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Mr. Knutzen, managing director, is co-head of the Neuberger Berman Quantitative and Multi-Asset Class Investment team and the multi-asset class chief investment officer. He is responsible for leading the management of multi-asset portfolios, driving the asset allocation process on a firm-wide level, as well as engaging with clients on strategic partnerships and multi-asset class and quantitative solutions. Previously, Mr. Knutzen was with NEPC, LLC, where he served as chief investment officer (CIO). As CIO, he oversaw a group of more than 45 investment professionals, including dedicated research teams focused on alternative investments, traditional strategies and asset allocation for NEPC's client base with, collectively, more than \$800 billion in assets under advisement. Mr. Knutzen has over 30 years of experience in the financial services industry, including nine years at Putnam Investments. He holds an M.B.A. degree from Harvard Business School and a B.A. degree from Williams College. Mr. Knutzen has been awarded the chartered financial analyst designation as well as the chartered alternative investment analyst designation. He is an associate editor of the *Journal of Investing*, is on the Investment Committee of the Massachusetts Audubon Society, and is on the board of directors of the charity Start Small Think Big.