

# Arkansas

Alternative asset managers support retirees, endowments, nonprofit foundations, and businesses of all sizes across Arkansas.



**\$2.0 billion**

contributed by **private credit** to Arkansas' state GDP



**\$7.6 billion**

invested in **hedge funds** by pensions, foundations, and endowments

## Private credit impact includes:



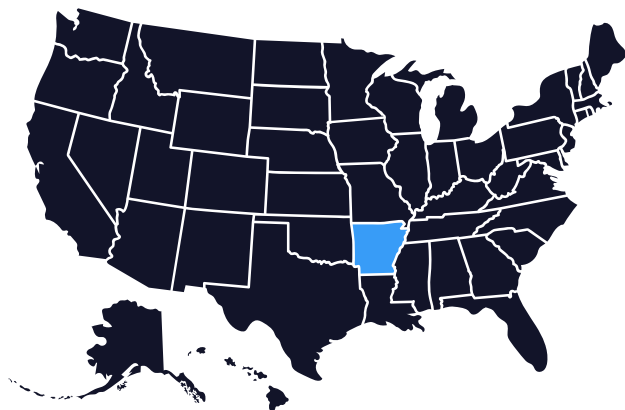
**\$842 million**

loaned to businesses of all sizes



**12.5k+**

jobs



## Hedge fund impact includes:



**\$3.2 billion**

supporting pension funds

Arkansas Teacher Retirement System

Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System

Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System



**\$851 million**

supporting endowments

University of Arkansas Foundation

Hendrix College Endowment



**\$3.5 billion**

supporting nonprofit foundations

University of Arkansas System

Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art

Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation

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