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[Pedersen & Partners Appoints Gautier Vasseur Head of Russia and Central Asia](#)

Gautier Vasseur, a Partner with Pedersen & Partners, has until recently led operations in Central Asia. For more than 15 years he lived and worked in Central and Eastern Europe. He joined Pedersen & Partners in 2003, first working in the Prague office, then in Moscow and Almaty. Over the course of his career with the firm he has successfully completed over 200 recruitments at the Senior, Board, and supervisory Board level across all sectors in the CEE and CIS regions. In October 2009 he took over responsibility for the firm's business in Russia with two offices in Moscow and St. Petersburg. Vasseur will be dividing his time between Kazakhstan and Russia.

"At present most companies in the CIS region are optimizing and restructuring their organizations and we see a growing demand for our services. It is more important than ever for our clients to receive the correct advice that will help them address their human capital needs," comments Gautier Vasseur. "We have leading offices with teams of experienced consultants in 9 CIS countries (Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan, Azerbaijan, Armenia, Georgia, Belarus, Moldova, Ukraine, and Russia), and Pedersen & Partners today is well-positioned to offer the right insight and satisfy the specific needs of companies operating in these countries. We have solid plans and strong financial reserves to invest in developing our business in the region and effectively service our clients here."

Gautier Vasseur holds an MBA from Chambéry Graduate Business School in France and a specialized Master's degree in Intercultural Management. In addition to his native French, he speaks fluent English and German and communicates well in Russian, Czech, Slovak, and Spanish.

The Pedersen & Partners office in Almaty, Kazakhstan was established in 2007 and has quickly become an important hub for developing business in the Central Asia and CIS regions.

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Executive Director's Message

On behalf of the American Chamber of Commerce in Kazakhstan, [I wish to welcome you to the AmCham website](#), which outlines our mission, objectives, and activities on behalf of Kazakhstan's trade and investment community, both foreign and domestic.

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