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THOMAS A. SEILER Named to the 2020 Financial Times 400 Top Financial Advisors List

NEWTOWN, PA – Thomas A. Seiler, a Managing Director of The Seiler Group of Raymond James, was recently named to the *Financial Times* Top 400 Financial Advisors list.

“It is an absolute honor to be considered among the top financial advisors in the U.S.,” Seiler said. “To be included among such an elite group is humbling.”

The list recognizes top financial advisors at national, independent, regional and bank broker-dealers from across the U.S. Having met a set of minimum requirements, advisors were graded on six criteria: assets under management (AUM); AUM growth rate; experience; advanced industry credentials; online accessibility; and compliance records. There are no fees or other considerations required of advisors who apply for the *FT* 400.

The final FT 400 represents an impressive cohort of advisors, as the “average” adviser in this year’s FT 400 has over 28 years of experience and manages over $1.9 billion in assets. The FT 400 advisers hail from 44 states and Washington, D.C.

2020 marks the eighth annual 400 list, produced independently by Ignites Research, a division of Money-Media, Inc., on behalf of the Financial Times.

Thomas Seiler, who joined Raymond James in 2011, has more than 25 years of experience in the financial services industry and specializes in providing portfolio design, implementation, and monitoring analysis to achieve greater returns with reduced risk, creating a replacement cash flow. The Seiler Group works with Professional Athletes, Corporate Executives and Entrepreneurs that are leaders of their respective industries. They welcome the opportunity to provide a private confidential briefing for your consideration.

To reach Tom or the advisors at The Seiler Group, more information can be found at www.raymondjames.com/theseilergroup, calling toll free (855) 473.4537, or meeting at 4 Caufield Place, Ste. 101, Newtown PA 18940.

Source: Financial Times Top 400 Financial Advisors, April 2020. The Financial Times 400 Top Financial Advisors is an independent listing produced annually by Ignites Research, a division of Money-Media, Inc., on behalf of the Financial Times (April 2020). To qualify for the list, advisers had to have 10 years of experience and at least $300 million in assets under management (AUM) and no more than 60% of the AUM with institutional clients. The FT reaches out to some of the largest brokerages in the U.S. and asks them to provide a list of advisors who meet the minimum criteria outlined above. These advisors are then invited to apply for the ranking. Only advisors who submit an online application can be considered for the ranking. In 2020, roughly 1,040 applications were received and 400 were selected to the final list (38.5%). The 400 qualified advisers were then scored on six attributes: AUM, AUM growth rate, compliance record, years of experience, industry certifications, and online accessibility. AUM is the top factor, accounting for roughly 60-70 percent of the applicant’s score. Additionally, to provide a diversity of advisors, the FT placed a cap on the number of advisors from any one state that's roughly correlated to the distribution of millionaires across the U.S. The ranking may not be representative of any one client’s experience, is not an endorsement, and is not indicative of advisor’s future performance. Neither Raymond James nor any of its Financial Advisors pay a fee in exchange for this award/rating. The FT, Ignite Research and Money-Media, Inc. are not affiliated with Raymond James.

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