

**Oak Ridge Small Cap Growth Fund**  
**Oak Ridge International Small Cap Fund**  
**Oak Ridge Dynamic Small Cap Fund**  
**Oak Ridge Disciplined Growth Fund**  
**Oak Ridge Multi Strategy Fund**  
**Oak Ridge Dividend Growth Fund**  
**Oak Ridge Global Resources & Infrastructure Fund**

*Each a series of Investment Managers Series Trust*

Supplement dated October 5, 2018 to the currently effective  
Summary Prospectuses, Prospectuses and Statements of Additional Information.

**\*\*\* IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING PROPOSED FUND REORGANIZATIONS \*\*\***

On September 9, 2018, the Board of Trustees of Investment Managers Series Trust (the “Trust”) approved an Agreement and Plan of Reorganization (the “Plan”) providing for the reorganization of each Fund referred to below (each an “Acquired Fund”), each a series of the Trust, into a corresponding newly organized series (each an “Acquiring Fund”) of North Square Investments Trust, also listed below. The reorganization of each Acquired Fund is subject to approval by its shareholders.

<b>Acquired Fund</b>	<b>Acquiring Fund</b>
Oak Ridge Disciplined Growth Fund	North Square Oak Ridge Disciplined Growth Fund
Oak Ridge Dividend Growth Fund	North Square Oak Ridge Dividend Growth Fund
Oak Ridge Dynamic Small Cap Fund	North Square Dynamic Small Cap Fund
Oak Ridge International Small Cap Fund	North Square International Small Cap Fund
Oak Ridge Multi Strategy Fund	North Square Multi Strategy Fund
Oak Ridge Small Cap Growth Fund	North Square Oak Ridge Small Cap Growth Fund
Oak Ridge Global Resources & Infrastructure Fund	North Square Global Resources & Infrastructure Fund

Each Acquiring Fund’s investment objective, principal investment strategies, and fundamental and non-fundamental policies will be identical to those of the corresponding Acquired Fund. Following the reorganizations, each Acquired Fund’s current investment advisor, Oak Ridge Investments, LLC (“ORI”), will be replaced by North Square Investments, LLC (“NSI”), which will serve as investment advisor to each Acquiring Fund. ORI will serve as the sub-advisor to those Acquiring Funds that correspond to the Acquired Funds for which ORI currently acts as sole investment advisor (Oak Ridge Small Cap Growth Fund, Oak Ridge Disciplined Growth Fund, Oak Ridge Multi Strategy Fund, and Oak Ridge Dividend Growth Fund). Algert Global, LLC, which currently serves as the sub-advisor to the Oak Ridge International Small Cap Fund and Oak Ridge Dynamic Small Cap Fund, and Capital Innovations, LLC, which currently serves as the sub-advisor to the Oak Ridge Global Resources & Infrastructure Fund, will continue to serve as the sub-advisors to the corresponding Acquiring Funds. Each Acquiring Fund will have the same portfolio management team as each corresponding Acquired Fund.

The Plan provides for each Acquired Fund to transfer all of its assets to the corresponding Acquiring Fund in return for shares of the Acquiring Fund and the Acquiring Fund’s assumption of the Acquired Fund’s liabilities. Shareholders of each Acquired Fund will become shareholders of the corresponding Acquiring Fund, receiving shares of the Acquiring Fund equal in value to the shares of the Acquired Fund held by the shareholders prior to the reorganization. The reorganizations are not expected to result in the recognition of gain or loss by any

of the Acquired Funds or their shareholders for federal tax purposes. ORI and NSI have agreed to bear the costs of each Acquired Fund related to the reorganizations.

The Trust will call a shareholder meeting at which shareholders of each Acquired Fund will be asked to consider and vote on the Plan with respect to their Acquired Fund. If all of the reorganizations are approved by their respective shareholders, the reorganizations are expected to take effect in the first quarter of 2019.

Shareholders of each Acquired Fund will receive a combined prospectus/proxy statement with additional information about the shareholder meeting and the proposed reorganizations. Please read the proxy materials carefully, as they will contain a more detailed description of the proposed reorganizations.

***Please file this Supplement with your records.***

**Summary Prospectus**

**October 3, 2018**

Before you invest, you may want to review the Fund's prospectus, which contains more information about the Fund and its risks. You can find the Fund's Statutory Prospectus and Statement of Additional Information and other information about the Fund online at <http://oakridgeinvest.com/mutual-funds/fund-literature/>. You may also obtain this information at no cost by calling 855-551-5521 or by sending an e-mail request to [oakridgefunds@umb.com](mailto:oakridgefunds@umb.com). The Fund's Statutory Prospectus and Statement of Additional Information, both dated October 1, 2018, as each may be further amended or supplemented are incorporated by reference into this Summary Prospectus.

