



MicroVest Capital Management selected for the ImpactAssets 50 for sixth consecutive time

Bethesda, February 15, 2017 – MicroVest has been selected for the [ImpactAssets 50](#) (IA 50) for the sixth consecutive year. IA 50 is a free, publically available online resource for impact investors and their advisors. The IA 50 is a database of private debt and equity impact investment fund managers that deliver social and environmental impact as well as financial returns.

“We are very grateful to be selected for ImpactAssets 50 for the sixth consecutive time. The database is a great resource for clients and advisors alike and we feel fortunate to be among such a select group of investment managers,” says Gil Crawford, CEO of MicroVest Capital Management, LLC.

MicroVest invests in financial partners that understand that a sustainable way to provide broad access to financial services is with a commercial approach. The company aims to provide its investors with risk-adjusted returns and to ensure a steady flow of capital to microfinance and SME banks around the globe with the ultimate goal to foster economic development for the productive poor.

This year's showcase, which includes funds based in the United States, Africa, Europe and Latin America, highlights the increasingly diverse opportunities for investors to help create social value across the globe. Fund managers represent a breadth of asset classes, ranging from real assets like farmland and clean tech, through private thematic debt and community development finance institution (CDFI) financing, to private early and growth stage equity in US and emerging markets.

The IA 50 Review Committee is chaired by Jed Emerson, Chief Impact Strategist of ImpactAssets. Jennifer Kenning, CEO and Co-Founder of Align Impact served as the Committee's Senior Investment Advisor. Members include, Karl "Charly" Kleissner, Co-Founder of Toniic and KL Felicitas Foundation; Kathy Leonard, Senior Vice President, Investments and Senior Portfolio Manager for UBS; Deval Patrick, Managing Director of Bain Capital; Liesel Pritzker Simmons and Ian Simmons; Co-Founders of Blue Haven Initiative; Fran Seegull, Executive Director, U.S. Impact Investing Alliance of Ford Foundation and Matthew Weatherley-White, Managing Director of The CAPROCK Group.

“The IA 50 was designed to help convert interest into action by showcasing funds with expert management and solid track records,” said Matthew Weatherly White, Managing Director, The CAPROCK Group. “Investors who have been watching from the sidelines and waiting for the field to mature will find no shortage of opportunities.”

“The depth, breadth and caliber of this year's IA 50 applicants are testimony to the increased demand by investors for high-impact solutions,” said Jennifer Kenning, CEO and Co-Founder, Align Impact.



About MicroVest Capital Management, LLC

[MicroVest](#) is an asset management firm that offers global investment opportunities across its family of funds. The company invests capital in under-banked markets, providing access to a growing portfolio of sustainable financial institutions. MicroVest's emphasis on detailed due diligence process and focus on aligning values can result in meaningful financial returns for its investors. Since 2003 MicroVest has demonstrated that investing in its funds can be both profitable and purposeful. As of December 2016, MicroVest managed \$411 million across all its funds.

About ImpactAssets

ImpactAssets is a nonprofit financial services firm that increases the flow of capital into investments that deliver financial, social, and environmental returns. ImpactAssets' donor advised fund (The Giving Fund), Impact Investment Notes, and field building initiatives enable philanthropists, other asset owners, and their wealth advisors to advance social or environmental change through investment.

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