

Candidate Motivation Letter

Name of Candidate: Maurizio Zanatta

Chapter: N.A.

Position: Director R&D of the Company Miele in Dongguan



Motivation Letter

Dear Members of the European Chamber of Commerce,

It is my great honor to be nominated to run for the election for the membership of the board with the European Union Chamber of Commerce in China, South China Chapter.

I have been working for the Company Miele since 2008. In 2012, I joined our Miele factory, located in Dongguan China. The Company Miele is a private owned German company, which was established 118 years ago, and is internationally known for high quality home appliances. One of the main reasons why I have applied for the position of the Director R&D in China is the spirit of the company Miele “Immer besser”. My challenge when coming here was to establish an R&D Center, with the goal of having 50-100 Engineers within 5 years.

“Immer besser” for me means focus on leadership, future orientation, people orientation, cultural awareness, local for local, local-to-local topics and topics in innovation of new technologies. Having had the chance to work for the last 25 years in this area of responsibility provided me with knowledge of invaluable international insight. This insight helps me to understand and to deal with the industry in general and with education institutions in an efficient and appropriate way to ensure growth of business operations according to the Miele spirit “Immer besser”

If I am elected to the Board, my focus will be the permanent improvement in education, membership satisfaction and bringing people together to ensure future success.

Thank you!

Yours sincerely,

Maurizio Zanatta

Biography

Maurizio Zanatta, Director R&D of the Company Miele Donggungna China, is responsible for establishing a research and development center

He has been working at Miele since 2008 and has moved to China with his Family in 2012.

International sales, service and R&D activities (including Europe, Japan, China and North America)

Temporary employment (two years) in Canada

Foreign assignment to the PRC

Collaboration on several international patents for BHT, SciCan and Miele

Education as a safety representative according to §30 MPG / MDD

Consultant for medical products according to §31 MPG / MDD

Certified project manager (IPMA) International Project Manager Association

Today Mr. Maurizio Zanatta contributes to and is a member of the:

German chamber of commerce and industry

Examination board for industrial mechanics and engineering product designer (mechanical engineering)

Deputy Chairman of the examination board for industrial mechanics and Engineering product designer (mechanical engineering)

IPMA (International project management association)

Committee of European manufacturers for AER's (Automated Endoscope Reprocessors)

Representative on behalf of the company Miele for the European Union Chamber of commerce in China

Core team member of "New Technology" steering committee at Miele & Cie. KG

Maurizio is an Italian German who grew up in Germany. He is fluent in German, English, and Italian and graduated from the CCI Academy Germany in 1996.