



Eric Barbier
CEO
TripleA

BIO

Eric is the CEO of TripleA a crypto currency payment gateway regulated by MAS, Singapore's Central Bank.

Eric sits on the board of directors of stc pay, Middle East first unicorn. He's also an investor and board member of Sleek, the Entrepreneurs operating system

Eric founded in 2006 TransferTo now Thunes, the global mobile payment network interconnecting financial institutions, merchants and mobile operators in Emerging Markets. TransferTo has been acquired by Ingenico.

Before TransferTo, Eric co-founded Mobile 365, the global mobile messaging hub. Mobile 365 was acquired by Sybase (now SAP) in 2006.

REASON FOR RUNNING

As a repeat entrepreneur in the Tech industry, I believe the French Chamber should get closer to the Tech community and improve its links to the start-up ecosystem. Since I'm also active in the Singapore French Tech (Investor Syndicate), this can help to build bridges between our communities.

In summary I would like to contribute to increase the dynamism of the French-Singapore business links leveraging my main area of expertise and interest:

- Entrepreneurship in Tech start-ups
- FinTech
- Venture and private equity investment



Erwan Barre
Partner (foreign lawyer), Head of Corporate Practice
RHT Law Asia LLP

BIO

I joined my firm in Singapore in 2015 as a corporate foreign lawyer. Before that, I practiced at two leading US law firms, in Paris and New York (dual qualified).

For 20 years, I have advised clients on a wide variety of transactions, from multi-billion M&A for CAC 40 groups to early-stage venture capital work for start-ups.

I have a keen interest in life science and technology: I co-founded a biotech company in Paris in 2012 and am an active investor in a technology start-up.

I graduated from Neoma Business School (1990) and Columbia University (1996).

On a personal level, I enjoy spending time with my wife and my two daughters.

REASON FOR RUNNING

I have been FCCS' Secretary General since 2019 and participated in many French business initiatives in Singapore since 2015, such as conducting presentations at the tax and legal committee and the Smarthealth Summit of FCCS and contributing to Business France publications (7 books on ASEAN healthcare markets).

At a time of massive changes for the region (Covid, trade relations) and FCCS (evolving regulatory landscape), I would like to continue my work at the Board.

If re-elected, I look forward to being part of a dynamic and engaged team, with the objective to continue helping French companies of all sizes to seize opportunities together and foster relationships between MNCs and startup



Baudlot Thomas
CEO South East Asia
ENGIE

BIO

Thomas BAUDLOT is Chief Executive Officer of ENGIE South East Asia, part of the ENGIE Group, a global reference in low-carbon energy and services. Thomas oversees all business activities across Singapore, Malaysia, Thailand, and the Philippines, leading a team of over 2,000 employees to help customers meet their energy needs and implement their transition towards carbon-neutrality.

Thomas joined ENGIE in 2006 and has been involved in critical projects such as the merger of the energy services activities of the SUEZ and GDF Groups, the component companies of ENGIE's predecessor entity GDF SUEZ Group. In March 2015 he relocated from ENGIE Group France to Asia.

REASON FOR RUNNING

Since my arrival in 2015, I have witnessed the vibrance of French business community in Singapore, and the active role the FCCS plays in shaping it. I am very much looking forward to ensuring that ENGIE's resources and my professional network are leveraged to contribute to Singapore's French ecosystem.

I will also have at heart to promote initiatives related to sustainability. With its "raison d'être" centred around the fight against climate change, ENGIE is working at shaping the Energy transition in South East Asia. With my FCCS board participation, I will contribute to thought-leadership efforts around the future of energy, and pro-actively position our French savoir-faire and expertise in the region.



Stéphane BENOIST
Executive Director
B-CONSULTING

BIO

In Singapore since 1993, I founded a consulting firm that has been helping companies and entrepreneurs wanting to start and develop their activities in Singapore and the Asia-Pacific region.

I sold the firm a few years ago and I am now an Advisor to companies who wish to build their governance, accelerate their growth and improve their operations.

As Director-in-Residence with INSEAD's Corporate Governance Centre I am supporting the Centre in its pursuit to make a distinctive contribution to the knowledge and practice of corporate governance.

A wine amateur, I have been heading the *Commanderie de Bordeaux* in Singapore since 2020

REASON FOR RUNNING

After two years on the Board, I am happy to continue volunteering my time and I would like to carry on assisting the Chamber in its development and transformation, through the pluriannual strategic plan.



Jean-Yves BROUSSY
CEO & founder
3eighty Partners

BIO

I have settled down in Singapore six years ago. As an entrepreneur, I run and grow an executive coaching partnership in Asia supporting global and regional Leaders. I also invest in Start-Ups and advise their founders on strategy execution and building high performance cultures.

I have 25 years of experience across General Management & Operations in Consumer Goods, Retail, E-commerce and Industry in Western and Eastern Europe, Africa and Asia.

REASON FOR RUNNING

In the current 'never normal' environment, I believe the future success of the chamber is to:

- keep listening to the members' challenges and expectations
- constantly adapt its services to the members' needs to grow their business in Singapore and in the region
- act as a catalyser as part of Team France Export to stimulate collaboration between the French and Singapore ecosystem.

