

ACROPOLIS NAMED TO 2016 *FINANCIAL TIMES* 300 TOP REGISTERED INVESTMENT ADVISERS

ST. LOUIS, MO, June 16, 2016 – Acropolis Investment Management is pleased to announce it has been [named to the *Financial Times* 300 Top Registered Investment Advisers \(RIAs\)](#), as of June 16, 2016. The list recognizes top independent RIA firms from across the U.S.

This is the third annual *FT* 300 list, produced independently by the Financial Times Ltd. in collaboration with Ignites Research, a subsidiary of the *FT* that provides business intelligence on the investment management industry.

RIAs are held to a fiduciary standard of care laid out in the US Investment Advisers Act of 1940, requiring investment advisors to act in the best interest of clients with the intent to eliminate all potential conflicts of interest.

More than 1,500 pre-screened RIA firms were invited to apply for consideration, based on their assets under management (AUM). Applicants that applied were then graded on six criteria: AUM; AUM growth rate; years in existence; advanced industry credentials of the firm's advisors; online accessibility; and compliance records. Neither the RIA firms nor their employees pay a fee to the *Financial Times* in exchange for inclusion in the *FT* 300.

The "average" *FT* 300 firm has been in existence for 22 years and manages \$2.6 billion in assets. The 300 top RIAs hail from 34 states and Washington, D.C.

Dave Ott, Acropolis Partner & Chief Investment Officer, noted, "Acropolis is proud to be included on the *FT* 300. Joining the illustrious company of other true fiduciaries, we are pleased to be recognized with other top firms who have always ascribed to the highest standards and who have successfully guided their clients' investments by doing so."

The *FT* 300 is one in a series of rankings of top advisers the *FT* produces in partnership with Ignites Research, including the *FT* 401 (D.C. retirement plan advisers) and the *FT* 400 (financial advisers from traditional broker-dealer firms).

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