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The Gehrt/Yaakovian Group is a Wimington, Delaware based wealth advisory group providing customized advice to individuals, families, and institutions both locally and around the country. Our mission is to become our clients trusted personal Chief Financial Officer, helping to guide them through all of their important financial decisions. Our team of experienced professionals aim to deliver superior family office services, customized wealth advisory services, and thoughtful portfolio management

Wealth is almost always accompanied by complexity, and in today's financial environment, that complexity is intensified. By working with The Gehrt/Yaakovian Group, you gain the support of a valuable ally who can help you formulate and implement strategies to surmount even your most complex financial challenges. In addition to traditional and non-traditional asset management, we provide comprehensive financial planning, including a personalized wealth advisory, retirement planning, education planning, estate and intergenerational planning strategies, tax strategies, family meetings, and many other services. Throughout our relationship, we will strive to provide you with a higher standard of service based on a thorough understanding of your personal needs, objectives and unique circumstances. We are confident we can help you achieve your financial aspirations with our depth of financial knowledge, and disciplined planning process, strict portfolio detailed management discipline, thorough understanding of retirement and estate issues, exemplary service, and an unquestionable integrity.

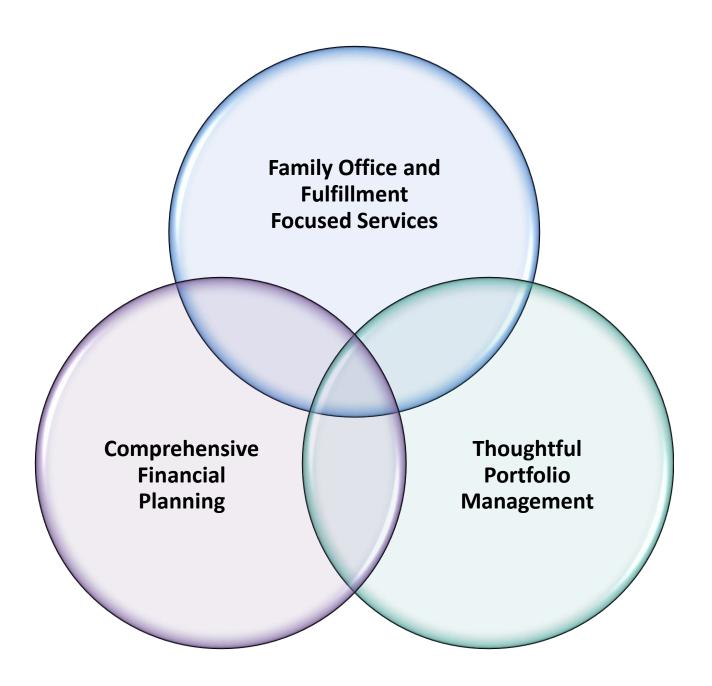
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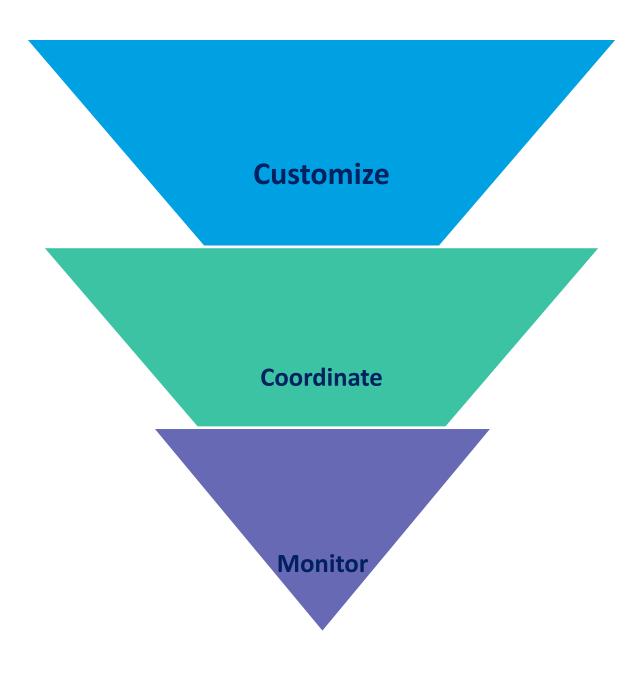
#### **Our Comprehensive Wealth Advisory Platform**

We are here to help guide you through every phase of of your life. We believe your long-term dreams and your day-to-day fulfillment are equally important. Our diversely talented team looks for ways to go above and beyond in managing your financial life, freeing you to focus on what really matters. We listen carefully to fully grasp your current needs and your future aspirations, and offer a full spectrum of financial strategy services with a holistic approach. Over time, we develop a deep relationship with you, understand your goals, create a plan unique to your circumstances, and help guide you to personal fulfillment.



