

Monday 5 March 2018

Panel

8:45 **Active or passive investing for long-term alpha?**

Duncan Artus argues for active investing regardless of the market cycle. Gareth Stobie counters with the merits of passives in portfolio construction. Let the battle begin!

Allan Gray CoreShares
Duncan Artus Gareth Stobie
Panel chaired by: John Kinsley

Presentation

9:20 **Investing in a world obsessed with today**

Looking beyond short-term uncertainty by diversifying and avoiding the herd... simple but not as easy as it sounds.

Investec
Clyde Rossouw

Presentation

9:55 **Progress rarely comes as a result of being passive**

Equity Portfolio Manager Johny Lambridis asks if passive investing is the answer to South African advisers' and their clients' needs, and can you afford to be passive?

Prudential
Johny Lambridis

Panel 1

10:30 **Hanging in the balance**

SA Balanced funds have generally underperformed their targets over the last 2 years. How likely are these funds to achieve inflation +5% over the next 2 years and what are their drivers?

Absa Nedgroup PSG
Kurt Benn Omri Thomas Paul Bosman
Panel chaired by: Joanne Baynham

Panel 2

SA Inc: Risk-on?

In spite of the recent rally, SA Inc. remains in trouble. Our panel of equity portfolio managers debate whether a buying opportunity still exists or if it's risk-off for SA Inc. Watch as they uncover the opportunities and risks in some of their SA stock picks.

Coronation Old Mutual Rezco
Quinton Ivan Peter Linley Rob Spanjaard
Panel chaired by: Andries Kotzee

Breakaway 1

11:15 **Compete, Innovate, Disrupt! #fakenews or #newtruth?**

Coronation
Pieter Koekemoer
Peter Kempen

Breakaway 2

What does Trumponomics mean for investors?

Old Mutual
Justin Wells
Siboniso Nxumalo

Breakaway 3

What really happens to markets when QE ends?

Rezco
Rob Spanjaard
Simon Sylvester

Breakaway 4

Value investing is dying. What happens next?

Schroders
Kevin Murphy

Breakaway 5

Buy good companies, don't overpay, do nothing

Fundsmith
Mark Laurence

11:50 **Lunch**

Panel

12:35 **Where is the value?**

Our panel of global fund managers debate the value of their rather different investment approaches and discuss the merits of how they are deploying capital at the moment.

- Themes, styles or valuation: what should drive tactical asset allocation decisions?
- Are macro or micro factors more important?
- Can global allocators outperform specialists with a narrower focus?
- Views on equities, real estate, bonds, alternatives and risk management strategies.

Coronation BlackRock Fundsmith
Neil Padoa Charlotte Solomon Mark Laurence
Panel chaired by: Robin Johnson

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13:20 **Ignore the noise... the JSE is deaf**

The Ramaphosa-rally has changed sentiment but will it translate into sustainable economic growth and business confidence? Building your portfolio in reaction to news flows can be expensive. Our panel debates whether:

- Lower rates will spark growth
- SA GDP growth matters to equity valuations
- FDI drives valuations, not fundamentals
- The party starts when corporates stop hoarding cash
- The rand hardly impacts corporate profits

Prudential **PSG** **STANLIB**
Johnny Lambridis Shaun le Roux Herman van Velze
Panel chaired by: Ian Jones

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15:25 **Cocktails**

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Panel

8:45 **Our best ideas!**

Some of SA's best managers look across all asset classes to identify their single best idea to generate alpha in a multi-asset portfolio.

Allan Gray **Nedgroup** **Rezco**
Andrew Lapping Iain Power Rob Spanjaard
Panel chaired by: Ian Jones

Presentation

9:40 **Building resilient portfolios - the 2018 edition**

When fund managers talk to their clients, the focus is often only on the opportunities most likely to add alpha. However, managing uncertainty by constructing portfolios that do well under different scenarios is as, if not more, important. Find out how we balance the pursuit of opportunities and the management of risk in the current environment.

Coronation
Neville Chester

Presentation

10:10 **Why incentives and the truth matter in investing**

Allan Gray
Andrew Lapping

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13:30 **Show me the alpha!**

Global equity managers need to deliver alpha to their customers but are coming off an enormous rally while facing unprecedented political risks, the rise of passives and digitalization. Our global panel gives insight into how they plan to deliver alpha.

- Is there any value left out there?
- What does contrarian mean today?
- Can deep value mitigate risk?
- Where is the next bubble?
- Is a bear market overdue?
- Can you hedge to safety?

Investec **Orbis** **Schroders**
 Clyde Rossouw Simon Skinner Kevin Murphy

Panel chaired by: Rory Maguire

14:10 **Lunch**

