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**16th Global Chemicals Think Tank
The future of agriculture and food**

Basel, 29th - 30th of November 2017

Join us for the 16th Global Chemicals Think Tank



Genesis of the Think Tank

The Think Tank is a highly reputable and thought-provoking event that attracts over 120 international leaders serving the chemicals & specialty materials, life science and consumer products sector. Participants will have the opportunity to interact with their international peers, though leaders, academia, and entrepreneurs creating a valuable educational and networking experience.



Objectives

The goal of the Think Tank is to create an open innovation forum that will educate and inspire attendees to understand the dynamics of the agriculture and food ecosystem as well as create a network opportunities with their peers and other leaders.



Session Content

The agenda is designed to drive forward thinking across the whole agricultural and food ecosystem from farm to fork. Presentations, Panels and group discussions will stimulate conversations and reflection. The session topics are focused on **innovation & digitalization, M&A activities & ecosystems, and the future of work**



Date and Location

Le Plaza Swissotel, Basle

29th of November 18.30 o'clock until 30th of November 16.00 o'clock

Agenda

The internal day will serve as a platform to activate the Global C&SM strategy across topics and regions

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Agenda 29th November | Internal Day

Site Visits
08:30-12:00

Different Site Visits (more information to come)

Lunch
12:00-13:00

Networking-Lunch

Global Strategy
13:00-15:00

Module #1: Global CSM strategy & FY17 figures
Module #2: Proposed activation measures in the regions

Parallel break-out sessions:

- #1: Mergers & Acquisitions and Carve Outs & Divestitures
 - #2: Operational Excellence 4.0
 - #3: Commercial Excellence 4.0
 - #4: Innovation in the Age of Disruption
 - #5: IT enabled Business Transformation
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Zoom-In: Agro offering
15:30-17:00

Parallel break-out sessions zooming in on Agro:

- #1: Mergers & Acquisitions and Carve Outs & Divestitures
- #2: Operational Excellence 4.0
- #3: Commercial Excellence 4.0
- #4: Innovation in the Age of Disruption
- #5: IT enabled Business Transformation

Report back from break-out sessions
Discussion of next steps

Closing
17:00-17:15

Bringing it all together

Agenda

Start the Think Tank with a great networking opportunity at the Welcome Dinner

We invite you to join us for the Welcome Dinner

29th of November

Start 19.00 o'clock

Key Note: Konstantin von Radowitz

**Consumer and Industrial Products Lead,
Switzerland**



Agenda

The Think Tank will identify the most important challenges and provide food for thought of how to solve those

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Agenda 30th November | 16th Global Chemicals Think Tank

Welcome

09:00-09:15

Welcoming of guests

Introduction to the 16th Global Chemicals Think Tank

Challenges in feeding the consumer

9:15-10:00

Feeding the entire global population remains humanity's foremost challenge but what are the drivers of this challenge:

Module #1: Needs of the consumer and challenges in the demand

Module #2: Food and nutrition and the nature of customizing one's food through digitization

Innovation & Digitalization

10:30-12:40

Businesses are called open by society and governments to solve those challenges. Yet, every issue is a business opportunity in disguise with different innovative ways to tap into the potential:

Module #1: Blockchain meets chemicals and agriculture

Module #2: Digital business models in the ecosystem

Module #3: High-tech growing and biotechnology

Lunch

12:40-13:30

Networking-Lunch

M&A and Ecosystems

13:30-14:15

Panel with the Heads of M&A, Chief Integration Officers, Deloitte Experts and others discussing current M&A activities, trends and future development of the agriculture and food ecosystem from different perspectives of the value chain (crop science, retail, food companies, ...)

