



Heinz Knolle

Chief Financial & Corporate Affairs Officer

After graduating with a diploma in business administration at the Wilhelms University of Münster, Heinz completed his tax consultant exams in 2007, and one year later, completed his exams to become a German Public Accountant.

In 2004, Heinz started his career at auditing companies KPMG and EY, formerly Ernst & Young, where he worked for ten years. Though he was predominantly based in Munich, Germany, he also spent time as an expat in Boston, Massachusetts as a Senior Manager. In this role, he managed, planned, coordinated and monitored diverse assurance service projects in Germany, the USA and Canada and signed audit opinions and reports as the auditor in charge.

Ten years later, he continued in his career at Siemens in the real estate sector as the Head of Shareholder Administration and Controlling in charge of compliance with accounting regulations, tax matters, corporate law and specific controlling affairs. Before joining AVIAREPS, Heinz worked at the consulting firm Roland Berger Holding GmbH, where he served as the Head of Global Accounting and Tax and also held the role of Senior Vice President in charge of accounting and tax matters for the group.

Heinz joined AVIAREPS in October 2017 as Head of Finance & Controlling, directly reporting to the Chief Financial & Corporate Affairs Officer. In September 2019, he was promoted to Chief Financial & Corporate Affairs Officer himself with a direct reporting line to the Chief Executive Officer. In this current role, Heinz is responsible for the company's financial strategy and operations, as well as corporate affairs, investor relations, legal and departmental human resources.

Outside of the office, Heinz enjoys spending time with his family, reading and doing sports. But his professional eye for detail and accuracy is particularly useful when he's on the badminton court!