



Welcome to Jacques Vandenschrik!

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The European Federation of Food Banks (FEBA) is happy to announce that its board of directors has elected Jacques Vandenschrik as new president from October 21st, 2016. Jacques has been active in food banking activities since 2008, as president of the food bank of Tournai, Vice President of the Belgian Federation of Food Banks and FEBA director. He is succeeding Maria Isabel Jonet, who served as president of FEBA since 2012.

About

Jacques

Vandenschrik

After a career in Health Services in Somalia for the European Development Fund and in Belgium as Director of Nursing Services of a University hospital Jacques migrated in 1983 to South Africa to join a large multinational industrial as HR Director. Later on, he created his own company specialized in the research and development of antiseptics. His professional life led him to develop global business contacts in Europe, Asia and America. From 1984 to 2008, Jacques also held the position of Honorary Consul for Belgium in Port Elizabeth. Since 2008 Jacques has returned to his native country.

Jacques holds a master degree in Hospital Sciences from the Free University of Brussels, completed by a post-graduate education in Business Administration at the Catholic University of Louvain and in Industrial Relations at the Port Elizabeth University.

We wish Jacques a warm welcome as president of FEBA, and we are very grateful to Maria Isabel Jonet who led the Federation with talent, dedication and endless passion for the vulnerable people food banks serve.

About FEBA

Established in 1986, the European Federation of Food Banks (FEBA) brings together more than 300 food banks in 23 countries working with and for more than 33 000 associations which support vulnerable populations by redistributing them surplus food which otherwise would have been wasted. We influence policies and help food banks to build capacity by providing knowledge & experience sharing and by facilitating food and fund sourcing to allow them serving more or better people in need.

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