

# Texas Tech University System

# SHORT/INTERMEDIATE TERM INVESTMENT FUND

QUARTERLY REPORT - February 28, 2019

FUND PERFORMANCE	3-month	Fiscal YTD	1-year	Inception Feb 2012
Short/Intermediate Term Investment Fund Return	1.0 %	(0.1) %	0.5 %	1.7 %
Index: SITIF Allocation	1.9	1.2	2.1	1.8

### MARKET OVERVIEW

Global equities continued their winning streak in February as concerns surrounding US economic growth faded and the outlook for a US-China trade deal improved. As a result, the S&P 500 Index increased 3.2% during the month. Chinese stocks returned 3.5%, according to the MSCI China Index, relative to broad emerging markets which rose a modest 0.2% as measured by the MSCI Emerging Markets Index.

Despite the renewed popularity of risk assets, a dovish tilt from the Fed caused fixed-income yields to remain relatively stagnant with the 10-year US Treasury yield increasing nine basis points to 2.72%. In credit, US high-yield spreads, as measured by the Bloomberg Barclays US Corporate High Yield Index, continued to decrease relative to the beginning of the year, returning 1.7%.

# ASSET ALLOCATION Target

15%

18%

# Cash & CE 21% Public Debt 44% Physical Private Credit 7% DA 15% Equity 13%

# **FUND ADMINISTRATION**

As of February 28, 2019, the balance of the SITIF for the System was \$1.4 billion. During the guarter, the fund had net inflows of \$39.9 million.

All System local non-endowed funds comprise the SITIF. The fund is invested according to the Board-approved Investment Policy, found here

Payout is distributed back to member institutions on a monthly basis. For the current quarter, those distributions totaled \$7.78 million. For the 12 months ended as of this report, the payout was 2.4%

POOL PERFORMAN	ICE	Market Value	Quar	ter	Fiscal YTD	1-year	Inception
Cash Pool Index: Barclays 1-3 Month T-Bill		\$ 217,146,122	<b>0.4</b> 0.6	%	<b>0.8</b> %	<b>1.5 %</b> 2.0	<b>0.4</b> % 0.5
Depository Accounts Government Investment Pools Money Market Funds	\$ 127,576,418 5 79,122,318 10,447,386						
Short Term Pool		\$ 399,001,780	0.5	%	0.7 %	1.6 %	0.6 %
Index: ICE BoAML 0-3 yr US Treas	sury & Agency		1.0		1.4	2.3	0.7
Agencies	\$ 274,074,694						
Treasuries	104,068,402						
Money Market Funds	20,858,684						
Intermediate Term Pool		\$ 784,488,938	1.7	%	(1.0) %	(0.8) %	3.6 %
Index: Intermediate Allocation			3.4		1.2	2.2	3.6
Public Debt (FI)	\$ 216,139,306						
Equity	183,927,197						
Diversifying Assets (DA)	204,973,990						
Private Credit	102,693,091						
Money Market Funds	76,755,354						
Total		\$ 1,400,636,840	1.0	%	(0.1) %	0.5 %	1.7 %