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Vice President, Head of Global Government and Public Affairs EMEA

Thomas Richter serves as Solvay SA's Vice President and Head of Global Government & Public Affairs EMEA since October 2023.

In his role, he leads Solvay's GPA team and oversees the company's engagement with governments, policymakers, regulatory authorities, NGOs as well as community stakeholders. Part of his role is also to advise the company's Leadership and Business Presidents on geopolitical developments and assess how they might impact Solvay's business.

Prior to joining Solvay, Thomas worked at LANXESS as Head of EU Representation, leading the company's government affairs work in Europe. Before that, he spent more than a decade advising companies primarily from various sectors on reputation, policy and regulatory affairs and societal impact as a public affairs consultant.

About Solvay

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