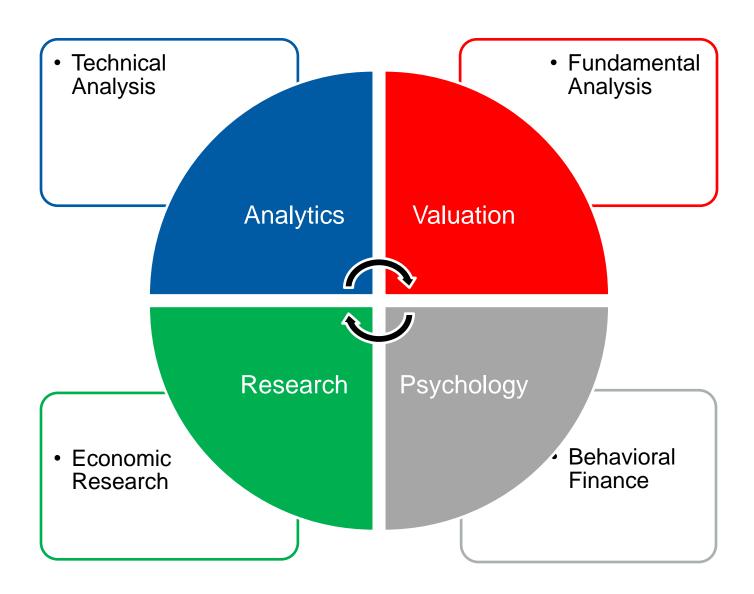
#### **Our Process**

Our goal is to meaningfully, and empathetically, understand each client's situation, needs, and goals by carefully listening, asking smart questions, and taking the time to develop a strong profile. We then conduct analysis and apply financial acumen, experience, and leadership to design a customized wealth management strategy. The strategy will clearly address how to be the best stewards of their resources. Upon implementation of the plan, we monitor and adjust things as needs, situations, and market environments change.



#### **Our Investment Approach**

Our investment approach is research driven, and based off of our proprietary analytics and market intelligence. We employ a disciplined global macro perspective in our investment selection process, and believe that we can exploit price dislocations on a cross asset basis. We do not constrain ourselves to any geographic area, capitalization, or specific market. As such, our investment universe is robust. We deploy cash tactically when our work suggests the risk/return profile is clearly skewed in our favor.



#### **Risk Mitigation Strategies**

At The Gehrt/Yaakovian Group, we believe preserving wealth in challenging markets is just as important as creating wealth in advancing cycles. We don't think that investors should have to sacrifice a significant amount of return to reduce the downside risks in their portfolio. As such, we employ active and disciplined risk mitigation strategies in all of our portfolio offerings. We believe that our risk mitigation strategies can help clients combat volatility and portfolio drawdowns, which can potentially result in superior risk-adjusted returns over time.



#### **Your Personal Chief Financial Officer**

## **Financial Planning**

- Retirement planning
- Cash flow analysis
- Tax and estate planning strategies
- Education planning and funding
- Insurance analysis, risk management, and contingency planning strategies
- Trust Services
- Charitable gifting and philanthropic planning
- Intergenerational Wealth Transfer strategies

## Investment Management

- Asset allocation to maximize risk-adjusted returns
- Capital preservation and risk mitigation strategies
- Hedged portfolio strategies
- Tax efficiency
- Access to our proprietary investment strategies
- In-depth, proprietary macroeconomic and cross market analysis

# Family Office Services

- Private banking and other banking relationships
- Social Security optimization strategies
- Next generation financial education
- Family meeting facilitation
- Coordinate with your tax and legal advisors
- Consolidation and simplification services

## **Our First Priority Will Always Be You**

At The Gehrt/Yaakovian Group, our first priority will always be you, and your financial success. We understand the importance of clearly defined objectives, and goals based planning. We also understand that each client has unique needs and dreams, which is why we do our best to provide you with a comprehensive wealth management program that combines financial planning and thoughtful investment management. We believe it is our unique approach that differentiates us from others in the industry, and allows us to be of genuine worth to our clients. Throughout our relationship, we will strive to maintain your trust, and be the professionals that you can depend on to help you with all of your financial decisions. We hope to not only meet your expectations, but to consistently exceed them.

## The Gehrt/Yaakovian Group at Morgan Stanley

The highest Ethical and Professional Standard in Financial Stewardship

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