# Berna Ülman

Place of residence	Istanbul, Turkey
Date of birth	01 September 1965
Nationality	Turkish and US-American

#### Position

2023 – present Member of the Supervisory Board, ProCredit Holding AG, Frankfurt am Main, Germ	lain, Germany
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### **Professional history**

2022 – present	Independent Board Director and Audit and Risk Committee Chair Silk Road Real Estate Group, Tbilisi, Georgia
2021 – present	Independent Board Director and Audit and Governance Committee Chair Akis Real Estate Investment, Istanbul, Turkey
2012 – present	Board Director and Treasurer; Trustee SEV Health and Education Foundation, Istanbul, Turkey
2016 – 2021	Senior Vice President and Regional Managing Director - Southeast Europe Board Director, Visa Market Councils - Bulgaria, Cyprus, Greece, Romania, Turkey, Visa International, Istanbul, Turkey
2000 – 2016	Vice President and Regional Managing Director - Southeast Europe General Manager – Turkey, Visa Europe, Istanbul, Turkey
1995 – 2000	Vice President - Credit Cards Vice President - Systems Planning Koc Finansman, Istanbul, Turkey

## Education

04/2022 – 10/2022	International Directors Programme INSEAD Business School, Fontainbleau, France
11/2007 – 02/2008	European Studies Programme Bilgi University, Istanbul, Turkey
1988 – 1990	MBA in Finance University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee, USA
1983 – 1987	BA in Business Administration Bosphorus University, Istanbul, Turkey

#### **Mandates**

Statutory supervisory boards and comparable bodies:

- · Independent Board Director and Audit and Risk Committee Chair, Silk Road Real Estate Group, Tbilisi. Georgia
- · Independent Board Director, Governance Committee Chair and Audit Committee member, Akis Real Estate Investment, Istanbul, Turkey
- · Board Director and Treasurer; Trustee, SEV Health and Education Foundation, Istanbul, Turkey
- $\cdot$  Member of the Advisory Board of Quipu GmbH, Frankfurt am Main, Germany

# Relevant knowledge, skills and professional experience

Competent leader of an international team with a focus on South Eastern Europe. Extensive experience in strategic alignment, innovative financial technology, payments and new business channels. Professional and efficient crisis management.