In my next mandate, I intend to continue to my involvement to support and challenge the team of the French Chamber in serving its members.



Jean-Philippe BUISSON
Senior VP Asia
EDF

BIO

Jean-Philippe Buisson has been Director for Asia in EDF International Direction since 2018. EDF has opened a headquarter for Asia in Singapore during summer 2018, following previous investment of a R&D lab and trading joint-venture.

Prior to that position, Jean-Philippe Buisson hold various business unit management positions for Dalkia in Greater Paris Region during 11 years. Dalkia (at first belonging to VEOLIA Group then to EDF Group) is a leading company in energy services, for public and private business customers.

Previously, he worked for Saint-Gobain Group, Fiberglass division, from 1997 to 2006, including 3 years in Shanghai-China.

Graduate in Engineering and Business Administration, Jean-Philippe Buisson is also a French "Conseiller du Commerce Extérieur" in Singapore.

REASON FOR RUNNING

Present in Asia for about 30 years, EDF aims to support energy challenges from low carbon electricity production to smart energy services. EDF Asia business unit is in charge of EDF's business development and project management for ASEAN and India, as well as EDF's assets management with 2 electricity production Joint Ventures in Laos and Vietnam. Local branches in India, Indonesia, Japan, Vietnam and Myanmar report to Singapore headquarter.

Since our incorporation in Singapore, I have been appreciating the various services FCCS is performing: networking, HR support, information sharing, business events. I have participated in various fruitful FCCS initiatives dealing with smart city or sustainable development in Singapore. I am ready to be more involved in FCCS' strategy and activity. I would also like to contribute to developing additional links and action plans towards connection with ASEAN countries, in order to leverage Singapore's position as a regional hub.



Erick CHABANNE

Vice President Corporate Affairs – Asia Pacific & Middle East
Total Oil Asia-Pacific

BIO

Vice President Corporate Affairs of Marketing & Services for Asia-Pacific & Middle East for Total since end 2019. He has held various positions within the Total Group since 1990 in the downstream division, including Chief Financial Officer in Cameroon and Kenya, Managing Director in Zambia and Réunion, Director of Safety/Health/Environment and Sustainable Development for Africa and Middle East Division, Vice President Corporate Affairs of Totalgaz in France and Head of Department of Management Control for the Marketing & Services Division. Experience covering a wide range of areas including general management, finance, compliance, legal, IT, procurement and safety. Graduated with a Master of Business Administration from the University of Ottawa and E.S.L.S.C.A Business

REASON FOR RUNNING

Total is a Patron member and several employees participate to many events and activities, contribute to the various workshops and committees for FCCS.

I would like to continue being part of the FCCS network, sharing experience and contributing to the FCCS development in Singapore.

I will do the best to bring value and fruitful contributions to the board for the benefit of the FCCS and the French business community.



Kevin CHOW
CEO
THALES IN SINGAPORE

BIO

The first Singaporean designated for this key role, Kevin has been the Country Director and CEO of Thales in Singapore since February 2016, responsible for driving Thales' growth across all of its five markets: Aerospace, Space, Ground Transportation, Digital Identity and Security and Defence & Security. Thales currently employs 2000 people in Singapore, and continues to grow.

Kevin also currently serves on the Singapore Institute of Technology's Advisory Board for 2 Aerospace Programs and on the Management Committee of the Association of Aerospace Industries (Singapore). Previously, Kevin worked for ST Engineering's aerospace unit from 2010 to 2016, where he launched and led its aircraft leasing business, and spearheaded strategy/M&A/business development. Prior to ST, Kevin worked for the Singapore government from 2001 to 2010, based in the Economic Development Board's Singapore and Europe offices.

REASON FOR RUNNING

I was co-opted to the Board of FCCS in 2016. I was subsequently elected in 2017 and then re-elected in 2019. I am now seeking re-election, as I would like to continue the work of making the French Chamber an effective platform to advance French business interests and to economically link France and Singapore through:

- My knowledge/contacts in the industrial and services sectors in both countries
- My knowledge/contacts in the Singapore government
- Being the "Singaporean voice and connector" in the French Chamber

I would be humbled by your vote of support. Thank you in advance!



Stephane COURQUIN
CEO
CMA CGM APAC

BIO

- Chief Executive Officer of CMA CGM Asia Pacific Limited, overseeing the growth and development of the container shipping business in the region. Prior to my current appointment, I was Senior Vice President, Head of Middle East Gulf Regional Office at CMA CGM.
- I joined the Group in 2006 when Delmas was acquired by CMA CGM. Having held various key leadership roles, as Vice President for Africa, Indian Ocean and Oceania Lines, Vice President for Asia and Mediterranean Lines before heading the Asia-North Europe and Mediterranean Lines as Vice President from 2017 to 2018. With over 30 years of shipping experience, I started his career as Line Manager at Delmas Shipping before becoming Managing Director at Delmas Shipping South Africa. He graduated from the École Nationale de la Marine Marchande with a C1NM qualification.

