

## **Candidate Motivation Letter**

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Chapter: Beijing Position: President



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If re-elected as president, I shall focus on six challenges:

- Continue to strengthen public as well as informal communications with authorities, the party and Chinese think tanks.
- Continue to launch thematic publications to steer a discussion through publications e.g. on the environment (COP26); cyber-related issues and Standards.
- Maintain our recovered media profile to shape the public debate, to bring a sense of realism to Chinese and foreign stakeholders in times of nationalism and misperceptions.
- Deepen coordination on lobbying with the American Chamber and EU member states chambers.
- Continue building a strong relationship with the European Commission and the European Parliament.
- Provide strong engagement opportunities for each of our seven chapters by strengthening their communication toolbox. Improve local chapter media profile

## **Biography Jörg Wuttke**

- Since 1997 Vice President and Chief Representative of BASF China
- From 2001 to 2004; Chairman of the German Chamber of Commerce in China
- 2007 2010; 2014 2017; since 2019 President of the EUCCC
- From 2011 to 2019; Chairman of the BIAC China Task Force of the Business and Industry Advisory Committee to the OECD (BIAC)
- From 2013 to 2016, and again since 2019; Vice Chairman of the CPCIF International Cooperation Committee, a group representing Multinational Companies in China's Chemical Association

He has lived in Beijing for more than three decades, and additionally Shanghai for two years.