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MEDIA RELEASE

CHRISTOPH-SEBASTIAN MEIER APPOINTED HEAD OF INVESTMENT BANKING FOR BNP PARIBAS SWITZERLAND

- BNP Paribas continues to expand its Investment Banking "IB" franchise in Switzerland
- Christoph-Sebastian Meier joins as Head of Investment Banking Switzerland, effective 2 November 2026, based in Zurich

BNP Paribas is pleased to welcome Christoph-Sebastian Meier who joins as Head of Investment Banking Switzerland on 2 November 2026.



In his new role, Christoph-Sebastian Meier will lead Investment Banking Switzerland with a particular focus on Advisory. The newly formed IB unit will serve Corporate Coverage, Financial Institutions Coverage and Wealth Management clients and will advise public and privately held corporates, financial institutions, financial sponsors as well as families, entrepreneurs and founders on acquisitions, disposals and other strategic transactions as well as on capital markets transactions.

Christoph-Sebastian Meier brings 20 years of Mergers & Acquisitions "M&A" experience, of which ten years with Lincoln International in Zurich. Since 2025, he has advised entrepreneurs, investors and corporates as an independent M&A and Corporate Finance advisor.

He holds a Master's degree in Banking and Finance from the University of St. Gallen (HSG).

"BNP Paribas is a truly global, exceptionally powerful platform: Deep sector and product expertise, leading financing capabilities and an international reach that few can match. Our clients will get the best of both worlds: trusted advisory on the ground in Switzerland, backed by the full strength of a global bank." commented Christoph-Sebastian Meier.

"Investment Banking and Advisory are pillars of our long-term growth strategy. Christoph-Sebastian will work closely with Wealth Management, Corporate Coverage and Financial Institutions Coverage to drive our strategic dialogue with clients, which is an integral part of our Swiss Territory Growth Plan 2030", commented Enna Pariset, CEO and Head of Territory for BNP Paribas Group in Switzerland.

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ABOUT BNP PARIBAS IN SWITZERLAND

With approximately 1,100 employees, BNP Paribas in Switzerland operates through two branches located in Zurich and Geneva, with Lugano serving as an agency of the Zurich branch. As a leading European bank in Switzerland for corporate, institutional, and private clients, BNP Paribas has been established in the country since 1872. We pursue a tailored strategy for each business line: to be the preferred partner for companies and financial institutions, supporting their growth across Europe and internationally through our "One Bank for Corporates" initiative; and to be a benchmark in wealth management, offering expertise and high-quality service to private clients and entrepreneurs.
The integrated model of the BNP Paribas Group enables us to provide our clients with the financial stability of a top-tier European bank, global reach, and a comprehensive range of products and investment solutions. By fostering long-term, trusted relationships with our clients, we aim to contribute to sustainable and responsible growth.

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