**Investment Objective**

The investment objective of the Oak Ridge International Small Cap Fund (the "Fund") is to seek long-term capital appreciation.

**Fees and Expenses of the Fund**

This table describes the fees and expenses that you may pay if you buy and hold shares of the Fund. You may qualify for sales charge discounts if you and your family invest, or agree to invest in the future, at least \$50,000 in Class A shares of the Fund. More information about these and other discounts is available from your financial professional and in the section titled "Class A Shares" on page 62 of the Statutory Prospectus and in "APPENDIX A – Waivers and Discounts Available from Intermediaries" of the Statutory Prospectus.

	<b>Class A Shares</b>	<b>Class I Shares</b>
<b>Shareholder Fees</b>		
<i>(fees paid directly from your investment)</i>		
Maximum sales charge (load) imposed on purchases (as a percentage of offering price)	5.75%	None
Maximum deferred sales charge (load) (as a percentage of the lesser of the value redeemed or the amount invested)	1.00% <sup>1</sup>	None
Redemption fee (as a percentage of amount redeemed)	None	None
Wire fee	\$20	\$20
Overnight check delivery fee	\$25	\$25
Retirement account fees (annual maintenance fee)	\$15	\$15
<b>Annual Fund Operating Expenses</b>		
<i>(expenses that you pay each year as a percentage of the value of your investment)</i>		
Management fees	1.00%	1.00%
Distribution and service (Rule 12b-1) fees	0.25%	None
Other expenses	0.53%	0.53%
Shareholder servicing fee	0.04%	0.04%
All other expenses	0.49%	0.49%
Acquired fund fees and expenses	0.01%	0.01%
Total annual fund operating expenses <sup>2</sup>	1.79%	1.54%
Fees waived and/or expenses reimbursed	(0.28)%	(0.28)%
<b>Total annual fund operating expenses after waiving fees and/or reimbursing expenses<sup>2,3</sup></b>	<b>1.51%</b>	<b>1.26%</b>

- 1 No sales charge applies on investments of \$500,000 or more, but a contingent deferred sales charge (“CDSC”) of 1% will be imposed on certain redemptions of such shares within 12 months of the date of purchase.
- 2 The total annual fund operating expenses and net operating expenses do not correlate to the ratio of expenses to average net assets appearing in the financial highlights table which reflects only the operating expenses of the Fund and does not include acquired fund fees and expenses.
- 3 The Fund’s advisor has contractually agreed to waive its fees and/or pay for operating expenses of the Fund to ensure that total annual fund operating expenses (excluding any taxes, leverage interest, brokerage commissions, dividend and interest expenses on short sales, acquired fund fees and expenses (as determined in accordance with SEC Form N-1A), expenses incurred in connection with any merger or reorganization, and extraordinary expenses such as litigation expenses) do not exceed 1.50% and 1.25% of the average daily net assets of the Fund’s Class A and Class I shares, respectively. This agreement is in effect until September 30, 2028, and it may be terminated before that date only by the Trust’s Board of Trustees. The Fund’s advisor is permitted to seek reimbursement from the Fund, subject to certain limitations, of fees waived or payments made to the Fund for a period ending three full fiscal years after the date of the waiver or payment. This reimbursement may be requested from the Fund if the reimbursement will not cause the Fund’s annual expense ratio to exceed the lesser of (a) the expense limitation in effect at the time such fees were waived or payments made, or (b) the expense limitation in effect at the time of the reimbursement.

**Example**

This example is intended to help you compare the cost of investing in the Fund with the cost of investing in other mutual funds. The example assumes that you invest \$10,000 in the Fund for the time periods indicated and then redeem all of your shares at the end of those periods. The example also assumes that your investment has a 5% return each year and that the Fund’s operating expenses remain the same. Although your actual costs may be higher or lower, based on these assumptions your costs would be:

	One Year	Three Years	Five years	Ten Years
Class A shares	\$720	\$1,025	\$1,351	\$2,273
Class I shares	\$128	\$400	\$692	\$1,523

**Portfolio Turnover**

The Fund pays transaction costs, such as commissions, when it buys and sells securities (or “turns over” its portfolio). A higher portfolio turnover may indicate higher transaction costs and may result in higher taxes when Fund shares are held in a taxable account. These costs, which are not reflected in annual fund operating expenses or in the example, affect the Fund’s performance. During the most recent fiscal year, the Fund’s portfolio turnover rate was 234% of the average value of its portfolio.