REASON FOR RUNNING

I was co-opted in 2020. I am candidate for 2021 Board Member Elections to keep on:

- bringing my experience and network in the Maritime and Logistics arena to support FCCS members business initiatives.
- Encourage the development of French Companies in Singapore by expanding and growing the FCCS platform for networking and access to Local Authorities.
- Reinforce the presence of CMA CGM Group within the local French business community.



Damien DHELLEMMES
Digital Energy Commercial SVP
SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC ASIA PTE LTD

BIO

- Electrical Engineer with MBA from EDHEC Business school
- With Schneider Electric since 1995
- 19 years in Asia (Bangkok, Shanghai, Bangalore) and in Singapore since 2013
- Wide experience in Supply Chain managing logistics, factories and procurement/purchasing organization.
- Did run the Singapore/Malaysia/ Brunei countries operations in 2017-2020
- Currently Commercial & Services Senior Vice-President for the Digital Energy Division
- Married with Christelle (entrepreneur and also member of FCCS) and 3 teenagers going to IFS

REASON FOR RUNNING

- Big fan of FCCS since I arrived in Singapore, this would be my 4th and last mandate on the board of FCCS. I have served as Vice-President since 2017.
- I enjoy the interactions with the vibrant French Eco-System in Singapore where Patron members, Entrepreneurs and Starts-ups can engage and collaborate.
- Schneider Electric is a historical patron member of the FCCS and one of its most active member in terms of participation and engagement.
- Personally, I feel it is important to give back to others and FCCS is my humble contribution ; I have given time to FCCS and always felt I was learning and given something in return.



François DIETHELM
Senior Vice-President & CFO
Bureau Veritas Asia Pacific and Middle East

BIO

Born (in 1965) and raised in Paris, I've spent the first part of my career in Paris and moved to Australia in 2010 to integrate some large acquisitions made by the BV Group. This gave me the opportunity to be the President of the Victorian Chapter of the French Australian Chamber of Commerce between 2011 and 2014

I moved to Singapore after 7 years spent in Australia to be the Finance Senior Vice President in charge of the largest region of Bureau Veritas (1,2Bn Euros revenue and 27,000 employees)

Before Bureau Veritas, I've worked 14 years for PwC mostly in the Transaction Services. Graduated from ESCP (Business School), I have also a law degree (Assas)

Married with 4 kids, the youngest being at the IFS

REASON FOR RUNNING

As a Foreign Trade Advisor, I think that it is important to be an active member of the FCCS which is key to support French Innovations and start-ups. Overall, I want to be more active in the development of the French business community in Singapore.

I realised in Australia, that Chambers of Commerce have much more power than the French Trade advisers to support business and provide services to SME and young entrepreneurs.

I aim to bring value, insights and meaningful contributions to the Board, for the benefit of the Chamber and the French business community. In particular, I would like to share my vision and my Australian experience.



Jean DROUFFE

CEO (Singapore), SDO (India and Malaysia)
AXA INSURANCE

BIO

Jean Drouffe has been the Chief Executive Officer of AXA Insurance (Singapore) & Strategic Development Officer - India, Malaysia, and Vietnam at AXA since July 2017.

Previously Mr. Drouffe was the Chief Executive Officer of AXA Asia – GI, leading the AXA GI business in South East Asia as well as overseeing all AXA Entities (GI and Life) for; India, Malaysia Singapore and Philippines. Until December 2015 he was the Chief Executive Officer for AXA France in the West region. He served as Group Finance Risk & Strategy Director based out of AXA UK Plc from June 2010 until September 2013. He joined AXA in 2000.

He graduated from École Polytechnique in Paris, Majored in Economics and Applied Mathematics, ENSAE and Majored in Economics, Insurance, Finance and Statistics and is a Qualified Actuary from French Institute IAF.

REASON FOR RUNNING

I had the privilege to be board member during the last 2 terms and have been able to support initiatives over the last 4 years notably on Health.

As one of the largest French companies worldwide, AXA is committed to enhance the collaboration between the French community and Singapore. This is even more vital during this Covid situation, and the tensions that are arising from it. I strongly believe in the power of connection and I am very proud to actively participate with this chamber that collaborates to strengthen the ties and builds a better future in Singapore, yet continuing to keep true to the French values.

If re-elected I will continue to support the French community to innovate and promote gender equality in Singapore.



Eric Festy
Regional Managing Director
Hermes Middle East South Asia

BIO

- 55 years-old, married, 3 children. - Arrived in Singapore in January 2016.
- Regional MD for Hermes in Middle East South Asia, covering the distribution network in 14 countries (46 stores including e-commerce activities),
- Group Real Estate Director for Hermes from 2005 to 2015, in charge of all Group projects (distribution, production, offices). Previously Commercial Organisation Director,
- 4 years at Automobiles Peugeot in Paris, Marketing Division

REASON FOR RUNNING

During almost 2 years at the FCCS Board, I contributed to the different workshops about the new roadmap for So Chic, and I still co-animate the Retail and Luxury Committee.

I wish to continue these actions with the Board, bring my retailer point of view to the FCCS – retail is such an essential sector for the Singapore economy, and take part to the dynamism of the Chamber.

Being also a French Foreign Trade Advisor, I can see the interest and advantage of fostering the convergence among the French Team Export.



