

Joachim Kuske acts as an independent non-executive director for regulated (UCITS, SIF) and unregulated fund vehicles (AIF, RAIF, Partnership structures), Investment Fund Managers (IFM), special purpose vehicles and other corporate entities.

Joachim has gained close to 20 years of practical professional experience. He began his career in the legal department of Caceis Investor Services before moving to the law firms, Delwaide Avocats and later Elvinger Hoss Prussen (a top tier Luxembourg law firm), where he advised clients on asset management and investment funds. Joachim then worked for over 5 years with VP Fund Solutions, a Luxembourg investment fund manager belonging to the Liechtenstein-based VP Bank Group. There he acted as CSSF approved conducting officer and member of the board of directors and was mainly responsible for legal, compliance and governance matters. He assisted clients in ensuring on-going compliance with the evolution of the UCITS and AIF regulatory frameworks. From 2014 until 2017, Joachim returned to Elvinger Hoss Prussen, to assist clients with questions related to UCITS V, the AIFMD and with the structuring of alternative investment vehicles and partnerships in various asset classes.

The asset classes in the portfolios of Joachim's clients range from liquid securities to private equity, real estate, infrastructure, debt and venture capital.

Joachim believes that enabling a strong corporate governance framework in the operation of the board is a key safeguard for the protection of stakeholders and the integrity of the market.

He is a director of the Luxembourg Director Institute (ILA), where he is also an active member of the legal and regulatory committee and a regular lecturer at ILA's training offers. In addition, he is co-chairman of the PE/VC publications committee of the Association of the Luxembourg Investment Funds (ALFI).

Professional experience

Since 2017	Independent Director	
2014 – 2017	Elvinger Hoss Prussen	Counsel, Lawyer, Asset Management
2009 – 2014	VP Fund Solutions	Conducting Officer and board member
2005 – 2009	Elvinger Hoss Prussen	Senior Associate, Lawyer, Asset Management
2003 – 2005	Delwaide Avocats	Associate, Lawyer, Financial Law
2000 – 2002	Caceis Luxembourg	Legal Adviser, Fund Structuring

Education

2019 – 2020	ILA/INSEAD	INSEAD IDP-Certification & ILA Certified Director
2004 – 2017	Luxembourg Bar	Fully qualified lawyer (deferred 2009 – 2014)
1999 – 2000	College of Europe, Bruges	LL.M. in European Community Law
1997 – 1999	Université R. Schuman, Strasbourg	Maîtrise en Droit Privé
1996	Centre Universitaire de Luxembourg	Degree in Legal and Economic Studies

Personal Details

Residence	Luxembourg
Nationality	Luxembourg
Languages	English, French, German, Luxembourgish