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Jean joined Mercer in August 2012 with four years of prior investment operations experience, having previously worked for a fund of hedge funds in London. He spent three years on Mercer Sentinel's Operational Risk Assessment Team before transferring to Fixed Income Manager Research in July 2015. Jean relocated to Singapore from London in April 2018.

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