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## NY Broker-Dealer Boutique Hires Salesman/Trader

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**Odeon Capital** has hired **Alex Masri** to sell and trade structured products. He started in late March and reports to **Evan Schwartzberg**, head of sales and trading at the New York-based boutique broker-dealer, according to **Mathew Van Alstyne**, head of research. "Alex brings a unique set of skills and product knowledge that has immediate impact to our clients while deepening our team's depth," Alstyne said.

Prior to joining Odeon in late March, Masri was a managing director and head of credit trading at **FGIC**. He worked at the firm from May 2005 to October 2009. Masri was not immediately available for comment.

Odeon was founded in 2009 and focuses on fixed income. The firm currently has about 40 professionals.