Babcock Wanson Group names Geoffroy Durandet as its new CEO

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Babcock Wanson Group is entering a new chapter in its growth journey, appointing Geoffroy Durandet as its new Chief Executive Officer. This appointment reflects Babcock Wanson Group's determination to accelerate the execution of its strategy and embark on a decisive new phase of its development.

Geoffroy brings to the group **deep expertise** in managing **European industrial and services businesses**, a proven track record as a leader, and a recognized ability to steer complex organizations through sustained periods of **growth and transformation**.

After an early career in the energy industry with Engie then in management consulting with McKinsey&Company, Geoffroy spent over a decade with United Technologies in leadership positions, notably as CEO of Otis France. He subsequently joined Wittur, an industrial portfolio company of Bain Capital, as CEO Europe. Recently Geoffroy was Partner and Operating Partner with Montagu Private Equity, working closely with management teams on the transformation and growth acceleration of portfolio companies.

His arrival is driven by a clear ambition: to give fresh momentum to our transformation towards the **electrification and decarbonization solutions for our customers**, a structuring pillar of our long-term trajectory, and to bring our teams together within a unified and complementary **European group**, strengthening Babcock Wanson Group’s offering in **solutions and services** for our customers’ benefit.

This change reflects our ambition for the future and rests on unwavering confidence in our teams, our values, and our customers. At this time, the Board wishes to thank Anne Brifault for her services as an interim CEO over the past few months.

Jerome Losson, Partner at Ambienta sgr and Chair of Babcock Wanson’s Supervisory Board added: “Geoffroy is a world-class leader, who will bring to the Group a distinctive blend of vision and experience, and we are delighted to welcome him to the role. Babcock Wanson’s legacy of sustainable innovation, the quality of its customer relationships, and the commitment of its employees across Europe will help drive the growth of this unique industrial champion.

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About Babcock Wanson Group

Babcock Wanson Group is a leading international actor for the energy transition, supplying equipment and solutions for industrial boiler rooms. With over 100 years of experience, the Group provides tailor-made solutions to reduce energy consumption and environmental impact for its customers.

Today, the Group is organized around **2 Business Units**, with a geographical presence in **14 countries**, each of them is supported by subsidiaries or brands (Babcock Wanson, Parat, VKK Standardkessel, Standard Fasel, PBS Power Equipment, Thermigas, Donau Carbon Technologies) capable of meeting all the needs of our customers for both products and Services solutions. Today, the Group employs 1.200 talents and has a turnover of 336 Mio€ (consolidated 2025)

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