



Press Release

Alpha Bank realigns its Executive Committee for the next phase of growth – Iossif Kiouroukoglou appointed Chief of Wholesale Banking

Alpha Bank launches the new phase of its growth strategy, having built one of the most comprehensive financial-services ecosystems in the Greek market. The strategic partnership with UniCredit, the expansion into Cyprus through the acquisition of AstroBank, the strengthening of Investment Banking through AXIA Ventures Group, and the development of Wealth Management following the acquisition of Alpha Trust have materially broadened the Bank's ability to serve its corporate and individual clients end-to-end. The evolution of its leadership team is the next step in harnessing this momentum and in delivering the Bank's strategy for sustainable growth and value creation.

In this context, the Bank introduces changes to its Executive Committee, appointing **Iossif Kiouroukoglou as Chief of Wholesale Banking** and a member of the Executive Committee, reporting directly to the Group CEO, effective **15 September 2026**. Iossif Kiouroukoglou's appointment reflects the Bank's continued commitment to evolving its leadership structure, combining institutional continuity with new skills and international expertise, while attracting distinguished Greek professionals who have excelled abroad.

The change comes as **Ioannis Emiris** completes a long and highly successful tenure as Chief of Wholesale Banking, a role he has held since 2019. Ioannis Emiris concludes a career of more than 35 years within the Group, over twenty of them at Alpha Bank, during which he contributed decisively to strengthening the Bank's relationships with the Greek and international business community and to shaping Wholesale Banking around a modern, international banking model.

Iossif Kiouroukoglou brings more than twenty years of international experience in investment banking and capital markets, having played a pivotal role in landmark transactions in Greece and abroad. His deep knowledge of international markets, extensive experience in complex financings, mergers and acquisitions, and his strong network among leading investors and business groups significantly enhance Alpha Bank's capacity to support investment growth on behalf of customers and to capture opportunities in an increasingly international environment. His proven ability to lead high-performing teams and to build best-in-class banking franchises is a significant asset for the next phase of growth of Alpha Bank's Wholesale Banking, and for further strengthening the Group's capability to create long-term value for the Greek economy and its customers.

Strengthening the Bank's growth initiatives

In parallel, the Bank introduces further changes in the Executive Committee's organizational structure, with **Georgios Michalopoulos, Chief Wealth Management Officer**, now reporting directly to the Group CEO. This development reflects the strategic importance of Wealth Management to Alpha Bank following the acquisition of Alpha Trust, as well as the continued strengthening of activities that create high added value for customers and further differentiate the Bank's business model.

Message from the CEO of Alpha Bank Group, Vassilios Psaltis:

"Today, Alpha Bank maintains a stronger and more diversified financial-services platform that combines the strength of wholesale banking with enhanced capabilities in Investment Banking, Wealth Management and cross-border services for corporate customers. The evolution of our leadership team is the natural extension of this strategy."

I am pleased to welcome Iossif Kiouroukoglou to our Executive Committee as our new Chief of



Wholesale Banking. His international experience, deep market knowledge and expertise in complex transactions will further strengthen our ability to support the growth and international expansion of Greek businesses. His return to Greece, after a successful international career, is also a powerful signal of confidence in the prospects of the Greek economy and of our banking system. Iosif brings to Alpha Bank a modern, international and thoroughly client-centric perspective, at a time when the needs of businesses are becoming increasingly more complex and growth opportunities extend beyond national borders. I am confident that, with his experience and leadership, Wholesale Banking will continue to play a leading role in financing the economy, supporting investment and creating long-term value.

At the same time, the enhanced role of Wealth Management within our organizational structure reflects the strategic importance we attach to an area that is becoming a core pillar of Alpha Bank's future growth.

In this context, I would like to express my warmest thanks to Ioannis Emiris for his outstanding and long-standing contribution to Alpha Bank. Ioannis served the Bank with the highest professionalism, integrity, institutional consistency and deep commitment to our strategic objectives. In periods that were especially demanding for the banking system and the Greek economy, his leadership, judgement and profound knowledge of the market have contributed decisively to the successful development of Wholesale Banking. His mark on the Bank's course is significant and enduring. His contribution to deepening our relationships with corporate clients in Greece and abroad, and to supporting major business ventures, leaves a valuable legacy for the road ahead. I thank him personally for his partnership, commitment and dedication throughout these years. Businesses today need far more than a bank. They need a strategic partner. That is what we aspire to be".

The new composition of Alpha Bank's Executive Committee, effective 15 September 2026, is detailed below:

Chair:

- **Vassilios E. Psaltis**, Chief Executive Officer

Members:

- **Lazaros A. Papagaryfallou**, Deputy CEO
- **Nikos V. Salakas**, Chief of Corporate Center and General Counsel
- **Panagiotis K. Georgiopoulos**, Chief Retail Client Strategies Officer
- **Georgios D. Linatsas**, Chief of Investment Banking
- **Konstantinos G. Sarafopoulos**, Chief Risk Officer
- **Iossif Kiouroukoglou**, Chief of Wholesale Banking
- **Georgios V. Michalopoulos**, Chief Wealth Management Officer
- **Fragiski G. Melissa**, Chief Human Resources Officer
- **Stefanos N. Mytilinaios**, Chief Integration and Group Initiatives Officer
- **Vasileios G. Kosmas**, Chief Financial Officer
- **Michalis V. Tsarbopoulos**, Chief Digital and Technology Officer

Iossif Kiouroukoglou — Brief Bio

Iossif Kiouroukoglou was born in Athens in 1978. He is a Mechanical Engineer (First Class Honours) graduate of City University, and holds a Master's Degree in Advanced Mechanical Engineering from Imperial College.

He has more than 20 years of experience in investment and corporate banking. He began his career at Credit Suisse and moved in 2006 to Merrill Lynch, subsequently part of Bank of America, where he remained until recently as Managing Director, Country Executive for Greece and Head of European Transportation Infrastructure.

Over the course of his career, he has advised more than 100 international transactions with a total value of over € 200 billion, including major mergers and acquisitions, share capital increases and complex financing transactions for the Greek banking sector, the Greek State, and leading Greek



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and international corporates and investors.

He also has extensive experience in the infrastructure and transport sector, having played a decisive role in recent years in some of the sector's most significant deals across airports, ports and toll motorways, representing leading international infrastructure and transport groups, investment funds and state entities.