


**THE VICTUS EUROPEAN STUDENT ACCOMMODATION FUND UPDATE CLASS B – EUR**
**INVESTMENT UPDATE**

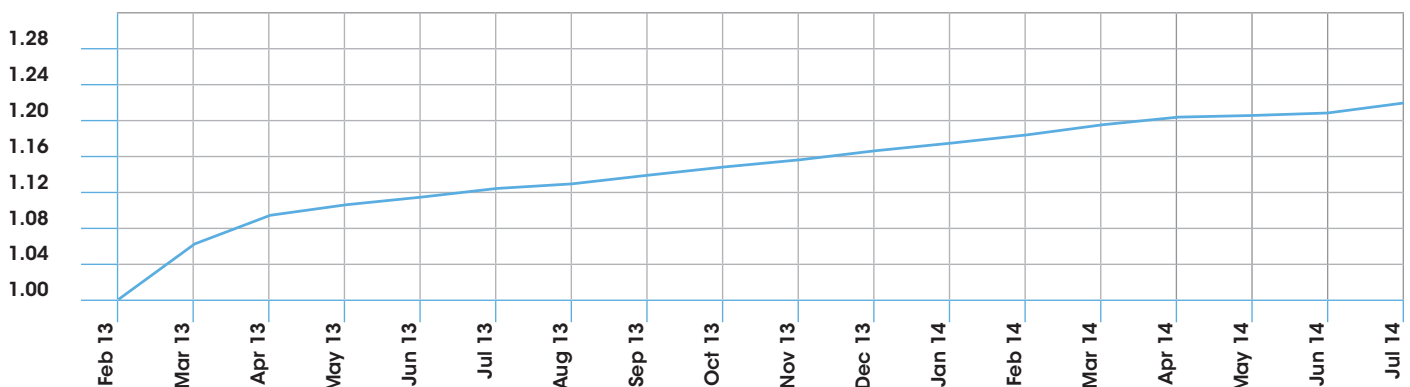
During July more opportunities within mainland Europe have been presented to Crosslane Property Advisor (Guernsey) Ltd and its development partner having now exchanged on an existing property for refurbishment in Bordeaux and another for conversion in Strasbourg. After further due diligence both opportunities will be presented to the Fund for their full consideration. In Germany further detailed due diligence is being carried out on existing investment opportunities in Kassel, Berlin, Bremen and also Bochum. Meanwhile in the Netherlands, a Crosslane Operations Business has agreed terms to acquire a development site, subject to Planning, in Amsterdam which, if successful will again be offered to the Fund. All these European projects highlight the depth of opportunities within this immature market which will

become the primary focus for the Fund in the future. In the UK there remains a finite supply of excellent development opportunities and the Fund is pleased to announce the acquisition of a 45,000 sq ft office building in Bristol that has Permitted Development approval for conversion to 166 studios. Midas Construction has been appointed for the construction and development debt is provided by Chenavari. The project will commence immediately and be complete for the start of the 2015-16 academic year. Works continue on programme and budget in Newcastle (St James' Point and Phase II), Bristol (Harbour Court) and Liverpool (Vauxhall Road). Both St James' Point and Harbour Court are on track to complete during August in time for the start of the new academic year.

Share price €1.2247 ISIN Code: GG00B8GMJW08 SEDOL Code: B8GMJW0

2013	Jan 13	Launch Feb 13	Mar 13	Apr 13	May 13	Jun 13	Jul 13	Aug 13	Sep 13	Oct 13	Nov 13	Dec 13
Share Price	-	€1.0000	€1.0611	€1.0903	€1.1024	€1.1124	€1.1226	€1.1297	€1.1392	€1.1477	€1.1559	€1.1658
Return	-	-	6.11%	2.75%	1.11%	0.91%	0.92%	0.63%	0.84%	0.75%	0.71%	0.86%

