



Rice Hall James Small Cap Portfolio

as of December 31, 2011

Investment Strategies

The Small Cap Portfolio normally seeks to achieve its objective by investing at least 80% of its net assets in securities of companies with market capitalizations which, at the time of initial purchase, fall within the range of companies in the Russell 2000 Index at reconstitution each June. The adviser believes that there are greater pricing inefficiencies for small cap companies than larger capitalization securities.

The adviser uses a company specific approach to making investment decisions, which focuses on identifying stocks of growth companies that are selling at a discount to the companies' projected earnings growth rates.

The adviser looks for companies where fundamental changes are occurring that will lead to increases in revenue growth rates, expanding profit margins, and/or increases in earnings growth rates. The adviser typically invests in a company only when the adviser believes that such changes will lead to greater investor recognition and higher stock prices within a 12- to 24-month period.

Investment Objective

The Small Cap Portfolio seeks maximum capital appreciation, consistent with reasonable risk to principal, by investing primarily in small market capitalization companies.

Fund Facts

Fund Symbol	RHJMX
CUSIP	00758M196
Inception Date	November 1, 1996
Fiscal Year End	October
Gross Expense Ratio	1.51%

Sell Discipline

The Fund does not sell stocks simply because they are no longer within the capitalization range used for the initial purchase. However, it may sell stocks for the following reasons:

- The stock reaches the target price set by the adviser
- The stock falls below the downside price limit set by the adviser
- The fundamentals of the stock have deteriorated
- A more attractively valued alternative is available for purchase

Top Ten Holdings

Osi Systems, Inc.	3.3%
Mens Warehouse	3.0%
Allegiant Travel Co.	2.9%
Allscripts-Misys Health	2.7%
Rush Enterprises - Class A	2.7%
FEI Co.	2.5%
Hanger Orthopedic	2.5%
Middleby Corp.	2.4%
Cinemark Holdings, Inc.	2.4%
IPC The Hospitalist Co.	2.3%

Holdings are subject to change.

Sector Breakdown

Consumer Discretionary	17.5%
Consumer Staples	4.5%
Energy	5.8%
Financials	3.6%
Health Care	16.7%
Industrials	24.7%
Information Technology	27.2%

Key Portfolio Characteristics

Assets	\$131.9 million
Weighted Median Market Capitalization	\$1,551 million
Weighted Average Market Capitalization	\$1,620 million
Long Term Growth Forecast ¹	14.70%
Portfolio P/E (1-Year Forecast) ²	15.4x

¹ Long Term Growth Forecast

A measure of a company's expected long-term success in generating future year-over-year earnings growth. This growth rate is a market value weighted average of the consensus (mean) analysts' long-term earnings growth rate forecast for each company in the portfolio. It is generally limited to a 3-8 year range. Long Term Growth Forecast is not a forecast of the fund's future performance.

² P/E - 1 Year Forecast

A forward-looking valuation measure of a company's common stock. It encapsulates the amount of earnings estimated for next year per dollar of current share price. These earnings estimates are for recurring, non-extraordinary earnings per primary common share. For the fund, the individual P/E stock ratios are then weighted by their respective portfolio market values in order to calculate a weighted average representative of the portfolio as a whole. P/E - 1 Year Forecast is not a forecast of the fund's future performance.



About
Rice Hall James &
Associates

Rice Hall James & Associates, LLC [RHJ], established in 1974, is an independent, employee-owned, registered investment adviser specializing in Small Cap, Mid Cap, and Micro Cap equity portfolios. RHJ's recognized expertise in small and mid-capitalization stocks and strong commitment to client service has led to an expanding list of investors nationwide. As of December 31, 2011 the firm manages \$1.1 billion in assets for sophisticated individuals and institutional investors seeking superior long-term investment returns within a framework of disciplined risk control.

Performance: Net Returns - as of 12/31/2011

One Month	Three Months	Year To Date	One Year	Three Years *	Five Years *	Ten Years *
0.74%	11.04%	8.81%	8.81%	24.29%	4.91%	5.11%

* Annualized Return. Inception Date: November 1, 1996

The performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance does not guarantee future results. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost, and current performance may be higher or lower than the performance quoted. For performance data current to the most recent month end, please call 1.866.474.5669.

The Gross Expense Ratio is 1.51%.

Historical Net Performance

Calendar Year	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter	Annual
2011	14.69%	3.20%	-17.21%	11.04%	8.81%
2010	5.66%	-8.80%	8.43%	22.49%	27.99%
2009	-7.07%	25.20%	11.01%	6.73%	37.85%
2008	-10.16%	-4.00%	-5.01%	-25.47%	-38.94%
2007	1.89%	7.82%	-0.60%	-0.75%	8.38%
2006	8.46%	-3.87%	-0.68%	7.83%	11.66%
2005	-1.77%	1.60%	2.43%	0.74%	2.99%
2004	4.85%	-0.75%	-5.42%	10.65%	8.92%
2003	-6.14%	17.72%	6.16%	12.97%	32.51%
2002	3.69%	-9.61%	-17.95%	1.54%	-21.92%
2001	-3.55%	11.61%	-15.06%	16.09%	6.14%
2000	21.46%	1.80%	1.54%	6.42%	33.60%
1999	-14.66%	16.21%	-12.43%	12.07%	-2.67%
1998	12.58%	-1.46%	-14.58%	21.94%	15.56%
1997	-1.36%	10.40%	15.92%	-0.46%	25.67%

To determine if this Fund is an appropriate investment for you, carefully consider the Fund's investment objectives, risk factors, charges, and expenses before investing. This and other information can be found in the Fund's prospectus, which may be obtained by calling 1.866.474.5669. Read the prospectus carefully before investing or sending money.

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