**Principal Investment Strategies**

The Fund invests primarily in a diversified portfolio of common stocks of non-U.S. companies. Under normal circumstances, the Fund will invest at least 80% of its net assets (including amounts borrowed for investment purposes) in equity securities of small capitalization companies. The Fund’s sub-advisor, Algert Global, LLC (the “Sub-Advisor”), considers small capitalization companies to be companies with market capitalizations within the range of those companies included in the MSCI EAFE Small Cap Index (the “Index”) at the time of purchase. The Fund’s Sub-Advisor will consider the market capitalization range by country. Because small capitalization companies are defined by reference to an index, the range of market capitalization of companies in which the Fund invests may vary with market conditions and could fall outside of the Index’s current capitalization range. Investment in companies that move above or below the capitalization range of the Index may continue to be held by the Fund in the discretion of the Sub-Advisor. As of May 31, 2018, the market capitalizations of companies included in the Index were between \$12.2 million and \$9.8 billion. The Fund will allocate its assets among various regions and countries. From time to time, a substantial portion of the Fund’s assets may be invested in companies located in a single country.

The Fund will invest in non-U.S. markets, including emerging markets. The equity securities in which the Fund principally invests are common stocks, but the Fund also may invest in other types of equity securities, such as exchange-traded funds (ETFs) that invest substantially all of their assets in equity securities, equity interests in real estate investment trusts (REITs), and preferred stocks. The Fund may invest in initial public offerings of companies.

Some of the Fund’s investments in non-U.S. issuers are through investment in ADRs. ADRs are receipts that represent interests in foreign securities held on deposit by U.S. banks.

The Sub-Advisor uses proprietary systematic models to choose stocks which will comprise the Sub-Advisor's portfolio or "investment universe." The Sub-Advisor generates a composite score for each stock in its investment universe based on three internal models: Relative Value (to seek to detect mispriced stocks), Quality (to assess the sustainability of a company's operating performance), and Catalyst (to identify companies with changing financial expectations and changing levels of attention from investors). Each of these models is customized to the specifics of the underlying sector and region where they are applied. The score is intended to represent the Sub-Advisor's view of the attractiveness of a company relative to its industry, country, and other risk factors. The Sub-Advisor uses an automated technological process that updates the ranking for each stock in its investment universe daily. A prospective trade list is generated from these rankings to construct the desired portfolio.

### **Principal Risks of Investing**

Risk is inherent in all investing and you could lose money by investing in the Fund. A summary description of certain principal risks of investing in the Fund is set forth below. Before you decide whether to invest in the Fund, carefully consider these risk factors associated with investing in the Fund, which may cause investors to lose money. There can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objective.

***Currency Risk.*** The values of investments in securities denominated in foreign currencies increase or decrease as the rates of exchange between those currencies and the U.S. Dollar change. Currency conversion costs and currency fluctuations could erase investment gains or add to investment losses. Currency exchange rates can be volatile and are affected by factors such as general economic conditions, the actions of the United States and foreign governments or central banks, the imposition of currency controls, and speculation.

***Emerging Market Risk.*** Many of the risks with respect to foreign investments are more pronounced for investments in issuers in developing or emerging market countries. Emerging market countries tend to have more government exchange controls, more volatile interest and currency exchange rates, less market regulation, and less developed economic, political and legal systems than those of more developed countries. In addition, emerging market countries may experience high levels of inflation and may have less liquid securities markets and less efficient trading and settlement systems.

***Equity Risk.*** The value of the equity securities held by the Fund may fall due to general market and economic conditions, perceptions regarding the industries in which the issuers of securities held by the Fund participate, or factors relating to specific companies in which the Fund invests.

***ETF Risk.*** Investing in an ETF will provide the Fund with exposure to the securities comprising the index on which the ETF is based and will expose the Fund to risks similar to those of investing directly in those securities. Shares of ETFs typically trade on securities exchanges and may at times trade at a premium or discount to their net asset values. In addition, an ETF may not replicate exactly the performance of the benchmark index it seeks to track for a number of reasons, including transaction costs incurred by the ETF, the temporary unavailability of certain index securities in the secondary market or discrepancies between the ETF and the index with respect to the weighting of securities or the number of securities held. Investing in ETFs, which are investment companies, involves duplication of advisory fees and certain other expenses. The Fund will pay brokerage commissions in connection with the purchase and sale of shares of ETFs.

