

#### **Foundation Funds**

Quarterly Performance Summary June 30, 2025

### **Capital Markets Overview**

#### **U.S. Equity Market**

Stocks posted strong returns in the second quarter with domestic equities slightly underperforming their international peers. As concerns around tariffs receded, the S&P 500 Index gained 10.9%; during the same period, the Russell 2000 rose 8.5%. Over the quarter, growth stocks dramatically outperformed value, particularly in large cap where the Russell 1000 Growth returned 17.8% versus the Russell 1000 Value's 3.8%.

#### **International Equity Markets**

Overall, emerging markets posted a strong performance with the MSCI EM gaining 12.0% in the second quarter, bolstered by improving trade dynamics, strong performance in South Korea and Taiwan, and renewed appetite for risk. The MSCI EAFE returned 11.8%, buoyed by a weaker dollar, fiscal stimulus in Europe and rate cuts from the European Central Bank.

#### **Fixed Income Markets**

In fixed income, tariffs took center stage, spurring volatility as investors grappled with the trade policies of the new administration and the potential impact on markets and economies. As expected, the Federal Reserve held rates steady, while emphasizing its data-dependent approach to monetary policy and need for greater clarity around the impact on growth and inflation from tariffs before adjusting monetary policy. Softening rhetoric and extension of timelines around tariffs allowed for a gradual recovery in spreads in late April and May on the heels of weakness in early April. The rally in spreads continued into June, fueled by strong investor demand for credit and limited new issuance. The Bloomberg Aggregate Bond Index gained 1.2% in the second quarter; high-yield debt posted modest gains, with the ICE BofA BB-B US High Yield Index gaining 3.5% in the second quarter.



### **Performance Overview**

Foundation Preference Funds						
	3 Mo	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	
Domestic Equity Fund	10.04%	14.73%	17.06%	15.37%	11.96%	
Domestic Equity Index	10.04%	14.87%	17.16%	15.15%	11.97%	
International Equity Fund	11.79%	15.34%	12.09%	8.29%	5.44%	
Int'l Equity Fund Index	12.40%	17.85%	13.51%	9.58%	5.91%	
Core Bond Fund	1.33%	6.66%	3.36%	0.09%	2.29%	
Core Bond Fund Index	1.21%	6.08%	2.55%	-0.73%	1.69%	
High Yield Bond Fund	2.86%	8.66%	9.13%	6.17%	4.87%	
High Yield Bond Fund Index	2.90%	8.30%	9.42%	6.22%	5.08%	
Money Market Fund	1.05%	4.62%	4.36%	2.60%	1.75%	
FTSE T-Bill 3 Months	1.09%	4.88%	4.75%	2.88%	2.01%	

Foundation Standard Funds						
	3 Mo	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	Inception	Since
Standard-Fixed Income	1.62%	7.02%	4.46%	1.27%	4.07%	Jan-97
Standard-Fixed Income Policy	1.55%	6.53%	3.91%	0.65%	4.63%	Jan-97
Standard-Conservative Balanced	3.83%	9.10%	7.06%	4.14%	5.23%	Dec-01
Standard-Conservative Balanced Policy	3.85%	8.93%	6.89%	3.75%	5.20%	Dec-01
Standard-Moderate Balanced	6.06%	11.09%	9.68%	6.92%	6.06%	Jan-97
Standard-Moderate Balanced Policy	6.17%	11.33%	9.86%	6.84%	6.63%	Jan-97
Standard-Aggressive Balanced	8.36%	13.08%	12.34%	9.73%	6.84%	Dec-01
Standard-Aggressive Balanced Policy	8.52%	13.72%	12.84%	9.93%	7.10%	Dec-01
Standard-Equity	10.67%	15.08%	15.01%	12.42%	7.31%	Jan-97
Standard-Equity Policy	10.89%	16.10%	15.81%	13.00%	7.95%	Jan-97



## **Preference Fund: Domestic Equity**

Performance Summary					
	Q2	3 Yr	5 Yr	Since Inception	
Domestic Equity Fund	10.04%	17.06%	15.37%	8.00%	
Domestic Equity Index	10.04%	17.16%	15.15%	7.88%	

Fund Composition					
Manager	Investment Style	Position in Fund	Q2 Manager Return	Q2 Benchmark Return	
BlackRock	Large Cap Core	78.2%	11.1%	11.1%	
Peregrine	Small Cap Growth	4.0%	11.2%	12.0%	
Segall Bryant Hamill	Small Cap Value	3.8%	5.8%	5.0%	
Rhumbline	Large Cap Equal Weighted	14.0%	5.5%	5.5%	
Cash	n/a	0.0%			



