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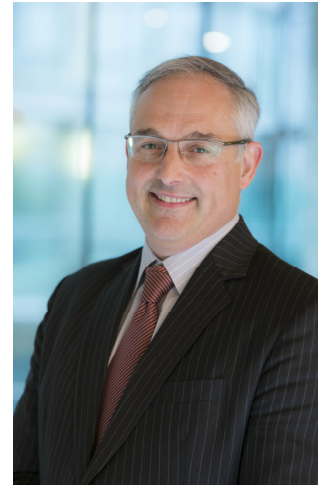
BIOGRAPHY GEERT LIPPENS

CEO AND COUNTRY HEAD BNP PARIBAS THE NETHERLANDS

EDUCATION AND EARLY CAREER

Geert Lippens (50) holds a Master in Applied Economics from the University of Gent.

Geert has over 25 years banking experience in Corporate & Institutional Banking. He started his career in 1994 with Generale Bank in Belgium as Manager of the Global Export and Project Finance division. He continued his career at Fortis Bank and between 2000 and 2004 he held the position of Head of Export & Project/Energy Finance Asia in Singapore. From 2004 Geert worked in Rotterdam until he was appointed as Global Head of Acquisition and Leveraged Finance Group in Brussels.



CAREER AT BNP PARIBAS

Between 2009 and 2013 Geert Lippens was responsible for the American, Asian, Benelux and Eastern European Leveraged Finance activities of BNP Paribas. Between 2013 and 2016 he was Head of Leveraged Finance EMEA. Over the past few years Geert held the position of Head Leveraged Debt Platform and Energy, Resources & Infrastructure Finance EMEA at BNP Paribas in Paris.

As per March 2019 Geert Lippens is appointed as CEO & Country Head of BNP Paribas The Netherlands, where he will be heading the BNP Paribas Corporate & Institutional Banking team and will oversee all Dutch Group entities of BNP Paribas The Netherlands.