

## EABC Board of Directors Candidate

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### **Contributions to EABC**

The foreign investors, be they MNCs or SMEs, contribute immensely to the Thai economy in ways which determine the country's present and future as well as the livelihood of the Thai citizens. For this to take place in an orderly and fair manner in the longer term, it needs the best possible mutual understanding between the foreign investors and the Thai Central Authorities, for which the EABC should be considered as the most reliable instrument. The EABC Board should act towards preserving this understanding for the best interest of its members, with respect of the Thai laws and compliance with international ethics.

Having lived and worked in Asia without interruption since 1991, with responsibilities held in many countries such as South Korea, Singapore and Thailand since one year, as well as indirectly in other Asian countries, I have come to be fully aware of the issues that are relevant to most of the foreign investors in the region as well as able to advise the local Authorities on how to improve their appeal to support FDI. I have been able to support these actions beyond the interests of the company that employs me through my contributions to the European and Belgian Chambers in Korea for many years since 2009.