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AFS Switzerland  
Members of the Board

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**Subject:** Formal application for the AFS Board Member position

Dear members,

Through my international experience and my work at EHL Hospitality Business School, I have seen the strong impact intercultural exposure can have on young people. It supports personal development and builds practical cross-cultural skills that are increasingly valued in universities, NGOs, and professional environments. For that reason, AFS's commitment to intercultural exchange and immersion abroad aligns closely with my personal values.

Accordingly, I would like to formally apply to join the Board of AFS Switzerland.

The governance role within AFS Switzerland aligns well with what I am looking for, and the fact that financial expertise is valued further strengthens my motivation. I also have proven experience in the financial field, in line with the position's requirements (see my attached CV).

I am confident that my professional background will allow me to contribute to the organisation's strategic direction, support the monitoring of operational activities and programmes against strategic objectives, and provide support to management on specific technical matters, particularly budgeting and forecasting.

Do not hesitate to contact me should you need any additional information.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a series of loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Benoit Perrier

# Benoît Perrier



## Personal information

**Nationality:** French  
**Date of birth:** 30/01/1986 (39 years old)  
**Swiss Work Permit:** C

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## Professional Experience

### Lecturer in Finance, Master and Bachelor, EHL Hospitality Business School, Lausanne

January 2017 – Today (9 years)

- Deliver Finance courses at both Bachelor and Master levels, across French and English sections
- Developed and implemented the Finance module of the EHL Online MBA in Hospitality, contributing to the program's launch and pedagogical structure.
- Delivered a module on Asset Management at Shanghai Business School (China) as part of an international academic exchange, in 2024.
- Twice nominated for EHL's Best Teaching Award (2020 and 2021), in recognition of teaching excellence and student engagement.

### Assistant Vice-President, Research Department, Credit Suisse, Zurich

December 2014 – June 2016 (1.5 year)

- Drove online multi-country research projects
- Designed high standard presentations directed to management, including board members
- Analysed divisions' performance and ROI in the light of research results
- Worked closely with numerous Investment Bank teams to develop ad-hoc analytical tools

### AVP, Finance Analyst, Barclays, London

December 2011 – October 2014 (3 years)

- Drove Equity Research on companies and provided investments recommendations to clients
- Modelled financial statements to evaluate potential future earnings and profitability
- Presented investment recommendations to clients (investors)
- Met with the covered company top management
- Evaluated companies using valuations techniques such as DCF models

### Investor Relations Analyst, SCOR, London

November 2008 – August 2009: A gap year during university

- Worked on quarterly results presentations directed to the investor community
- Prepared quarterly actuals analysis and helped to explain variance to stakeholders
- Created a customize and innovative stock flows analysis tool on Excel

**Co-founder of [ePrepa.fr](http://ePrepa.fr)**, an online course platform for students preparing Le Louvre school's entry exams. Update website, develop programs and offer, run webinars and online courses, process web analytics, support external teachers and organize online courses.

Sep 2014 - today

## Education and Qualifications

### **EDHEC Business School**

2007-2010

Master's in business management (2:1)

Master of Science in Finance (2:1)

### **KEDGE Business School**

2004-2007

BA in Business Management, with focus on Finance

## Additional Skills (languages, IT)

**Languages:** Fluent in French and English (C2); Knowledge of Italian

**IT:** Highly proficient in MS Excel

Experienced in MS Office Suite, SPSS, Bloomberg, Reuters, SAP and Google Analytics

## Hobbies

**Piano:** Playing for 12 years

**Opera:** Created the association Apero'pera at EDHEC Business School to initiate students to Opera in Nice and Monte-Carlo. Organised numerous events and established partnership with opera productions.

**Sports:** Olympic Game Maker during the London 2012 games, for the cycling competitions. Member of league football team for 12 years (team captain for the last 2 years). Active runner.

**Winner** of the Youth Prize for Excellence at the European Cultural Poetry Competition in 2003.