

Curriculum Vitae



Anup Kothari

Member of the Board of Executive Directors, BASF SE

Anup Kothari is an Indian-American business executive born in 1968 in Kota, India. He earned a bachelor's degree in chemical engineering from the Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee, India, and a master's degree in chemical engineering from the University of Kentucky. He also holds an MBA from the University of Chicago Booth School of Business.

He is responsible for the divisions Battery Materials; Coatings; Dispersions & Resins; Environmental Catalyst and Metal Solutions; Performance Chemicals; Region North America.

Professional Career

- 2024** Member of the Board of Executive Directors, BASF SE, Ludwigshafen, Germany
- 2021** President, Nutrition & Health, BASF SE, Ludwigshafen, Germany
- 2017** President, Performance Chemicals, BASF SE, Ludwigshafen, Germany
- 2015** Senior Vice President, Performance Chemicals North America, BASF Corporation, Florham Park, New Jersey, USA
- 2012** Vice President, Business Management Mobile Emissions Catalysts Asia Pacific, Catalysts division, Shanghai, China
- 2008** Vice President, Strategy & Planning, New Business Development, Catalysts division, BASF Corporation, Iselin, New Jersey, USA
- 2006** Group Leader, Global Strategic Marketing Detergents & Formulators, Care Chemicals division, BASF SE, Ludwigshafen, Germany
- 2003** Business Manager, Performance Chemicals North America, BASF Corporation, Florham Park, New Jersey, USA
- 2002** Technology & Capital Program Manager, BASF Corporation, Mount Olive, New Jersey, USA
- 2001** Capital Projects, Assets & Technology Manager, BASF Corporation, Mount Olive, New Jersey, USA
- 1999** BASF MBA Professional Development Program, BASF Corporation, Mount Olive, New Jersey, USA