



Mitigating risks at Board level

Date and Time: Tuesday 11 December 2018 from 15:00 – 16:00 Central European Time

Topic: Risk mitigation

A changing risk environment for European companies and their directors across Europe means greater liability exposure. Not just across Europe, but in particular when accessing US markets. Recent court rulings mean that public companies are more susceptible to litigation, with private companies facing increased risk due to the broad regulatory environment.

This webinar in association with ecoDa and AIG will:

- Bring greater clarity in terms of what the exposures are and how they are changing;
- Highlight specific claims case studies that have arisen;
- Demonstrate what directors and companies need to do to prepare and reduce the risks.

Our speakers will discuss the changing risk environment and the potential implications on your risk mitigation and due diligence as a board member.

The discussion will be moderated by:



Suzanne Liljegen

ecoDa's Communication Adviser

The Swedish Academy of Board Directors:

- *Director of the Board of Directors*
- *Member and secretary of the International Committee*
- *Member of the Research Committee*
- *Member of the IT Committee*

Ms Suzanne Liljegen, Executive MBA and Executive Researcher at the Stockholm School of Economics, has been board director for 20 years in various international and Swedish public and NGO boards. She is today Non-Executive Director of the Swedish Academy of Board Directors, secretary of its international committee and member of both its research and IT committees. She is also Communication Adviser to the Board of Directors of the European Confederation of Directors' Association, Non-Executive Director of the City Planning and Environmental Committee of the City of Lidingö and member of the City Council of Lidingö. She has eight years of experience as Non-Executive Director in the Swedish real estate industry.

Ms Liljegen has a background from both the private and the public sector working as International Director of the City of Stockholm, expert in the office of the Swedish Prime Minister and as inward investment manager and marketing communications manager in the ICT industry. Today, she is advisor of business strategy and marketing related to international and EU Affairs, lobbying and regional development and growth.

Joining the webinar will be:



Noëlle Lenoir

Partner, Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP, Board member at Valeo

Noëlle Lenoir is a member of the Paris Bar, Partner at Kramer Levin Paris.

She began her career as legal advisor of the French Senate and was the youngest person and the first woman ever to have served on the French Constitutional Court. She also served as the Chief of staff of the Minister of Justice (1988-1990), as well as French Minister of European Affairs from 2002 to 2004. She was Chief legal officer of the French Data Protection Authority (CNIL) (1982-1984) and has been a member of the Conseil d'Etat (Administrative Supreme Court) since 1984.

From 2012 to 2014, she was Chief ethics officer of the French National Assembly. She also chaired several Ethics Committees, including the Radio France's Committee for integrity, independency and pluralism of information and broadcasts (2017-2018). She now chairs the Parcoursup's Ethics and Scientific Committee. She has been appointed as external consultant, member of the Independent Compliance Review Panel of Airbus in 2017.

She taught at University College London (2000), at the University of Law of Colombia (NY) (2001) and also at Sciences Po Paris and the law Faculty of Paris I. She is an Affiliate professor at HEC School and chairs the Europe Institute of HEC.

She is also a member of the Board of directors of Valeo and a former member of the Boards of Directors of Generali and Compagnie des Alpes.



Noona Barlow

*Head of International Financial Lines Claims
Acting Head of International Casualty Claims
AIG*

Noona practised law in Toronto for a number of years before moving into the insurance sector. She moved to London in 2006 and joined AIG in 2009. Noona oversees AIG's International financial lines and casualty claims teams, who deal with a wide variety of claims, including general liability, employers' liability, motor, D&O, professional indemnity, crime and cyber.



Kevin LaCroix

Executive Vice President at RT ProExec, Beachwood, Ohio, a division of R-T Specialty, LLC. RT ProExec is an insurance intermediary focused exclusively on management liability issues.

Kevin is also the author of the Internet weblog, The D&O Diary, <http://www.dandodiary.com>, which the New York Times called "influential" and the Wall Street Journal described as "widely followed."

Kevin has been involved in directors' and officers' liability insurance issues for over 35 years. He began his career as a coverage attorney and partner at the Washington, D.C law

firm of Ross, Dixon and Bell. More recently, Kevin served as President of Genesis Professional Liability Managers, a D&O insurance underwriter and part of the Berkshire Hathaway group of companies.

Kevin speaks frequently on D&O issues. Kevin has served as a member of the faculty at the Stanford Law School Directors' College.

Throughout his career, Kevin has been active in the Professional Liability Underwriting Society (PLUS), serving on its Board of Trustees from 1999 to 2005, and as its President in 2004. In 2008, Kevin received the PLUS Founder's Award, given annually to the PLUS member who has made "lasting and outstanding contributions" to PLUS.

In December 2014, Kevin received the inaugural Person of the Year (USA) award from the insurance information firm, Advisen. This annual award, which is determined by a vote of industry professionals, is given to the "most influential management liability industry professional" in the United States. In 2015, Kevin was selected by industry professionals in Advisen's annual Executive Risk Awards as Industry Legend of the Year.

Kevin is a graduate of the University of Virginia and of the University of Michigan Law School.



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