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Fort Washington Names Morton a Wealth Advisor within its Private Client Group

CINCINNATI – March 27, 2017 – Fort Washington Investment Advisors, Inc. (Fort Washington) named Adam D. Morton, CFP®, a wealth advisor within its Private Client Group.

In his position, Morton will be responsible for developing and deepening client relationships by providing holistic and proactive financial solutions. He will report to Carl A. Adkins, CFP®, CWS®, vice president and senior wealth advisor of the Private Client Group.

“Adam is a great addition to the Private Client Group as we continue to implement the team model, enhance the client experience, and focus on goals-based planning,” said Maribeth Rahe, president and chief executive officer of Fort Washington. “With his prior experience and through careful listening, Adam will be able to identify the priorities of our clients so that their needs will be at the forefront of our wealth management process.”

Morton brings more than 10 years of industry experience to Fort Washington. Most recently, he worked as a senior wealth consultant for RiverPoint Capital Management. Prior experience also includes many years with Westwood Management, a single family office, and investment analysis with Cambridge Associates.

He is a CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ (CFP®) with an MBA from Xavier University. Morton earned a bachelor's degree in finance with a minor in entrepreneurship from Miami University.

Morton currently serves as the president of the Miami University Alumni Association – Cincinnati Chapter, the Futures Board of the Cincinnati Squash Academy, the Young Professionals Board of Stepping Stones, and co-chair of the Membership & Engagement Committee of the Professional Leadership Network (PLN). He also serves on the Trustee Committee of the American Cancer Society's Cincinnati Golf Classic, and is a former member of the Cincinnati Chamber's C-Change Class 10.

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**Includes assets under management by Fort Washington Investment Advisors, Inc. (Fort Washington) of \$45.6 billion, and \$3.3 billion in commitments managed by Fort Washington Capital Partners Group (FW Capital), a division, and Peppertree Partners LLC, a subsidiary.*

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