***Foreign Investment Risk.*** The prices of foreign securities may be more volatile than the prices of securities of U.S. issuers because of economic and social conditions abroad, political developments, and changes in the regulatory environments of foreign countries. In addition, changes in exchange rates and interest rates may adversely affect the values of the Fund's foreign investments. Foreign companies are generally subject to different legal and accounting standards than U.S. companies, and foreign financial intermediaries may be subject to less supervision and regulation than U.S. financial firms. Foreign securities include ADRs and GDRs. Unsponsored ADRs and GDRs are organized independently and without the cooperation of the foreign issuer of the underlying securities, and involve additional risks because U.S. reporting requirements do not apply. In addition, the issuing bank may deduct shareholder distribution, custody, foreign currency exchange, and other fees from the payment of dividends.

***IPO Risk.*** The market value of IPO shares will fluctuate considerably due to factors such as the absence of a prior public market, unseasoned trading, the small number of shares available for trading and limited

information about the issuer. The purchase of IPO shares may involve high transaction costs. IPO shares are subject to market risk and liquidity risk.

**Japan Risk.** The growth of Japan's economy has historically lagged behind that of its Asian neighbors and other major developed economies. The Japanese economy is heavily dependent on international trade and has been adversely affected by trade tariffs, other protectionist measures, competition from emerging economies and the economic conditions of its trading partners. China has become an important trading partner with Japan; however, the countries' political relationship has become strained. Should political tension increase, it could adversely affect the economy, especially the export sector, and destabilize the region as a whole. The Japanese yen has fluctuated widely at times and any increase in its value may cause a decline in exports that could weaken the Japanese economy. Japan has, in the past, intervened in the currency markets to attempt to maintain or reduce the value of the yen. Japanese intervention in the currency markets could cause the value of the yen to fluctuate sharply and unpredictably and could cause losses to investors.

**Management and Strategy Risk.** The value of **your investment** depends on the judgment of the Sub-Advisor about the quality, relative yield, value or market trends affecting a particular security, industry, sector or region, which may prove to be incorrect.

**Market Risk.** The market price of a security or instrument may decline, sometimes rapidly or unpredictably, due to general market conditions that are not specifically related to a particular company, such as real or perceived adverse economic or political conditions throughout the world, changes in the general outlook for corporate earnings, changes in interest or currency rates or adverse investor sentiment generally. The market value of a security or instrument also may decline because of factors that affect a particular industry or industries, such as labor shortages or increased production costs and competitive conditions within an industry.

**Preferred Stock Risk.** Preferred stock represents an equity interest in a company that generally entitles the holder to receive, in preference to the holders of other stocks such as common stock, dividends and a fixed share of the proceeds resulting from a liquidation of the company. The market value of preferred stock is subject to company-specific and market risks applicable generally to equity securities and is also sensitive to changes in the company's creditworthiness, the ability of the company to make payments on the preferred stock, and changes in interest rates, typically declining in value if interest rates rise.

**Real Estate Investment Trust (REIT) Risk.** The Fund's investment in REITs will subject the Fund to risks similar to those associated with direct ownership of real estate, including losses from casualty or condemnation, and changes in local and general economic, supply and demand, interest rates, zoning laws, regulatory limitations on rents, property taxes and operating expenses.

**Reliance on Technology Risk.** The Fund's trading strategies are highly reliant on technology, including hardware, software and telecommunications systems. In addition, data gathering, research, forecasting, order execution, trade allocation, risk management, operational, back office and accounting systems are all highly automated and computerized. Such automation and computerization relies on an extensive amount of both proprietary software and third party hardware and software.

**Sector Focus Risk.** The Fund may invest a larger portion of its assets in one or more sectors than many other mutual funds, and thus will be more susceptible to negative events affecting those sectors. For example, as of May 31, 2018, 27.8% of the Fund's assets were invested in the industrials sector. Companies in the industrials sector can be significantly affected by general economic trends, changes in consumer sentiment and spending, commodity prices, legislation, government regulation and spending, import controls, and worldwide competition.

**Small-Cap Company Risk.** The securities of small-capitalization companies may be subject to more abrupt or erratic market movements and may have lower trading volumes or more erratic trading than securities of larger, more established companies or market averages in general. In addition, such companies typically are more likely to be adversely affected than large capitalization companies by changes in earning results, business prospects, investor expectations or poor economic or market conditions.

