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Article Summaries:

European Retail

Managers are diversifying sources of income by expanding into new markets and moving quickly to capitalize on new product trends and distribution opportunities.

United States

All routes, retail and institutional, lead to alternatives owing to the focus on risk. There is no getting away from the topic of managing volatility with alternatives, whether this concerns manufacturing, asset allocation, or distribution.

Report Extract

Asset managers battle to differentiate themselves from the competition and marketing strategies play a pivotal role in this aim.

Fund Fees

Fund buyers are increasingly cost conscious but performance kickers are unlikely to disappear completely, despite growing regulatory pressure.

Asia Pacific

Asset retention is a serious issue as populations in Asian countries age. Solving the problem is not easy because of short-termism evident among a wide range of industry participants, and distributors in particular.

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