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Dr. Wolfgang Palm new President of VDP

Dr. Wolfgang Palm has been elected new President of the Association of German Paper Factories (VDP). Previously vice president, Dr. Palm replaces Bernd Rettig, Senior Executive Vice President of Stora Enso, at the head of the association.

B. Rettig is staying on the Executive Board as Vice President. Moritz J. Weig, managing partner of Moritz J. Weig GmbH & Co. KG, and Dr Christopher Grünewald, managing partner of Gebr. Grünewald GmbH & Co. KG, have also been elected Vice Presidents.

Dr. Wolfgang Palm is owner and CEO of the family run business Papierfabrik Palm GmbH & Co KG in Aalen, one of the leading German companies in the paper industry. Dr. Palm studied economics at the university of Mannheim in Germany where received his PHD and then joined the family business in 1982.