# **Preference Fund: International Equity**

Performance Summary					
	Q2	3 Yr	5 Yr	Since Inception	
International Equity Fund	11.79%	12.09%	8.29%	4.89%	
Int'l Equity Fund Index	12.40%	13.51%	9.58%	4.87%	

Fund Composition					
Manager	Investment Style	Position in Fund	Q2 Manager Return	Q2 Benchmark Return	
BlackRock	MSCI World ex US	57.5%	12.0%	12.0%	
MFS	EAFE	3.8%	10.9%	11.8%	
Global Alpha	EAFE Small Cap	8.2%	15.1%	12.0%	
aberdeen	Emerging Markets	7.8%	11.4%	12.0%	
Invesco	<b>Emerging Markets</b>	7.4%	7.2%	16.6%	
BlackRock	Emerging Markets	15.2%	11.8%	12.0%	
Cash	n/a	0.0%			

<sup>\*</sup> Effective 1/31/2025, the International Equity custom benchmark is 56.5% MSCI World x US net / 5.5% MSCI EAFE / 8% MSCI EAFE Small Cap / 30% MSCI Emerging Markets



### **Preference Fund: Core Bond**

Performance Summary				
	Q2	3 Yr	5 Yr	Since Inception
Core Bond Fund	1.33%	3.36%	0.09%	4.06%
Core Bond Fund Index	1.21%	2.55%	-0.73%	3.88%

Fund Composition					
Manager	Investment Style	Position in Fund	Q2 Manager Return	Q2 Benchmark Return	
JP Morgan Core	Core Bond	49.7%	1.4%	1.2%	
PGIM Core	Core Bond	50.3%	1.3%	1.2%	
Cash	n/a	0.0%			



### **Preference Fund: High Yield Bond**

Performance Summary					
	Q2	3 Yr	5 Yr	Since Inception	
High Yield Bond Fund	2.86%	9.13%	6.17%	6.29%	
High Yield Bond Fund Index	2.90%	9.42%	6.22%	6.44%	

Fund Composition					
Manager	Investment Style	Position in Fund	Q2 Manager Return	Q2 Benchmark Return	
Credit Suisse	Leveraged Loan	49.3%	2.1%	2.3%	
Loomis Sayles	High Yield Bond	50.4%	3.6%	3.5%	
Cash	n/a	0.3%			

<sup>\*</sup> The current High Yield custom benchmark is 50% BofA ML US HY BB-B Constrained / 50% Credit Suisse Leveraged Loans



### **Standard Funds**

#### **Fixed Income Standard Fund**

Performance Summary				
	Q2	3 Yr	5 Yr	Since Inception
Standard-Fixed Income	1.62%	4.46%	1.27%	4.07%
Standard-Fixed Income Policy	1.55%	3.91%	0.65%	4.63%

Composition					
	Actual	Target			
Core Bond Pref. Fund	78.9%	80.0%			
High Yield Bond Pref. Fund	19.8%	20.0%			
Cash	1.3%	0.0%			

### **Conservative Balanced Standard Fund**

Performance Summary					
Q2 3 Yr 5 Yr					
Standard-Conservative Balanced	3.83%	7.06%	4.14%	5.23%	
Standard-Conservative Balanced Policy	3.85%	6.89%	3.75%	5.20%	

Composition					
	Actual	Target			
Domestic Equity Pref. Fund	17.4%	16.3%			
International Pref. Fund	9.0%	8.8%			
Core Bond Pref. Fund	58.2%	60.0%			
High Yield Bond Pref. Fund	14.8%	15.0%			
Cash	0.6%	0.0%			

### **Moderate Balanced Standard Fund**

Performance Summary					
	Since Inception				
Standard-Moderate Balanced	6.06%	9.68%	6.92%	6.06%	
Standard-Moderate Balanced Policy	6.17%	9.86%	6.84%	6.63%	

Composition		
	Actual	Target
Domestic Equity Pref. Fund	34.1%	32.5%
International Pref. Fund	17.8%	17.5%
Core Bond Pref. Fund	37.9%	40.0%
High Yield Bond Pref. Fund	9.6%	10.0%
Cash	0.6%	0.0%



# **Standard Funds (continued)**

### **Aggressive Balanced Standard Fund**

Performance Summary					
	Q2	3 Yr	5 Yr	Since Inception	
Standard-Aggressive Balanced	8.36%	12.34%	9.73%	6.84%	
Standard-Aggressive Balanced Policy	8.52%	12.84%	9.93%	7.10%	

Compositio	on	
	Actual	Target
Domestic Equity Pref. Fund	50.0%	48.8%
International Pref. Fund	26.2%	26.3%
Core Bond Pref. Fund	18.5%	20.0%
High Yield Bond Pref. Fund	4.7%	5.0%
Cash	0.7%	0.0%

