



WebberFox

A recruitment consultancy for Mathematicians

## Systematic Credit Trading - Portfolio Manager





### The Mandate:

- Webber Fox were approached by a multi-billion Hedge fund to search for a head their London systematic credit trading business. This would be to manage a significant book in London with the support of the existing team in New York.
- The business was in the process of shifting their fundamental PM's approach toward a more systematic investment model. As such they and required high calibre individuals with a strong understanding of Credit products and how to utilise systematic techniques throughout the investment process.

### The Search:

- The search focused on individuals with experience managing large risk, and be able to develop trading strategies to generate alpha.
- Target companies included direct competitors, Asset Management as well as a handful of leading Investment Banks.
- Utilising our network of contacts, we sourced a set of well-regarded individuals in the market from the London based population.
- Each candidate was provided with relevant preparation material ensuring they were aware of what to expect, who they are meeting and what the goal was.



**The Outcome:**

- Ultimately we placed two people into the London team, a lead PM and a supporting quant.
- Once the hands off period was over the team started and blended well with the existing New York team.

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