Olivier Gergele
Partner – Asean Consumer Products & Retail Leader
Ernst & Young

BIO

Olivier is the EY ASEAN Consumer Products & Retail (CPR) Leader, with vast operational and consulting experience in the consumer products and retail sector globally and across Asia. He is also leading the CPR sector for EY-Parthenon across Asia-Pacific.

He has 20+ years of experience on various key aspects of the industry, covering growth strategy, go-to-market, revenue growth management innovation, digital, e-commerce, large-scale cost transformation, R&D and procurement.

He holds an MBA from the Warwick Business School.

He has been living in Singapore since 2013 with his wife and his two children.

REASON FOR RUNNING

The French Chamber is playing a great role in connecting companies and helping the development of new French entrepreneurs and small companies. In that context, I have had the opportunity to join and to contribute to multiple workshops, webinars, presentations organized by the Chamber.

If elected, I would like to continue to offer my experience and knowledge of the industry and the region to further contribute to the overall development of the French Chamber and support the deployment of new services with focus on a couple of committees close to my background and activities such as “Retail and luxury”, “F&B and hospitality” and “Marketing & Communication”.



Antoine GONDARD
Corporate Services and South Asia Business Development
Manager
Dragages Singapore Pte Ltd

BIO

Dragages Singapore Pte Ltd is a member of the Bouygues Construction Group, active worldwide in buildings construction, civil works and energy services.

As the Corporate Services Manager, Antoine has an overall responsibility for the Communication, Innovation, Digitalisation, Quality and Sustainability matters of the Company. Antoine is also the Business Development Manager for South Asia.

French national, graduated from Business School, Antoine started his career in China working for Veolia Water and moved to Singapore in 2012 to work for Dragages Singapore.

REASON FOR RUNNING

Working in Asia since 2003, I'm an active member of the French Chamber since I came in Singapore in 2012 and I'm currently co-president of the FCCS Smart City committee. I bring to the Board my experience as a regular FCCS' services user, my Singaporean network and my knowledge of the building and construction sector.

I already served 1 mandate of 2 years with the French Chamber board and in my next mandate, I intend to further contribute to the growth and strategy of the French Chamber, and to stimulate more cooperation with Singaporean companies and local government entities.

Dragages Singapore has been a long-time partner to the French Chamber and we appreciate the opportunity to continue accompany the growth of the Chamber.



Sofia HAMMOUCHA

Managing Director – Head of Transaction Banking South East Asia
BNP Paribas

BIO

In Singapore since 2010, I am currently the Head of Transaction Banking for BNP Paribas in South East Asia. I lead a team of Cash Management and Trade & Supply Chain Finance specialists who develop, implement and service trade and treasury solutions for corporate clients, across five countries – Singapore, Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand and Vietnam.

I have 20 years' experience in various aspects of the financial industry, from risk management to strategy & audit and business development/sales, and am currently very involved with the financial industry and regulators in many initiatives around digitization, sustainability and fraud control.

I am also part of many networks, notably:

- the *"Women Initiative Foundation"* for Asia Pacific
- the Association of Banks in Singapore *"digital standing committee"*
- The *Advisory Board of Swift* in Singapore

REASON FOR RUNNING

I am today proposing my candidacy to contribute, within the FCCS to the future development of the French business community and bring in the expertise I have developed in the Finance world across various topics:

- People development through mentoring, promotion of diversity and inclusion, and the promotion of women in business and Finance particularly
- Fintech and innovation push
- Sustainability and green roadmap



Benoit Hanifi
Manufacturing Financial Controller, Singapore
STMICROELECTRONICS

BIO

I have covered different scopes in my professional experience, competitive intelligence, product group central control, and RnD financial control.

I have a deep interest in making finance more accessible to employees, mentoring entrepreneurs and have been several years the finance learning champion for STM at a worldwide level.

I have been working in the semiconductors' industry for 19 years, Singapore is my third location, after France and the USA (5 years).
Now in Singapore for more than 5 years, and currently the manufacturing controller of STM Singapore sites.

REASON FOR RUNNING

I would like to candidate for a second term to the FCCS board to continue supporting the work and mission of the Chamber of commerce, especially in this difficult period.

I have witnessed first-hand the importance of the visibility, communication and support provided by the FCCS and how everyone can have a role in lowering the negative effects of the current covid 19 situation and maximising the chances of recovery and growth for the FCCS community.

I would be honoured to pursue my engagement, bringing my financial, cross-cultural experience and my network.

I will represent also STM's longstanding experience in Singapore (52 years, 5000+ employees) in the technology and industrial sector and our very well-established network of suppliers and partners.



Nicolas LANNUZEL
CFO Asia Pacific
SODEXO

BIO

I have been in Singapore for 5 years (from 2013 to 2016 and back in 2019).

During my 20 years at Sodexo (including 10 years in Asia), I held various positions in Operations and Finance in several countries (France, Belgium, Bulgaria, India, China, and Singapore). After 3 years in China, I came back to Singapore in 2019 to take the role of CFO – APAC (12 countries, 66 000 employees including 1000 in Singapore).

Conseiller du Commerce Extérieur since 2018.

Married with 3 kids at IFS.

