

Kansas

Hedge Funds Deliver for Kansas Retirees, Students, Nonprofits, and Small and Mid-Size Businesses. Across the Sunflower State, hedge funds deliver for retirement security, college education, and the important work done by nonprofits and charities through \$4.19 Billion in investments. Institutional investors – like pensions, university endowments, and nonprofits – use hedge funds to meet financial obligations, diversify their investment portfolios, and manage risk.

Total hedge fund investments:

\$4.19 BILLION

Deliver for pensions: \$1.42 Billion

Deliver for colleges & universities: \$970 Million

Deliver for nonprofits: \$1.80 Billion

+ \$1.79 Billion in private credit provided by private funds to businesses of all sizes



Retirement Plans

Deliver for pensions: **\$1.42 Billion**

At Least 4

retirement plans invest in hedge funds including:

Boilermaker-Blacksmith National Pension Trust

\$602 Million for 84,209 plan participants

Sprint Nextel Pension Fund

\$90 Million for 26,418 plan participants

American Century Retirement Plan

\$23 Million for 2,235 plan participants



Colleges & Universities

Deliver for colleges: \$970 Million

At Least 8

colleges and universities invest in hedge funds including:

Kansas University Endowment Association

\$692 Million for 29,355 students

Kansas State University Foundation \$179 Million for

19,745 students

Wichita State University Foundation

\$44 Million for 17,548 students



Foundations & Nonprofits

Deliver for nonprofits:

\$1.80 Billion

At Least 4

foundations and nonprofits invest in hedge funds including:

Kansas Health Foundation

\$40 Million

Greater Kansas City Community Foundation

\$21 Million

United Methodist Health Ministry Fund \$14 Million

7 Hedge Funds are based in the Sunflower State.

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