

Media release

Swiss Structured Products Association (SSPA): **CAT Financial Products AG joins the SSPA**

The Swiss Structured Products Association welcomes new member CAT Financial Products AG to its ranks. As a new member, this Swiss provider of investment solutions strengthens the association's base in the market for structured products. The SSPA now has a total of 40 members – from buy-side to markets and partners.

Zurich, 19 March 2019. Established in 2008 and headquartered in Zurich and Bern, CAT Financial Products AG offers investment solutions in the realm of structured products to professional asset managers, banks and institutional investors. The 16-strong team of specialists focuses on best execution and offers a proprietary reporting and life cycle management platform. As an active member of the VQF Financial Services Standards Association, the company reports to the industry organisation and complies with the code of conduct and ethics for independent asset managers.

Commenting on its SSPA membership, CEO and founder of CAT Financial Products AG Giuliano Glocker says: "We look forward to working with the members of the association to help shape the structured products industry. Our goal as an independent provider is to create the best investment products and services for our clients and their investors through bespoke investment solutions and innovative technologies, and to drive the industry as a whole forward."

Active industry association with 40 members

The SSPA represents the interests of the key market participants, which together account for more than 95 percent of the market volume for structured products in Switzerland. SSPA President Georg von Wattenwyl: "We are delighted to welcome CAT Financial Products AG as our 40th member and thereby add another broker to our expanding partner base. We are growing steadily and have already welcomed four new members to the association since the New Year, a factor that enables us to represent our industry even more comprehensively."

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About structured products

Structured products are publicly issued investment instruments; their redemption value is derived from the trend of one or more underlying securities. These underlying securities may be equities, interest rates, foreign currencies or commodities such as gold or crude oil.

About the Association

The Swiss Structured Products Association (SSPA) is the first point of contact for all matters concerning structured products. It represents the joint interests of the main market participants which together cover more than 95 per cent of the market volume of structured products in Switzerland. The Association's registered office is in Zurich. Further information at www.svsp-verband.ch.