# **GEMS' Consulting Services**



# **Build an Enduring Institutional Business**

by Differentiating Your Firm and Defining Your Edge

#### What do institutional clients want?



- The institutional investment management business is still inefficient.
- Price is not the deciding factor.
- Performance is not the deciding factor.

# **Institutional clients will hire you if they:**



- Know you
- Like you
- Trust you
- Understand your process
- Believe your success is repeatable

#### **Diversified clients = healthier business**



Presentation Effectiveness

Present to senior executives

Referrals

**Finals** 

Business from multiple channels

No-competition business

**Assets from 'Family'** 

Non competitive business

**'Friends and Family'** 

Non competitive business

**Time Invested Selling** 

#### **The Truth**



**Meetings** ≠ New Business

**Effective Meetings + Time = New Business** 

## **GEMS** creates your firm's story



- Analyze the performance
- Define your 'edge'—the firm's unique strength
- Frame your story simply with an element of surprise or interest
- Convey the significance of the edge
- Design graphics, charts and tables to illustrate strengths

## **GEMS** "polishes" your presenters



- Coach your team
  - Individual presenters
  - Team presentations
- Identify strengths
  - Focus on differentiators
- Tackle objections
  - Drill on responses to questions

## **GEMS** helps you build an enduring business



- Targeted prospect list
- Informed presenters
- Institutional quality presentation
  - Defines your edge
  - Reflects firm's personality
  - Cannot be copied



# Thank you for the opportunity to present **GEMS' Consulting Services** to you.

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