

Education Session No. 124: Byron Wien's 10 Surprises for 2009

26 January, 2009 at 6:30 PM London

Please join us as we welcome our distinguished speaker Byron Wien, Chief Investment Strategist at Pequot Capital. Byron Wien is well known for his annual top 10 list of "Surprises of the New Year." For the past twenty-four years, Byron Wien published 10 investment-related forecasts on the first business day of January. A "Surprise" is defined as an investment possibility that most portfolio managers would assign only a one in three probability of happening, but where Byron believes the likelihood of the event taking place is better than 50%.

In previous years, more than half of the elements of the Top 10 Surprises have proven correct.

Event Details

Date: 26 January, 2009 **Time**: 6 PM Registration.

We will begin *promptly* at 6:30 PM; please arrive early. Networking and cocktails before and after session

Host: Hedge Fund Net LLP

Location: The Dorchester Hotel, The Orchid Room Park Lane, **London**, W1K 1QA, United Kingdom

This event is NOT FOR ATTRIBUTION.

Admission to this event is free, but there is a £20 charge if you register and do not attend (even if you cancel in advance). No-show proceeds will be donated to our 2008 beneficiary in the area of women's health, Wellbeing of Women.

Space is limited. No walk-ins will be permitted.

Biography

Byron Wien, Chief Investment Strategist, Pequot Capital

Byron Wien is a Managing Director of Pequot Capital Management and serves as the firm's Chief Investment Strategist responsible for developing the firm's global macro-investment strategies. Previously, Mr. Wien was a Managing Director and Senior Investment Strategist at Morgan Stanley, where he had served since 1985, and currently serves as an advisory director of that firm. Prior to Morgan Stanley, Mr. Wien was a portfolio manager for 20 years, primarily at Weiss, Peck and Greer, where Art Samberg "Chairman of Pequot Capital - was also a Partner. Mr. Wien serves as a Director of George Soros' Quantum Funds and is a member of the Investment Committees of Lincoln Center and the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation.

Mr. Wien is also a Trustee of the New-York Historical Society and Pritzker Foundation. Mr. Wien is the Vice Chairman of the Manhattan Institute as well as a Board Member and Head of the Strategic Planning Committee of Phoenix House. Mr. Wien graduated with an A.B. with honors from Harvard College and received his M.B.A. with Distinction from Harvard Business School. Mr. Wien serves on the Executive Committee of the Overseers' Committee on University Resources and the Task Force of Academic Resources at Harvard University and is a past President and Chairman of the Harvard Business School Club of Greater New York.

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