European Chamber
中国欧盟商会

Southwest Board Election 2019

Candidate Motivation Letter

Name of Candidate: Mr. Ferenc Fülöp
Chapter: South-West
Position: Board Member

Motivation Letter

Ever since I arrived in Chongqing as a foreign diplomat in 2013 and connected with the Chamber, deeply agree it's goals that foreign companies should have an even playing field and I voice it at every occasion on my meetings with officials. The EUCCC has being opening up high ranking official's doors and giving us listening ears. As for over a year I am CQAC member, has helped organizing VIP meeting with Chongqing Commerce Commission and took part at numerous other ones. President Xi's "Belt&Road Initiative" giving us furthering chance to improve European companies' stance and the newly approved FIL is pointing in this direction, too. With my background in China as a student and working environment mixed with my European upbringing, I think it positions me as an ideal candidate for further, deeper work within the Chamber. Shall contribute my intelligence and insistence to make our organization a major pushing power to be heard and recognized by the officials, lawmakers for the betterment of China - Europe cooperation. Thank you!

Biography

Having been involved with China for more than half of my life. Accumulated many different experiences help me to see things in multiple dimension, put them in context. With technical background, but business-oriented mind in the past couple years. Projects in Europe, China, showing a clear path to future industries and well resonating with the current "bridge between countries" political efforts, too.

SCHOOLS

European Chamber
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1989 Sep – 1993 Jul:
Tianjin University, Information Technology, BSc degree
1987 Sep – 1989 Jun:
Tianjin Normal University, Chinese language, degree
Beijing Language Institute, Chinese scientific language, degree

WORK EXPERIENCE
2016 - : Hungarian Trade & Culture Center, China Representative (Chongqing location)
2017-：The European Chamber Chongqing Advisory Committee Member
2013 Mar – 2015 Dec: Consul of Economic Affairs at the Consulate General of Hungary in Chongqing
1993 Aug – 2012 Feb: Deputy General Manager / Program Manager/Procurement Director /Business Development Director
Worked for numerous small, medium and international companies in Europe, China, USA. Agricultural production (Shandong Lanshan, Agrooter), automotive, electrical manufacturing companies (Opel GM, NatSteel, Solectron, Kenguru Automotive), servicing companies (Upp Professional, Asia Center)

LANGUAGES
Hungarian: native
Chinese, English: fluent