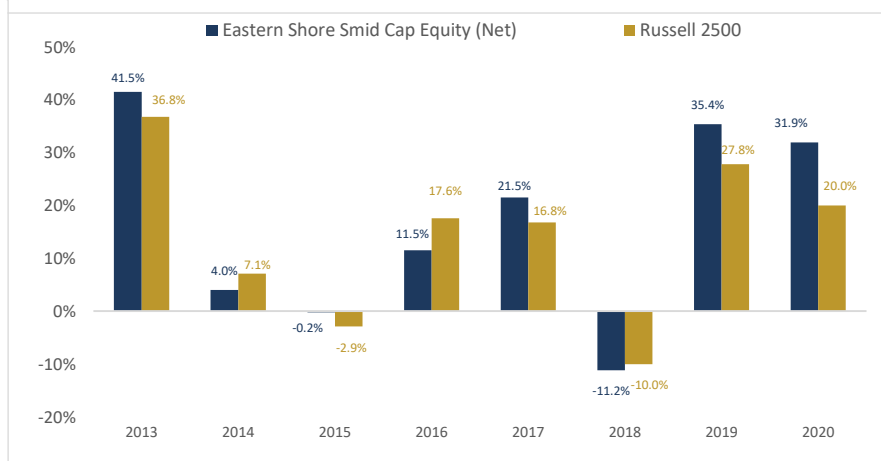
### Firm Overview:

- An investment boutique specializing in long-only U.S. Small and Smid cap equities.
- Privately owned, 73.6% by active partners.
- A division of Moody Aldrich Partners, an SEC registered investment advisor formed in 1988.

### Performance Statistics as of 12/31/2020\*\*

	3 Years	5 Years	Since Inception <sup>†</sup>
Alpha (Annualized)	6.7	4.6	3.7
Beta	0.9	0.9	0.9
Upside Capture	98.9	98.1	102.4
Downside Capture	84.9	84.8	89.7
Batting Average	0.7	0.6	0.6
Sharpe Ratio	0.7	0.9	0.9
Information Ratio	0.9	0.7	0.6

### Calendar Year Returns\*\*



### Portfolio Characteristics\*

	Smid Cap Equity	Russell 2500
Wtd. Average Market Cap	\$10,012.6M	\$6,767.0M
5-Year Earnings Growth Est.	10.4%	8.7%
Dividend Yield (LTM)	0.7%	1.3%
Price/Earnings (FY1)	28.6x	24.9x
Price/Book	4.1x	2.7x
Standard Deviation (SI) <sup>†</sup>	17.1%	17.7%
Sharpe Ratio (SI) <sup>†</sup>	0.9	0.7
Active Share	90.2%	--
# of Holdings	97	2,547

### Performance Summary (thru 12/31/20)\*\*

	ESCM Smid Cap Equity	ESCM Smid Cap Equity	Russell 2500	Strategy Excess Return	Strategy Excess Return
	GROSS (%)	NET (%)	(%)	GROSS (%)	NET (%)
<b>4Q 2020</b>	25.6	25.5	27.4	-1.8	-2.0
<b>1 Year</b>	32.8	31.9	20.0	12.8	11.9
<b>3 Year</b>	17.5	16.6	11.3	6.1	5.3
<b>5 Year</b>	17.4	16.5	13.6	3.7	2.9
<b>Since Inception (12/31/2012)</b>	16.3	15.4	13.2	3.1	2.3

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<sup>†</sup>Inception date is 12/31/12.



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### PORTFOLIO MANAGERS



**Robert Barringer, CFA**

- Chief Investment Officer, Partner, Founder of Eastern Shore
- Creator of the Eastern Shore's investment process while at a prior firm. In 2012, founded Eastern Shore and brought his track record.
- Over 30 years of investment experience
- Wesleyan University
- Harvard Business School



**James O'Brien, CFA**

- Partner, Founder of Eastern Shore
- Over 25 years of investment experience
- Bentley University, Masters Certificate in Accountancy and a B.S. Degree in Economics and Finance



**Sarah Westwood, CFA, CMT**

- Partner
- Over 20 years of investment experience
- Veteran, Operation Iraqi Freedom
- Wellesley College

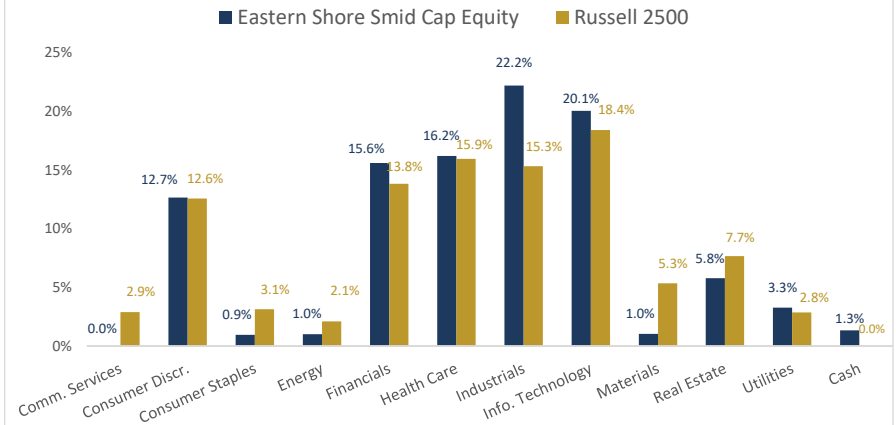
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### Sector Weights as of 12/31/2020\*\*



### Top Ten Holdings\*\*

Name	Symbol	Weight (%)
Stifel Financial Corp.	SF	2.8
SVB Financial Group	SIVB	1.8
Altra Industrial Motion Corp.	AIMC	1.7
Bio-Techne Corporation	TECH	1.7
Independent Bank Corp.	INDB	1.7
Western Alliance Bancorp	WAL	1.6
Essent Group Ltd.	ESNT	1.6
frontdoor, Inc.	FTDR	1.6
Marriott Vacations Worldwide Corporation	VAC	1.6
Focus Financial Partners, Inc. Class A	FOCS	1.6
<b>Percentage of Total Portfolio</b>		<b>17.6</b>

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