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## Mori Eastern European Fund awarded by

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We are pleased to announce that Mori Eastern European Fund was awarded "2<sup>nd</sup> Place over 20-Years" by €uro in 2019 for its long-term outstanding performance. Mori Eastern European Fund returned net 821%\* in euro terms since inception to January 31, 2019. The widely used MSCI Emerging Europe 10/40 Total Return Index was up 408%\*\* in euro terms during the same period.

Mori Eastern European Fund (originally named Griffin Eastern European Fund) was launched on October 7, 1998 by Jürgen Kirsch and it is one of the longest running funds investing in Eastern/Emerging European equities. Aziz Unan, the portfolio manager of Mori Ottoman Fund since



its inception, co-managed the Mori Eastern European Fund with Jürgen in the mid-2000s before resuming the sole responsibility since the beginning of 2015.

On the award, Aziz Unan said: "The year 2018 marked two-decades of investing in Eastern/Emerging Europe. Although the last few years have been volatile and challenging due to geopolitics that overshadowed the region's strong macroeconomic and company fundamentals, the markets realize the value sooner or later. We are pleased to remain among the top performing UCITS equity funds in Eastern/Emerging Europe over the last two decades and we thank our investors for their continued trust in our investment style and strategy."

Mori Umbrella Fund Plc, which consists of Mori Eastern European Fund and Mori Ottoman Fund, was launched in 1998 as Griffin Umbrella Fund Plc. Both funds employ bottom-up stock picking style utilising a proprietary quantitative and a qualitative methodology that covers some 220 companies in the region.

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\* EUR A-Share Class (ISIN: IE0002787442, Bloomberg code: GRIEEUI ID)

\*\*Source: Bloomberg as of January 31, 2019

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