



## Media Release

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## Idorsia announces the nomination of three candidates for election to the Board of Directors

- Idorsia nominates three Board Directors with outstanding pharmaceutical industry, management and financial expertise for election at the Annual General Meeting 2026 on May 6, 2026
- All Board members – current and proposed – are committed to accelerating the growth of the company

#### **Allschwil, Switzerland – March 24, 2026**

Idorsia Ltd (SIX: IDIA) announces that the Board of Directors will propose three candidates for election to the Board at the upcoming Annual General Meeting of Shareholders: **Natalia Misciattelli**, Chief Executive Officer and member of the Board of Directors at AAVantgarde Bio; **Gabriel Baertschi**, Chief Executive Officer of Grünenthal; and **André C. Muller**, former Chief Executive Officer of Idorsia.

Natalia Misciattelli and Gabriel Baertschi are nominated as **independent** members of the Board. Having served as Chief Executive Officer of Idorsia until June 2025 and currently acting as an advisor to the Board, André Muller is nominated as a **non-independent** member.

The proposed composition further strengthens the Board with senior leaders who bring deep experience in global operations, biopharmaceutical innovation, commercial execution, and long-term strategic execution, while ensuring continuity through extensive company knowledge.

#### **Mathieu Simon, Vice Chairman and Lead Independent Board member, commented:**

“We are very pleased to nominate Gabriel Baertschi, Natalia Misciattelli, and André C. Muller for election to Idorsia’s Board of Directors. Gabriel and Natalia bring broad, complementary expertise from across the biopharmaceutical and biotech sectors, while André’s deep knowledge of Idorsia will help ensure continuity as the company moves forward. Together, their experience will strengthen the Board’s ability to support the company to accelerate commercial performance, business development opportunities, and the innovative pipeline.”

#### **Biographies of the nominees**

##### **Natalia Misciattelli (Independent candidate)**

Dr Natalia Misciattelli is the Chief Executive Officer and a member of the Board of Directors at AAVantgarde Bio, a biotechnology company developing next-generation gene therapies. She brings more than 25 years of international executive experience spanning from advancement of novel therapeutic platforms, operational transformation, corporate development & capital strategy.

Her extensive experience combined with her leadership across multiple innovative biotech environments – will provide valuable insight as Idorsia advances its pipeline and growth priorities.

##### **Gabriel Baertschi (Independent candidate)**

Gabriel Baertschi currently serves as Chief Executive Officer of Grünenthal, a global leader in pain research and management. With more than 20 years of international pharmaceutical experience, he has held senior leadership roles across Europe, Asia, and in global therapeutic area strategic roles, consistently delivering portfolio expansion, operational excellence, and organizational transformation.

His proven track record in commercial strategy, market expansion, M&A, and patient-focused innovation will support Idorsia's commitment to sustainable long-term value creation.

**André C. Muller (Non-Independent candidate)**

André C. Muller previously served as Chief Executive Officer of Idorsia, having joined the company at its creation in 2017 as Chief Financial Officer. He played a central role in Idorsia's development, transformation initiatives, and business development strategy over several years, and continues to advise the organization.

His nomination as a non-independent Board member reflects the Board's confidence in the value of his deep understanding of Idorsia's business, assets, and strategic trajectory. Mr Muller brings extensive leadership experience across pharmaceutical R&D strategy, finance, and long-term business planning.

**Re-election of Board members**

The Board will also propose the **re-election of Jean-Paul Clozel** (who will also stand for the role of Chairman), as well as the **re-election of independent Board members Mathieu Simon** (Vice-Chairman and Lead Independent), and **Sandy Mahatme**.

**Bart Filius** has informed the Board that he will not stand for re-election at the AGM 2026.

**Jean-Paul Clozel, MD, Chairman of the Board of Idorsia, commented:**

"I'm very pleased that Mathieu and Sandy will stand for re-election, bringing continuity to the Board. I would also like to extend my gratitude to Bart. He has been a consummate professional throughout his tenure, supporting the company during an important period in Idorsia's evolution. He has always supported our common vision of improving the life of patients with innovative R&D and shown great enthusiasm for our pipeline."

**Annual General Meeting 2026**

The AGM to approve the Annual Report of the year ending December 31, 2025, will be held on Wednesday, May 6, 2026.

The company encourages all shareholders to register their shares no later than **17:00 CEST on April 27, 2026**, in order to vote at the AGM either in person or through the independent proxy card, which will be distributed in due course.

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**Notes to the editor**

**About Natalia Misciattelli**

Dr Misciattelli has been Chief Executive Officer and a member of the Board of Directors at AAVantgarde Bio since 2022. Prior to joining AAVantgarde, she served as Chief Business Officer at NovalGen and Senior Vice President of Strategy & Operations at Freeline. Her earlier career includes roles at Arthur Andersen in London, corporate development at GE Healthcare, and partnership leadership at PA Consulting, advising global clients across Europe, the United States, Asia, and Latin America.

**Nationality:** Danish

**Year of birth:** 1972

**Education:** B.Sc. and Ph.D. in Microbiology, Bangor University, University of Wales, UK

**Board membership:** Fishmonger Livery Company (non-listed)



#### About Gabriel Baertschi

Gabriel Baertschi has served as Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Corporate Executive Board of Grünenthal since 2016. He previously held senior international leadership roles at AstraZeneca, including Company President for Japan, Germany, and Thailand, and General Manager for Vietnam and Indonesia.

**Nationality:** Swiss

**Year of birth:** 1974

**Education:** Master of Science in Biology, University of Neuchâtel; "Leading Enterprise Transformation" program, Harvard Business School

**Board membership:** DKSH Holding AG (listed), MedXCell (non-listed)

#### About André Muller

André C. Muller joined Idorsia at its creation in June 2017 as Chief Financial Officer, having previously served as CFO of Actelion since 2013. He became Idorsia's Chief Executive Officer in June 2024 following the retirement of founder and CEO Jean-Paul Clozel, serving for one year before transitioning to an advisory role. Before Actelion, he held senior financial leadership positions at Pierre Fabre SA.

**Nationality:** French

**Year of birth:** 1963

**Education:** Master's degree in Business Administration, EMLYON Business School, Lyon, France

**Board membership:** Collectis (listed), Chiron Investments AG (non-listed)

#### About Idorsia

The purpose of Idorsia is to discover, develop and commercialize innovative medicines to help more patients. To achieve this, we will develop Idorsia into a leading biopharmaceutical company, with a strong scientific core.

Headquartered near Basel, Switzerland – a European biotech hub – Idorsia has a highly experienced team of dedicated professionals, covering all disciplines from bench to bedside; QUVIVIQ™ (daridorexant), a different kind of insomnia treatment with the potential to revolutionize this mounting public health concern; strong partners to maximize the value of our portfolio; a promising in-house development pipeline; and a specialized drug discovery engine focused on small-molecule drugs that can change the treatment paradigm for many patients. Idorsia is listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange (ticker symbol: IDIA).

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