

## Pantheon hires new Global Head of Private Equity Secondaries

- ▶ Aryn Hassanally joins following nearly 17 years with specialist secondaries investor Coller Capital
- ▶ New Partner brings significant experience with both LP and GP-led transactions
- ▶ At Pantheon he will lead an established and experienced team of 22 private equity secondaries specialists, including seven Partners

Pantheon, the leading global private markets investor, is delighted to announce a key new hire within its private equity investment team, as Aryn Hassanally joins the firm as Partner and Global Head of Private Equity Secondaries.

The appointment comes at a key juncture for Pantheon's private equity secondaries platform, which invests across the full range of both LP and GP-led secondaries transactions globally. Last year we expanded the strategy with the closing of our [first program dedicated to GP solutions](#), Pantheon Secondary Opportunities Fund.

Aryn brings considerable experience to the role from a formidable career in private equity forged over the past 23 years. He joins Pantheon following almost 17 years at Coller Capital in both New York and London, where he was an Investment Partner and formerly Global Co-Head of Investment Execution. He has significant experience with LP and GP-led transactions and participated in the firm's investment committee. Prior to joining Coller, he practiced corporate law focusing on private equity transactions and fund structuring.

Aryn will be based in New York and will report to Jeff Miller, Global Head of Private Equity. Upon joining the firm, he will become a member of Pantheon's Secondaries Investment Committee (SIC).

"Aryn is an exceptional addition to Pantheon, bringing tremendous knowledge across secondaries investing, fundraising, and deal sourcing," said **Paul Ward**, Managing Partner. "We look forward to welcoming him to lead our secondaries business, and our established and experienced team, as we build on our near 35-year track record in the sector and enter a new phase of growth."

In the new role, Aryn will lead a deep, talented and experienced team of 22 private equity secondaries professionals, including seven Partners and SIC members who have a combined 163 years of private markets experience. They are supported by a wider team of 31 private equity investment colleagues and 27 investment structuring professionals, who provide additional expertise to help source, structure and complete these often complex transactions.

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