# Emerging Markets Debt Hard Currency Short Duration Strategy

#### **Investment Overview**

- A short duration, credit focused approach to hard currency (external) emerging markets debt
- Investment team of 40+ professionals focus on country-level analysis in conjunction with associated risk factors
- Investment universe of greater than 100 countries
- Country-pickers approach with focus on external, sovereign exposure
- Target excess return: 200-300 basis points
- Tracking error range: 200-500 basis points
- Information ratio target: 0.4-1.3

#### Portfolio Construction

- Bottom-up portfolio construction by country and risk factor in conjunction with top-down risk measurement.
- Individual positions assessed through analysis of country fundamentals, risk factor valuation, portfolio fit, and expected liquidity.

## **Investment Team**

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### Benchmark

• J.P. Morgan Emerging Market Bond Index Global Diversified





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