

Quilvest Capital Partners appoints Christophe Evain as Non-Executive Chairman in strategic leadership transition

09 April 2024 — Quilvest Capital Partners ("Quilvest"), a dedicated global mid- and lower midmarket alternatives investment manager with over \$7 billion in AUM and a century-long, sevengeneration family shareholder heritage, today announces Christophe Evain's appointment as Non-Executive Chairman of the Board, effective March 14th.

A valued member of Quilvest's Board since 2021, Christophe's appointment marks a significant milestone in the firm's journey, geared towards strengthening its institutional framework and ensuring improved governance to support continued growth.

Alexis Meffre remains on Quilvest's board and retains his role as the firm's CEO, which he has held since 2018. Alexis will continue to focus on the diligent stewardship of Quilvest's investments, while furthering the firm's growth strategy, broadening its capital base and introducing new products.

Christophe brings a wealth of experience to his new role, having served as CEO of Intermediate Capital Group ("ICG"), a leading alternatives assets manager with \$86 billion in AUM. While at ICG, Christophe led the firm's expansion into global markets and diverse asset classes.

In his new role, Christophe will notably guide Quilvest's strategic trajectory, leveraging his experience to shape Quilvest's long-term vision, drive key initiatives, and oversee governance matters.

This leadership transition is part of a strategic evolution initially proposed by Alexis and carefully considered since 2022. As Quilvest embarks on this new chapter, the Board and Alexis are committed to positioning the firm for continued success.

Alexis Meffre, CEO at Quilvest, commented: "We are thrilled to welcome Christophe as our new Non-Executive Chairman. Christophe's track record of success at ICG speaks volumes about his capabilities. His expertise will be instrumental as we navigate the dynamic landscape of mid-market alternative investments. Christophe's appointment reinforces our dedication to strengthening Quilvest's governance structure."

Christophe Evain, Non-Executive Chairman at Quilvest, said: "I am honoured to become Quilvest's Non-Executive Chairman. Working alongside Alexis, whose leadership as Executive Chairman and CEO has driven Quilvest's recent developments, fills me with confidence. Quilvest's commitment to excellence and innovation resonates with my aspirations. I look forward to working with the board to further refine and execute our strategic vision, ensuring sustainable growth for Quilvest."

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About Quilvest Capital Partners

Quilvest Capital Partners is a leading global investment firm focused exclusively on the midmarket. We operate four investment strategies: Buyout, Primaries, Co-Investments and Secondaries, Private Credit and Real Estate.

As one of the earliest pioneers in the alternative investment industry, we pride ourselves on our rich and extensive history, with decades of experience deploying capital across multiple business cycles and environments. We are trusted to manage over \$7bn AUM for a prestigious base of global investors, including leading pension plans, sovereign wealth funds, insurance companies, and family offices. Our heritage dates back more than a century to 1917, managing the wealth of our founding shareholder, the Bemberg family, which we continue to do today.

With six offices worldwide, our team is focused on identifying the global trends and themes underpinning each investment strategy. We overlay this thematic approach with an extensive global network of highly valued relationships, enabling us to identify and invest in the best opportunities for our investors and partners.

Quilvest Capital Partners is committed to the highest standards of excellence. We offer best-inclass infrastructure and the professionalism of a leading global investment firm while retaining the deeply personal, entrepreneurial, nimble approach routed in our origins.

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