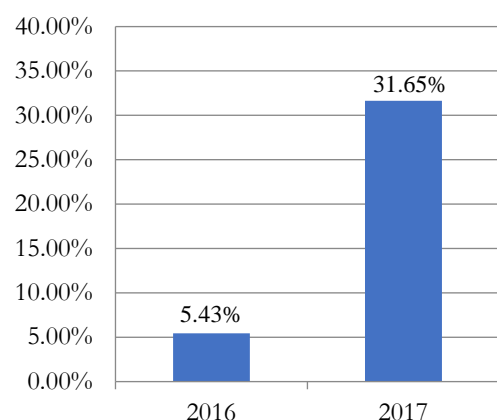
**Value-Oriented Investment Strategies Risk.** Value stocks are those that are believed to be undervalued in comparison to their peers due to adverse business developments or other factors. Value investing is subject to the risk that the market will not recognize a security's inherent value for a long time or at all, or that a stock judged to be undervalued may actually be appropriately priced or overvalued. In addition, during some periods (which may be extensive) value stocks generally may be out of favor in the markets.

### Performance

The bar chart and table below provide some indication of the risks of investing in the Fund by showing changes in the performance of the Fund's Class I shares from year to year and by showing how the average annual total returns of each class of the Fund compare with the average annual total returns of a broad-based market index. Performance for classes other than those shown may vary from the performance shown to the extent the expenses for those classes differ. Updated performance information is available at the Fund's website, [www.oakridgeinvest.com](http://www.oakridgeinvest.com), or by calling the Fund at 855-551-5521.

### Calendar-Year Total Return (before taxes) for Class I shares

For each calendar year at NAV



The year-to-date return as of June 30, 2018 was (5.95)%.

Class I		
Highest Calendar Quarter Return at NAV (non-annualized)	8.87%	Quarter ended 9/30/2017
Lowest Calendar Quarter Return at NAV (non-annualized)	(0.85)%	Quarter ended 6/30/2016

Average Annual Total Returns (for periods ended December 31, 2017)	1 Year	Since Inception	Inception Date/From
Class I - Return Before Taxes	31.65%	18.51%	9/30/15
Class I - Return After Taxes on Distributions	28.14%	16.90%	9/30/15
Class I - Return After Taxes on Distributions and Sale of Fund Shares	19.48%	14.08%	9/30/15
Class A - Return Before Taxes	23.70%	15.17%	12/1/15
MSCI EAFE Small Cap Index (reflects no deduction for fees, expenses or taxes)	33.01%	17.99%	9/30/15

After-tax returns are calculated using the historical highest individual federal marginal income tax rates and do not reflect the impact of state and local taxes. Actual after-tax returns depend on an investor's tax situation and may differ from those shown. After-tax returns shown are not relevant to investors who hold their Fund shares through tax-deferred arrangements, such as 401(k) plans or individual retirement accounts. After-tax returns are shown for Class I shares only and after-tax returns for classes other than Class I will vary from returns shown for Class I shares.

### Investment Advisor

Oak Ridge Investments, LLC is the Fund's investment advisor (the "Advisor"). Algert Global LLC is the Fund's Sub-Advisor.

**Portfolio Managers**

Peter Algert and Bram Zeigler have been jointly and primarily responsible for the day-to-day management of the Fund's portfolio since its inception on September 30, 2015.

**Purchase and Sale of Fund Shares**

Currently, the Fund offers Class A Shares and Class I Shares. To purchase shares of the Fund, you must invest at least the minimum amount.

<b>Minimum Investments</b>	<b>To Open Your Account</b>	<b>To Add to Your Account</b>
<b>Class A Shares</b>		
All Accounts	\$1,000	\$100
<b>Class I Shares</b>		
All Accounts	\$1,000,000	None

Fund shares are redeemable on any business day the New York Stock Exchange (the "NYSE") is open for business, by written request or by telephone.

**Tax Information**

The Fund's distributions are generally taxable, and will ordinarily be taxed as ordinary income, qualified dividend income or capital gains, unless you are investing through a tax-advantaged arrangement, such as a 401(k) plan or an individual retirement account. Shareholders investing through such tax-advantaged arrangements may be taxed later upon withdrawal of monies from those arrangements.

**Payments to Broker-Dealers and Other Financial Intermediaries**

If you purchase shares of the Fund through a broker-dealer or other financial intermediary (such as a bank), the Fund and its related companies may pay the intermediary for the sale of Fund shares and related services. These payments may create a conflict of interest by influencing the broker-dealer or other intermediary and your salesperson to recommend the Fund over another investment. Ask your salesperson or visit your financial intermediary's website for more information.