REASON FOR RUNNING

I would love to continue contributing to the ongoing development and success of the French business community in Singapore, leveraging my knowledge of the region and my experience in the Food and Facility management industry and in Corporate finance.

As a Foreign trade advisor (CCE), I strongly believe we can join forces to better support and promote the “French business team”.

Very keen to contribute to initiatives around Food tech, Sustainability, Corporate Social Responsibility, Corporate Ventures leveraging our expertise in Singapore and in the region in these fields.



Isabelle Larche
Co-Founder & CEO
Timeo-Performance

BIO

I graduated from a French Business School and an MBA from SMC California and started working at Theatre a la Carte (business theatre company) where I could combine my passion with work. I later joined Andersen Consulting (Accenture) in 1998 where I learned to work really hard and set very high level of expectations for myself.

I took a sabbatical year in 2001-2002 and discovered Asia with a backpack. Love at first sight. I decided to join 2 projects in one: create my own company and make Singapore my home base.

I co-founded Timeo-Performance in 2008, the day Lehman brothers collapsed. Storm make trees take deeper roots!
13 years later, the pandemic demonstrated the project stands strong.
I am also a Conseiller du Commerce Extérieur since 2010

REASON FOR RUNNING

I would like to run for a 4th and unfortunately last round (can't run for more than 8 years and have an even greater impact on the French business community in Singapore. I have gained some experience in this "exercise" and I believe I can bring more to the table now.

I am also a Trade Advisor (CCE) and believe I can play a key role in making the most out of the French Team Export set up. I strongly believe the French Chamber is the number one pillar of the French Business Community in Singapore and I am proud to be one of their representatives.

I have a strong Entrepreneurship experience which also allows me to better understand and support this ever-growing entrepreneur community in Singapore and make sure the French Chamber remains attractive to this Community.



Olivier LO
Group Medical Director, Occupational Health Services
INTERNATIONAL SOS

BIO

- 60 y.o. French physician, specialized in occupational health from the Royal College of Medicine, UK-London and graduated in medicine from the Medical Univ. Louis Pasteur, France – Strasbourg
- Arrived in Singapore in 1997 (Permanent Resident)
- Leading the occupational health services for International SOS worldwide across its various business lines
- Serving as board member/executive committee member of
 - *International SOS Medical Services HQ ExCo
 - *ICOH board 2018-2021 (International Commission of Occ.Health)
 - *Co-chair Think Tank Asia Pacific Wellness Forum
 - *FCCS board member 2019-2021 (French Chamber of Commerce, Singapore)

REASON FOR RUNNING

International SOS Group remains committed to provide ongoing support to the French Chamber of Commerce in Singapore.

I already served 1 mandate of 2 years with the French Chamber board and I enjoyed tremendously working with such dynamic team.

In my next mandate, I intend to further contribute to the growth and innovation promoted by the French Chamber with a renewed focus around health-related initiatives in Singapore and the region.



Estelle Malone
Lawyer
Luther LLP - unyer

BIO

Based in Singapore since 2010 and a Permanent Resident, I have been practicing as an associate in the Singapore office of the law firm Luther LLP, which is part of the unyer organization, where I devote most of my practice to a wide spectrum of European corporate clients. I also act as the chief legal liaison for a global French pharmaceutical group.

Before my admission to the Paris Bar, I studied public and private law in Paris, at University Paris II Pantheon-Assas.

REASON FOR RUNNING

We are lucky to be part of an organization comprised of a mosaic of companies with very different sizes and needs. I strongly believe that those differences are an asset and keeping that diversity is key.

That is why I will advocate for a more inclusive and more diversified community. Beyond the French network, the French Chamber should keep building bridges with other business communities and strive to become even more integrated into the Singaporean environment.

I am looking forward to being part of the FCCS, sharing my knowledge and contribute to the further integration of the French businesses in Singapore.



Frederic Marcerou
Managing Director Singapore and Brunei
Bolloré Logistics Singapore Pte Ltd

BIO

With more than 20 years of experience in the transport and logistics industry, Frédéric displayed a deep knowledge in leading entities across different countries. He currently serves as the Managing Director of Bolloré Logistics Singapore, an entity of Bolloré Transport & Logistics under the Bolloré Group, one of the leading company in the world.

Highly skilled in supply chain management, he leads the company with a unique perspective on sustainability and fresh insight on the industry. Coupled with his constant thirst for improvement and interest in innovations, Frederic seeks to incorporate cutting edge technology to create pragmatic solutions that bring value to customers.

REASON FOR RUNNING

After postings in the America and in Asia, I think that I could bring value to the French Chamber of Commerce Singapore by sharing my experiences. Moreover, it is important for me to take some time for the community and to support the organization. Lastly, I am looking forward to learn from the community and to better my understanding of this ecosystem.



Frederic MAURY
Executive Vice President
TRIGO

BIO

-Fred currently works for TRIGO, a French headquartered company, in charge of Asia division (6 countries, 1700 employees). He is also the acting CEO of TRIGO Japan. He is a member of the Group executive committee.