The future of work

14:45-15:50

Digitalization will have profound implications of how we will work in the future and which kind of skills and capabilities companies will need to have. An internal and external perspective:

Module #1: Trends and implications for chemical companies

Module #2: Best practice from a company of how to prepare for the future of work today

Closing

15:50-16:00

Bringing it all together

Currently confirmed Speakers

Confirmed Speakers - Externals



Liana Logiurato

Former Global Head of M&A at Syngenta International AG

Liana is former Global Head of M&A at Syngenta International AG, having joined in 2010. Prior to that she worked for 14 years in investment banking (i.e. M&A, corporate defense, capital raisings, private equity, project finance) in London, Tokyo, Zürich and New York, primarily with UBS and Nomura, covering a variety of sectors (e.g. chemicals, healthcare, technology, electronics, industrials, materials and transportation). She started her career with a 2-year spell in management consulting / strategic planning. Liana holds an MBA from IMD (Switzerland) and an MSc in Business Administration from Bocconi University (Italy).



Ben Nino

Head of Digital at Syngenta International AG

Ben is the head of Syngenta's global Digital Center of Excellence with the aim to transform the food chain to safely feed the world and take care of our planet using Digital. Ben is an entrepreneurial senior executive with years of experience disrupting traditional industries with digital innovation with a track record of delivering uncommon success in the digital era. He has founded a number of successful start-ups and driven radical growth through digital transformation at some of the worlds most recognized global brands.

Confirmed Speakers - Externals



Silvia Henke

Leader Market Development Food at Linde AG

To come



Dr. Ricardo Gent

Executive Director German Association of Biotechnology Industries

Ricardo Gent was appointed Executive Director of the German Association of Biotechnology Industries (DIB) in 2003, one of the world's largest biotechnology industry association. Prior to his appointment, Ricardo worked as Executive Manager at CropLife International. He started his career in 1996 as a Science Manager with the German Agrochemical and Mineral Fertilizer Association. He graduated in agricultural science and earned his doctorate in Phytopathology from the Friedrich-Wilhelms University in Bonn.

Confirmed Speakers - Externals



Joachim Schneider

Head of Bayer CropScience Vegetable Seeds

To come

Discussion with more speakers ongoing

Confirmed Speakers - Deloitte



Dr. Wolfgang Falter

Global Leader Chemicals & Specialty Materials

Wolfgang leads the global Deloitte Chemicals and Specialty Materials sector. He specializes in strategy, organization, carve outs, pre-to post-merger integration as well as improving purchasing, sales, and distribution performance of chemical, petrochemical and chemical distribution companies. He has carried out various engagements, mostly for large, global clients.



Shay Eliaz

Specialist Leader Crop Science

Shay Eliaz is a Specialist Leader for Crop Science at Monitor Deloitte, the strategy arm of Deloitte Consulting. He provides consulting services in the area of Growth and Innovation. He supports his clients grow where it is hardest – new products / services, new markets, new channels, and has run a number of transformational programs. He has considerable expertise in strategic planning, business development, M&A Strategy, Market Entry and Competitive Strategy, Supply Chain strategy, contracts, and project management.

Confirmed Speakers - Deloitte



Stefan Weiss

Leader Learning Advisory Germany

Stefan is Director in the Service Area "Human Capital Advisory Services" and leads the "Learning Solution", "New Technology Adoption" and "Leadership Development" offerings in Germany. Furthermore, Stefan is responsible for managing the Human capital activities in the automotive cluster in Germany together with the respective account teams. Stefan has more than 16 years of experience in the management consulting business and always worked on Talent Management and Learning projects. Stefan implemented learning and training solutions for global clients and specialized in the area of sales improvement and customer loyalty programs in the automotive industry.



Jens Hermann Paulsen

Blockchain Institute

Jens is experienced with disruptive technologies and is a member of the Deloitte Blockchain Institute where he explores the different application areas of the technology.

Confirmed Speakers - Deloitte



Dan Schweller
Leader M&A and FAS

Dan is a principal in Deloitte Consulting's M&A practice. Dan has over 30 years of professional experience including significant experience advising and working with senior executives to drive shareholder value through the full lifecycle of M&A transactions.



Bart Cornelissen
Partner Monitor Deloitte

Bart is a Partner with Deloitte in the Strategy Practice. His expertise lies with integrated transaction advisory from target identification via due diligence, valuation to post merger integration.