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PROFILE

Peter Terwiesch

President, Process Automation business area
Member of the Group Executive Committee of
ABB Ltd, Switzerland

Education

2001	General Manager Program, Harvard Business School, United States
1991 – 1994	PhD in Electrical Engineering, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETH), Zurich, Switzerland
1986 – 1991	Degree in Electrical Engineering (Dipl. Ing.), Karlsruhe University, Germany, including diploma thesis at Ecole Nationale Supérieure de Physique, Strasbourg, France

Professional experience

ABB

2015 to date	President, Process Automation business area (known as Industrial Automation from 2017-2020) Member of the Group Executive Committee of ABB Ltd, Switzerland
2011 – 2014	Region manager Central Europe Country manager Germany
2005 – 2011	Chief Technology Officer – ABB Ltd, Switzerland
2003 – 2005	Chief Technology Officer, ABB Automation Technologies division (global) and President, ABB Automation GmbH, Germany
2001 – 2002	Head of Technology, ABB Industries division (global) and Head of Industries division, ABB Switzerland
1999 – 2001	Managing Director, ABB Corporate Research Ltd, Switzerland
1999 – 2000	Corporate Program Manager, Automation Technologies (global)
1997 – 1999	Department Manager, ABB Corporate Research, Germany
1994 – 1997	Research Scientist and Project Manager, ABB Corporate Research, Switzerland

ETH Zurich

1999 – 2002 Lecturer, Automatic Control Lab

1991 – 1994 Research and Teaching Assistant, Technical Chemistry Lab

Board memberships

- Non-Executive Director of Metall Zug AG, Switzerland

Other memberships

- Fellow of International Federation of Automatic Control (IFAC)