### **Equity Standard Fund**

Performance Summary				
	Q2	3 Yr	5 Yr	Since Inception
Standard-Equity	10.67%	15.01%	12.42%	7.31%
Standard-Equity Policy	10.89%	15.81%	13.00%	7.95%

Composition			
	Actual	Target	
Domestic Equity Pref. Fund	65.0%	65.0%	
International Pref. Fund	33.9%	35.0%	
Cash	1.1%	0.0%	



#### **Notes**

Domestic Equity Fund Benchmark: Since Inception through 12/31/2015: Wilshire 5000; 90% Russell 1000/10% Russell 2000 until 1/31/17, 65% Russell 1000/20% S&P Equal Weighted/10% Russell 2000/5% NAREIT Equity Index through 2/28/2019, 65% Russell 1000/ 15% S&P Equal Weighted/ 10% Russell 2000/ 10% NAREIT Equity Index through 1/31/2021, 70% Russell 1000/ 15% S&P Equal Weighted/ 10% Russell 2000/ 5% NAREIT Equity Index through 5/1/2021, gradually shifting to 77% Russell 1000 / 15% S&P Equal Weighted / 8% Russell 2000 by 1/31/2025 and thereafter.

International Equity Fund Benchmark: 75% MSCI ACWI x US net/25% MSCI EAFE through 12/31/2011, 100% MSCI ACWI x US net Index through 6/30/16, 27% MSCI ACWI x US net/6% MSCI Canada IMI/32%MSCI EAFE/10%MSCI EAFE Small Cap/25%MSCI Emerging Markets through 6/30/2018 and 33% MSCI ACWI x US net/ 32%MSCI EAFE/10%MSCI EAFE Small Cap/25%MSCI Emerging Markets through 2/28/2019, 33% MSCI World x US net/ 27%MSCI EAFE/10%MSCI EAFE Small Cap/30%MSCI Emerging Markets through 1/31/2021, 33% MSCI World x US net/ 22%MSCIEAFE/10%MSCI EAFE Small Cap/35%MSCI Emerging Markets through 5/1/2021, and 40% MSCI World x US net/ 22%MSCIEAFE/8%MSCI EAFE Small Cap/30%MSCI Emerging Markets through 3/31/2024, 56.5% MSCI World x US net / 5.5% MSCI EAFE / 8% MSCI EAFE Small Cap / 30% MSCI Emerging Markets by 1/31/2025 and thereafter.

Core Bond Fund Index is comprised of 75%/25% Barclays Intermediate Aggregate and Barclays Aggregate Index through 12/31/2007, 100% Barclays Agg. Index through 10/31/2016, 95% Barclays Agg/5% Barclays US TIPS through 2/28/2017, 90% Barclays Agg/10% Barclays US TIPS through 4/30/2017, 85% Barclays Agg/15% Barclays US TIPS through 5/31/2017, 80%BarclaysAgg/20% Barclays US TIPS through 3/31/2020 and Barclay Aggregate Index thereafter.

High Yield Bond Fund Index includes FTSE High Yield Cash Pay Capped Index through 3/31/15, 75% ICE BofA ML US HY BB-B Constrained / 25% Credit Suisse Leveraged Loans through 6/30/16, 66% ICE BofA ML US HY BB-B Constrained / 34% Credit Suisse Leveraged Loans through 6/30/2018, 50% ICE BofA ML US HY BB-B Constrained / 50% Credit Suisse Leveraged Loans through 3/31/2020, 60% ICE BofA ML US HY BB-B Constrained / 40% Credit Suisse Leveraged Loans through 6/30/2022, 40% ICE BofA ML US HY BB-B Constrained / 60% Credit Suisse Leveraged Loans through 4/30/2023, and 50% ICE BofA ML US HY BB-B Constrained / 50% Credit Suisse Leveraged Loans thereafter.

Market Index Returns					
	3 Mo	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr
S&P 500	10.90%	15.20%	19.70%	16.60%	13.60%
Russell 1000	11.11%	15.66%	19.59%	16.30%	13.35%
Russell 2000	8.50%	7.70%	10.00%	10.00%	7.10%
MSCI ACWI ex USA	12.03%	17.72%	13.99%	10.13%	6.12%
MSCI EAFE	11.78%	17.73%	15.97%	11.16%	6.51%
MSCI Emerging Markets	11.99%	15.29%	9.70%	6.81%	4.81%
Bloomberg Aggregate	1.21%	6.08%	2.55%	-0.73%	1.76%
ICE BofA BB-B US High Yield TR	3.47%	9.08%	9.24%	5.36%	5.07%
Credit Suisse Lev. Loans	2.33%	7.50%	9.54%	7.39%	5.14%