-Fred has been in the TIC (testing – inspection – certification) sector since 2005, initially working for TUV SUD as Managing Director of the South China region based in Shanghai and then Hong Kong, then working for Bureau Veritas in Singapore as Director for Sales & Marketing for South East Asia.

-In the first part of his career Fred worked in the Aerospace sector (his Academic field of Education) for SAFRAN as an engineer and then for Air France Industries in Asia.

-Fred has been living in Asia since 1998, in Thailand, P.R China, Hong Kong and currently in Singapore. He is both France and US educated having earned his Engineering degree in France at ENSMA, a Master of Science at University of California San Diego (USA) and later his executive MBA from Washington University in St Louis (USA).

REASON FOR RUNNING

-I wish to deepen my interaction with the French business community in Singapore as I intend to stay in Singapore for the foreseeable future.

-I would like to contribute to the development and the promotion of the French and European business by taking an active role in the organization of various FCCS events.

-I feel that my experience as a business executive can be put to work for the benefit of the FCCS.



Emmanuel MONTET
General Manager
Actavia Pte. Ltd.

BIO

Emmanuel has worked 20 years in the pharmaceutical industry, including 10 years in Asia - 4 years in Beijing and 6 years in Singapore. In 2018, Emmanuel has founded Actavia, a consulting firm bringing together height former General Managers from best-in-class companies in various industries.

Before creating Actavia, Emmanuel has been :

- General Manager, Southeast Asia Region for Ipsen,
- Finance Director of Ipsen worldwide holding company,
- Worldwide Industrial Controller of GSK Biologicals
- Internal Audit Manager of Rhone-Poulenc (now Sanofi)

Emmanuel is Co-President of the Healthcare Committee of the French Chamber of Commerce since 2016 and Board member since 2019.

REASON FOR RUNNING

Since I arrived in Singapore in 2015, I was regularly able to benefit from the various services offered by the FCCS. I implemented Ipsen Pharma's regional office in Singapore within the FCCS business centre and stayed for a year before setting up a larger office. The assistance provided by the FCCS was of great help for me when it came to implementing Ipsen Pharma in Asia as well as starting-up my own company, Actavia.

As co-president of the Healthcare Committee of the FCCS since 2016, I have invested my time, energy, and personal network to make this committee a place where companies of any size can exchange ideas, collaborate, and grow together. The success of the healthcare symposium in 2019 with 300 participants is a great illustration of the dynamism of the French healthcare community.

I would like to continue to be the voice of start-ups and mid-sized companies at the Board of the FCCS and to help the FCCS adapt its strategy to the Singaporean and ASEAN fast-moving environment.



Jeanne Mouterde
General Manager
ielo design

BIO

After graduating from business school, I spent over 5 years with the strategy and consulting firm Bearing Point (former Andersen Consulting) in Paris. In Singapore since 2011, I have been working in design agencies to help retailers, brands and F&B players develop exciting, relevant and innovative retail and shopper experiences and designs.

Together with my business partner, Cloé Faye, we co-founded ielo design in 2014, a one-stop creative agency specialized in retail experience and brand communication.

REASON FOR RUNNING

When launching our agency a few years back, the FCCS was a huge support for us. A few years down the road, now that our company has grown, I want to continue to support other companies and other entrepreneurs the same way the FCCS helped us, bringing my experience with a perspective of female entrepreneurs in Asia.

Besides 2020 has been a demanding year for all of us, I was happy to participate with the other board members and the dynamic FCCS team members to look out for new opportunities for the organization during these challenging times. I strongly feel that the strength of the FCCS is in its team and its network and I truly want to dedicate part of my time to find innovative ways to help each other, with a strong focus on the entrepreneur community.



Philippe NEVES

Head of Group Clients and Australian Corporates
CREDIT INDUSTRIEL ET COMMERCIAL, SINGAPORE BRANCH

BIO

In Singapore since June 2019 to head Corporate Finance French desk at CIC Singapore Branch, I support our French and international clients in ASEAN and Australia with a range of products and services including financings and guarantees. As such, I benefit from a thorough knowledge and understanding of Singapore's economy, industries, and trade conditions.

I have 23 years of experience with a strong focus in the banking industry: bank auditor at Arthur Andersen, director at Les Echos newspaper in charge of banks and insurance companies, cabinet adviser to Cr dit Mutuel chairman (notably in charge of European affairs, involved in high-level discussions in Brussels), financial analyst, and since 2011: acquisition finance and corporate finance.

Born and raised in Burgundy, I have spent most of my career in Paris and Bordeaux.

Married with 3 kids (2 at the IFS).

REASON FOR RUNNING

As a strong advocate of French companies' interests in Singapore, also promoting French culture and gastronomy, and as an existing member of FCCS, I would love to leverage and share my ideas and network to contribute to the French Chamber.

CIC is a patron member of FCCS and I would be keen to continue representing CIC at the Board.



PASCAL DE PETRINI
Senior Vice President, Chairman Asia
Danone Asia Pte Ltd

BIO

Pascal is currently Senior Vice President Chairman Asia at Danone. He has been working in senior management positions in the food and beverage industry for more than 37 years.

He joined Danone in 1984 and worked in France until 1998 when he moved to Asia where he had country level General Management positions in China and Indonesia and global and regional level positions based in Singapore.

