The Fund Governance Boardroom Panel

INDEPENDENT DIRECTORIAL SERVICES

INDEPENDENCE

EXPERIENCE

INTEGRITY

The Fund Governance Boardroom Panel is a professional services firm of Independent Certified Investment Fund Directors.

PROFILES

JOHN OPPERMANN, FCCA, MBA, CIFD



John is resident in Ireland and has been involved in the financial services sector for over 25 years in London and Dublin. He is a Founder of The Fund Governance Boardroom Panel, a firm which specialises in Collective Investment Governance. John is available to act as an independent director to Alternative Investment Funds (AIF's), Traditional Investment Funds, Management Companies (e.g. AIFMs, MANCos) and Special Purpose Vehicles (SPVs) in all the recognised Fund jurisdictions. He is a Fellow of the Chartered Association of Certified Accountants and holds an MBA from the Michael Smurfit Graduate School of Business. John has received the accreditation of Certified Investment Fund Director from the Institute of Banking

School of Professional Finance. This specialist programme was developed to address Investment Fund governance in the context of the distinctive characteristics of Investment Funds, incorporating their key risk aspects and oversight.

John is approved by the Central Bank of Ireland to act as a Director under the fitness and probity standards. He has extensive experience in the funds industry with investment funds domiciled in various jurisdictions, across a variety of asset classes and investment strategies.

John's focus on a limited number of client relationships ensures that he can devote appropriate and adequate time to undertake the role of independent director and have the capacity to fully address in a timely manner any issues that may arise.

Prior to founding The Fund Governance Boardroom Panel in 2014, John established JPO Corporate Services to provide corporate services to entities establishing operations in Ireland and acted as a consultant within the hedge fund industry. John held the position of General Manager of Olympia Capital Ireland from 2004 – 2008. Olympia specialised in providing a full range of administration services to the alternative asset industry. John held senior roles with RMB International (part of the First Rand Group) and International Fund Services (IFS) from 2001-2004. He established Capita's Registrar operation in Ireland after they purchased the share registration business of PwC and was Country Manager from 1998 to 2001. He was a member of the senior management team at Mellon Fund Administration (Ireland) from 1995 to 1998. John held a number of senior financial and operational positions in the investment management, pensions and financial services divisions with The Prudential Corporation in London from 1987 to 1995.