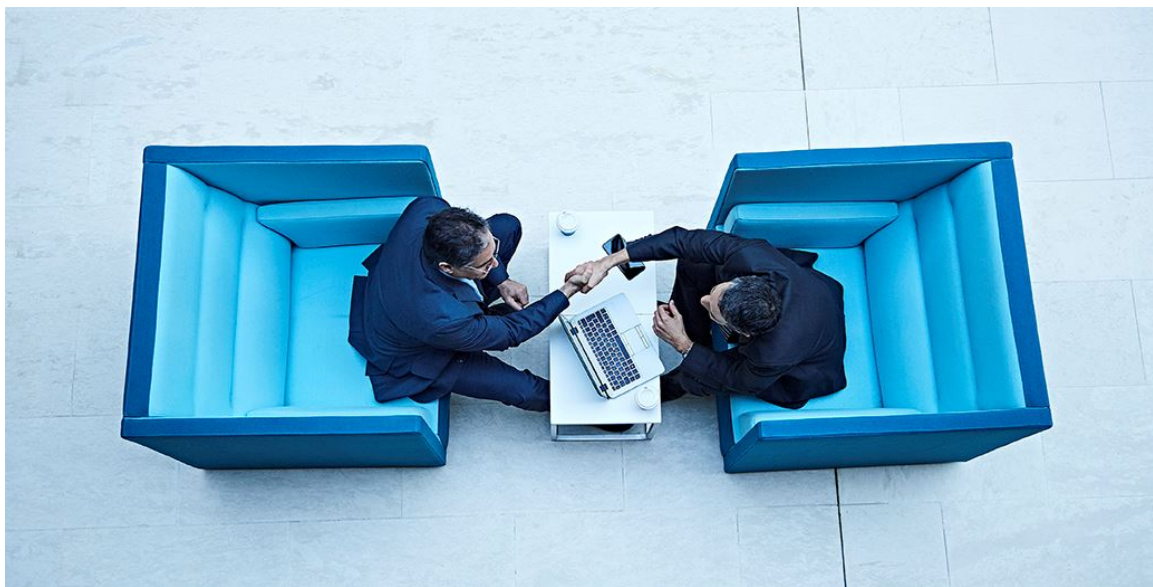


## Santander AM appoints ex-Compass veteran to lead LatAm equities unit

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**Luis Yance will head up regional investment strategies in Latin America, which is seeing growing demand from investors.**



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Santander Asset Management (SAM) has appointed [Luis Yance](#) as head of Latin American investment strategies and Mexican equities.

Yance joins from Compass where he worked for 11 years as both portfolio manager for the firm's Mexican equities strategy as well as chief investment officer of its Mexican office.

Prior to that role, Yance was Columbia CIO with the same firm. He also worked as an analyst at Merrill Lynch and Blackrock earlier in his career.

This latest appointment comes after SAM announced in May 2023 that James Ind would be stepping into the role of global head of multi-asset solutions, as well as Luiz Félix as global head of asset allocation, effective July 2023.

Joining from Pictet Wealth Management and APG Asset Management, respectively, the duo report to SAM global's chief investment officer José Mazoy.

SAM currently has €195bn in assets under management.