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Werner Kretschmer is Head of Austria and CEE for Pioneer Investments and CEO of Pioneer Investments Austria. He is also Vice Chairman of Pioneer Pekao Investment Management S.A. (Poland), Chairman of Pioneer investiční společnost, a.s. and Pioneer Asset Management, a.s. (Czech Republic), Chairman of Pioneer Investment Fund Management Ltd (Hungary) and member of the board of directors of VÖIG (Association of Austrian mutual fund companies).

Werner has over 20 years experience in the financial services industry. From 2006 to 2008 he was a Member of the Managing Board of Bank Austria Creditanstalt AG Private Banking & Asset Management. From 2002 to 2004, Werner held the position of Senior General Manager of Bank Austria Creditanstalt, responsible for Asset Management in Austria and CEE. In 2004 he was also given responsibility for Banking Products/Services and Private Banking in Austria.

Prior to this, he was Chief Executive Officer of Asset Management GmbH and a Board Member of San Marco Mutual Fund Company, BA Worldwide Fund Management and Capital Invest (Austria).

Werner holds a PHD in Law and Economics from the University of Graz. He has published articles and books on various Asset Management topics, and for many years he lectured on Investments. He holds an Independent Financial Adviser licence.

Werner has a son, with whom he enjoys spending much of his free time. He likes travelling, reading books and is passionate about skiing.