His experience covers a wide range of areas, including general management, supply chain, procurement and sales.

Experienced in transformation and shared value creation, he has a passion for building extraordinary teams who work together to create a winning and purposeful culture.

For many years Pascal has been leading impactful sustainable development initiatives and is Danone’s Asian ambassador for a more sustainable and more inclusive growth.

REASON FOR RUNNING

During the past two years, as a Board member and as a VP on the Executive Committee, I have had the opportunity to contribute both to the development of the chamber and to the adaptation to the challenging COVID environment. The Chamber has been one of the most active and adaptable during that period and its impact for the French Business community members and in the Singapore ecosystem has been very extensive and positive.

I had the chance to lead the diverse team (made of Board members, members and the Chamber’s team) who designed and recommended the new strategic plan. The most impressive is certainly that this plan has started to be actively implemented by the team for the benefit of all of us.

I will continue to leverage Danone’s experience and my personal experience in the region to contribute to the Board and the French Business Community, to support the deployment of our strategic plan and new services and the development of new networking opportunities in Singapore and Asean.



Nicolas RICARD
Country Manager Singapore & Vietnam
AIR FRANCE KLM

BIO

Nicolas Ricard was appointed AIR FRANCE KLM's Country Manager for Singapore in 2014 and Country Manager for Singapore and Vietnam in 2019.

He has more than 20 years of experience in the aviation industry. He started his career in 2001 with Air France at the headquarters in Paris where he held multiple positions in Corporate Planning, Scheduling, Network and Revenue Management.

In 2010, Nicolas moved to Singapore and joined Embraer, the third largest commercial aircraft manufacturer as Marketing Director and later as Sales Director and successfully managed the sales of aircraft in Japan.

Nicolas holds a Master of Science in Aeronautical Engineering from the Ecole National de l'Aviation Civile (ENAC) and a Master of Economics from the Toulouse School of Economics (TSE). He is 43, married and has two children.

REASON FOR RUNNING

Member of the Board since 2016, I have been involved in developing, in partnership with other fellow board members, the relationship between the FCCS and the EuroCham Singapore over the past years.

I wish to continue my engagement to support the FCCS in this challenging Covid-19 environment and contribute to its success through my working experience at AIRFRANCE KLM and my links with the business community built over a decade in Singapore.

Patron member, AIR FRANCE KLM has always been a dedicated supporter of the FCCS through various committees and other events.



SINNAH RAYMOND, FREDERIC
PRESIDENT OF MINERAL SPECIALTIES DIVISION
NOVABAY PTE LTD - SEQENS GROUP

BIO

+20 years of extensive international experience in CEO and GM positions

Managed 5 different and successive LBO (Leverage Buy Out) with private equity firms, banks and lenders – as CEO and co-shareholder

Specialized in B2B within 5 industries: Automotive, Metals, Fibers/Textile, Glass/Packaging and Petrochemical-Chemical

Know-how on turnaround, transformation and development situations with complex management of large business portfolio & multi-sites & multi-countries

Multicultural: born in Cambodia, studying/working in Europe and expatriated in USA and Asia (Singapore)

REASON FOR RUNNING

Beside my role as a CEO of a company under LBO, I have also several activities in parallel:

- I have invested my personal money into 4 different small cap as shareholder and board member – helping in developing the companies
- I am coaching as well some managers and entrepreneurs
- I am involved also into NGO activities to help poor people in Asia

I am interested to join the French Chamber of Commerce as a Board member in order:

- To share and transmit my various experiences for helping other stakeholders to further develop their business
- To support/coach or mentoring entrepreneurs who needs external angle of view



Nicolas STUM
 Group COO, South Asia & India
SOCIETE GENERALE

BIO

I came back to Singapore in 2018, this time as SocGen Chief Operating Officer for South East Asia and India. Since I founded the bank Asia Digital Network, aiming at developing innovation in Asia Pacific. In this capacity, and in line with Societe Generale commitment to the FCCS as patron member, I am active in promoting French startups in our Asian ecosystems

I joined the bank in 2009 and held several senior positions in Paris headquarters, focusing on transforming organizations and incubating new business models. Prior to this, I worked for the insurer Coface for more than a decade and spearheaded the growth of the Asian businesses, first in Greater China, based in Hong Kong then South Asia & Pacific, based in Singapore and lastly in Japan, where I was also a patron member of the FCCJ.

REASON FOR RUNNING

I would be delighted to share my experiences in Financial Services and my thirst in innovative ventures, where the French touch can play its magic.

During my time at Coface, I worked closely with the French Chambers in Hong Kong and Tokyo. At that time, I enjoyed very much helping French small and large companies to decipher the markets and expand their businesses.

I would love to keep on doing the same at FCCS, at a time where local and French based entrepreneurs particularly need our collective drive and the FCCS network effect: solidarity, energy, curiosity and opportunity.



