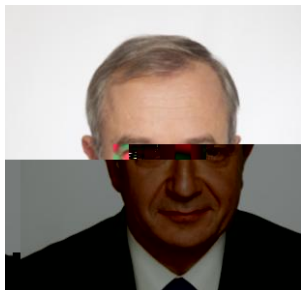


Wendel: appointments

Jean-Michel Ropert, 47, is appointed Group Vice-President for Finance.



At Wendel since 1989, Jean-Michel Ropert has been promoted Group Vice-President for Finance. CFO since 2002, he will now be in charge of Finance, Accounting and Financial communications.

