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## **Announcement of AICM New Leadership Team from the Board**

AICM is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Fernando Vallina, Chairman, ExxonMobil (China) Investment Co., Ltd as the new co-Deputy Chairman of AICM along with Mr. Paul Lindblad, President, Greater China, Wacker Chemicals (China) Co., Ltd. as of March 19, 2021.

Mr. Vallina replaces Mr. Ming C. Chien, President APAC Region, Lanxess, whose term of Board has expired, subsequently the Board approves Mr. Chien's application to join AICM Advisory Board as new member per the bylaws.

Further more, the Board appoints Dr. Bradley Morrison, Senior Vice President, Operations & Site Management BASF Greater China as new Board Director effective March 19, 2021. Dr. Morrison has a profound experience in the regional and global chemical industry. The Board firmly believes he will provide further impetus to the continued development of AICM with his strong leadership. He will be sponsor board of the Industry Policy Advocacy Committee (IPAC) along with Mr. Fernando Vallina.

The Board would like to express its sincere appreciation for Mr. Chien's remarkable contributions and leadership as Board Director and Deputy Chair over the years and continuesly support as the Advisory Board member thereafter.

Bios of Dr. Morrison is attached and the announcement will be posted on AICM website [www.aicm.cn](http://www.aicm.cn).

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