

CFO CLUB 2023









I - Club Structure

- Club Chairman: Nicolas Poulain –
 Regional CFO –Essilor Instruments
- Co-Chairman: Vincent Rambaux FACC Treasurer & Partner Mazars
- Composition : FACC Members*
- Capacity: 18 people maximum

Participants must be**:

- VP Finance
- CFO
- Controller
- Head of M&A
- Head of acccounting
- CEO/ co-CEO eventually

of french/ US and international companies

Bank, CPA firm and other consultants will rotate to animate and organize the meetings

^{*} Members of the Club must adhere to FACC-Chicago – first participation on invite

^{* *} Candidates could be refused if do not fit the requirements



II - Our Goals

For French Companies implanted in the US and US Companies which have subsidiaries in France:

To create a peer community for the Finance professionals in the Midwest Region

FACC Board members will lead this initiative in order to generate a dynamic forum where professional can share expertise, generate new business opportunities, share best practice, brainstorm on future trends, debate on the job evolution, welcome new CFO in the local market.



III - Principles

1 - Participation

Each member agrees to participate as much as possible, bring value to the group, in a free and positive state of mind.

3 - Intuitu personae

Words that are said commit only the people who say them and not the company they represent. It is a circle of sharing and debate.

2 - Confidentiality

Participants agree not to communicate to third parties (in whole or in part) the information issued before, during and after the meeting.

4 - Contribution

Members commit to actively contribute to the success and dynamics of the club, by proposing relevant topics sessions or by sponsoring new members.



IV - Proposed events

- For CFO Club Members:
 - Quarterly meetings (2H) with Wine&Cheese or Dinner
 - Dedicated Chanel of communication : news, WhatsApp Group
- For all FACC members:
 - Breakfast seminar on financial topics (Twice a year)
 - Meetings with the start-up community of Chicago
 - Expert Community to help SBE or new business landing in Midwest





V -Topics

- Company's profile
- Transformation projects
- Sustainable Development/ ESG reporting (May 16 organized by RSM)
- Economic update of the US/Midwest
- The modern CFO: Blockchain and Analytic tools
- Attract, develop, and retain top finance talent
- French and US Regulatory Updates, Tax credit (R&D, IRA...)
- Any topic the members want to address



VI -First meeting - WARM UP

- When? March 23
- Participants : first meeting on invite
- Meet & Greet
- Topics:
 - Learn about EssilorLuxottica Instruments success story in North America
 - Roundtable of all the participants
 - Introduction of the GALA/ Stars of the Midwest contest/ prices
- Plan the next meeting and define the topics



For more information

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