Stephane THIERRY
Director, Regional CFO
DECATHLON (DESIPRO)

BIO

- 49 years old, married and father of 2 teenagers.
- 22 years as CFO for Decathlon, 20 years in Asia (China, Taiwan, Thailand, Singapore).
- Strong experience in building procurement, supply chain and retail operations in Asia.
- Expertise in all accounting, finance, legal, tax and compliance matters as well as government relations.
- Mentoring role for entrepreneurs.
- Ex-member of the board at the Franco-Thai Chamber of Commerce and board member at FCCS since 2017.

REASON FOR RUNNING

I joined the board of the board of the French Chamber of Commerce in Singapore in 2017 and I have diligently attended almost every board meetings ever since. I participated in activities organised by the French Chamber Singapore since 2015, including presenting Decathlon projects in the region as well as becoming a mentor for entrepreneurs. Since 2019, I became the FCCS' treasurer and member of the ExCo.

I would be glad to continue contributing to the French Chamber's success as a board member, with a strong focus on support to SMEs and start-ups entering the Asian market through Singapore.



Chloé Vialard

Senior Associate and Head of Strategic Partnerships, IA
Shearman & Sterling

BIO

- Dispute lawyer with experience advising and representing companies and State-owned entities in international arbitrations in Europe, Asia and Africa, as well as advising clients in enforcement and annulment proceedings.
- Head of Strategic Partnerships for the global International Arbitration practice, in charge of developing collaborations with clients and other regional and international organizations, including partnerships focusing on environmental sustainability, gender equality and business and human rights.
- Accredited mediator at the Singapore International Mediation Institute.
- Co-President of the Women in Business Committee and member of the Sustainability and Responsibility Club since 2019.

REASON FOR RUNNING

In the past 3 years as a member, I have experienced first-hand the quality and variety of FCCS' offering and the commitment of its team to innovate along diverse and dynamic members. Today, I would be delighted to work with the Board on this journey and specifically contribute to:

- ongoing efforts of fostering collaborations with local business stakeholders, including Singaporean and French companies and institutions.
- building bridges with other business hubs across the region in challenging times where digital interactions have become the norm.
- discussions about how environmental and social governance regulations impact corporates, including diversity and sustainability.

Thank you for your consideration.
Chloé Vialard



Emmanuel WHITE
 CEO & Founder
 WeLinkTalent | Recruitment Innovation

BIO

French citizen and Permanent Resident in Singapore, holding a master's degree in management from EMLyon school of management.
 During my 15 years' in executive search; I have developed an acknowledged track record in the senior management and C-Level executive recruitment.

Currently, a father of two, a rainmaker and entrepreneur, I launched WeLinkTalent 5y ago with two business lines:

- Strategic Recruitment for Growth and Transformation Projects. Focusing on Pre series B, Pre series Start ups.
- Return-on-talent SaaS to streamline internal recruitments process.

My hobbies: Sailing, Golf, Cooking and Wine tasting
 Member of: APM, FrenchTech, French Founders and French Grandes Ecole alumni
 Co-founder and ambassador.

REASON FOR RUNNING

2 projects for running which I want to continue following the initial 2years::

1/FCCS added value to Entrepreneurs: Facing the challenges of being an entrepreneur abroad, giving back some best practices based on my experience is the primary motivation to run. Besides, my recruitment activity gives me a thorough overview of current business trends, how corporates engage with startups and entrepreneurs and ways to add value to those partnerships.

2/FCCS inter chamber relations: More than ever, the ability to leverage on multiple Chambers (Eurocham, Amcham, Britcham, Sicci, but alsoasians like Japan or Korea) is a strategic development for FCCS to increase the advocacy impact and to give a stronger voice to the members. I started this project 2 years ago, now part of Eurocham board and initiating project to benefits members of FCCS and Eurocham.



Philippe Wind

Director infra Energy, CEO Actis Singapore
Actis

BIO

French Engineer + MBA, I did my VSNE building water plants for Suez in the Malaysian jungle. After various positions in Malaysia, Europe, China, Indonesia I left Suez after 19 years in 2009 to join Worley Parson Singapore to work on large infra projects such as Garden by the Bay, tunnels, metro lines, buildings, water or power plant. I then joined Mckinsey Singapore to advice on infra energy projects some clients globally. I finally moved to one of them in 2015, a private equity fund, called Actis specialised in infra energy equity investments that provide electricity to over 60 million people worldwide, I am a director for some global developments and operations. I am also the CEO of Actis Singapore, a MAS regulated entity.

Worked in over 35 countries but found a second home in Singapore.

Born and raised in Bordeaux, I enjoy wine and food but also nature, travel adventures, sports, history and technology.

Married with 3 kids, all have been at the LFS, two are students, one is still there.

REASON FOR RUNNING

- active FFCS member and past board member in Singapore and Asia
- enjoy participating and contributing to the French businesspeople.
- currently co president of the energy infra FCCS committee FCCS that I helped to set up
- former vice president of European chamber, past support FCCS board relationships.
- engaged in infrastructure building in Singapore, but also in energy and renewable project globally.
- Partners with EDF, Engie and French banks.
- visiting teacher at ESSEC Singapore for 10y, close to young professionals
- worked in the past for a Cac 40 company but also been an entrepreneur in Singapore, a consultant, and currently work for a foreign company
- will defend interest of French company and employees but also French people working for Singapore or foreign companies as individuals.