2014	Jan 14	Feb 14	Mar 14	Apr 14	May 14	Jun 14	Jul 14	Aug 14	Sep 14	Oct 14	Nov 14	Dec 14
Share Price	€1.1738	€1.1838	€1.1904	€1.2018	€1.2098	€1.2172	€1.2247	-	-	-	-	-
Return	0.69%	0.85%	0.56%	0.96%	0.67%	0.61%	0.62%	-	-	-	-	-

**SHARE PERFORMANCE**


## ACQUISITIONS

Location	Number of Rooms	Investment Update	Value
England	216 studios	Development	£21 million*
Scotland	128	Operational	£6.01 million
England	133	Development	£12 million*
Germany	179	Operational	€ 5.49 million
England	203	Development	£15.5 million*
Germany	310	Operational	€ 7.07 million
England	323	Development	£18.5 million*
France	144	Operational	€ 9.68 million
England	166	Development	£17.3 million*

## BACKGROUND TO THE FUND

The current economic climate has led many investors to seek uncorrelated investments that offer the opportunity to take advantage of assets which offer not only strong rental yields but also the real prospect of long term capital growth.

With global student mobility increasing, and European institutions actively recruiting more non-EU students, purpose-built student accommodation comes into its own. Private student housing operators providing a one-stop-shop for secure, quality accommodation, may find themselves with a commercial edge.†

## INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES

- To provide investors with diverse investment in the Student Accommodation market in Europe, whilst only investing in major University countries and cities
- To invest in a mixture of new developments and mature properties that will provide a combination of strong rental yields, initial added capital value and anticipated ongoing capital growth
- To achieve target return of 9-12% p.a. before tax
- To invest in Europe alongside local student operators/ developers through partnership and joint venture arrangements, sharing risk with these operators/developers who have successful track records in their localities
- To provide further diversification and risk reduction through:
  - A geographical spread across major University cities in Europe
  - Inclusion of 'affordable' older schemes without en-suite accommodation
  - Inclusion of newer schemes with en-suite accommodation (including studio flats) at higher rental levels
  - Inclusion of new purpose-built accommodation
  - A mix of undergraduate and postgraduate students
  - A mix of domestic students and international students
  - A variety of occupational agreements, including university leases and direct lets

## ADVISORS

- Promoter – Crosslane Fund Managers LLP
- Property Advisor – Crosslane Property Advisor (Guernsey) Limited
- Administrator – JTC (Guernsey) Limited
- Audit – BDO Limited
- CISE Sponsor – Carey Commercial Limited
- Tax – PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
- Custodian – Royal Bank of Canada (Channel Islands) Limited
- Legal Advisor Guernsey – Carey Olsen Limited
- Legal Advisor UK – Squire Patton Boggs (UK) LLP

## KEY FACTS

- Fund is registered with the Guernsey Financial Services Commission and listed on the Channel Island Securities Exchange
- Accumulation share classes
- Maximum fund gearing of 100% of Net Asset Value (equivalent to 50% of overall Assets)
- Dealing frequency - monthly
- Dealing day - 2nd business day of each month
- Valuation point - last business day of each month
- Valuation announcement - within five business days of the relevant dealing day
- Contract notes - issued within seven business days of the relevant dealing day
- Final day for receipt of investment application form - 20th of month or nearest earlier business day or later at the Directors discretion
- Final day for receipt of investment - two business days prior to the month end before the relevant dealing day
- Redemption notice period - 60 days prior to the relevant dealing day
- Minimum initial subscription - EUR 1,000,000
- Minimum additional subscription - EUR 300,000
- Currencies - GBP, EUR, USD, CHF
- Charges
  - Initial: Nil
  - Annual Management Charge: 1.50% of NAV
- Performance fee - 20% of any outperformance over 10% p.a., aligning the interest of the Property Advisor with that of the Investor

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† Savills, Spotlight European Student Housing, Summer 2013

\* Value on completion