

Board of Directors

Akgün Türer



Chairman of Board and Chairman of the Audit Committee

Akgün Türer graduated from Bogaziçi University, Faculty of Electrical and Electronics Engineering in 1991. He later obtained an MBA from Manchester Business School in 1993. He has 15 years of experience in the banking and finance sectors. He worked in asset management between 1995-1998 while he helped establish market and manage international mutual funds invested into Turkish equities by international corporate investors. During this period, Mr. Türer also participated in the management of several venture capital firms. Later in 2000-2001, he lectured at Bilgi University's MBA program, on his experience on venture capital investments. He joined the GSD Group in 1996 as a board member of GSD Holding, GSD Foreign Trade and Tekstil Leasing. Mr. Türer was appointed CEO of GSD Holding in 1999. He currently serves as chairman in Tekstilbank, GSD Bank and GSD International, as vice chairman in Tekstil Factoring, Tekstil Leasing and Tekstil Securities and as a board member in GSD Foreign Trade, The Euro Textile Bank and GSD Educational Foundation. He is also the chairman of Tekstilbank's Audit Committee and a member of the Board of Trustees of GSD Educational Foundation.

İ.Sühan Özkan



Vice Chairman of The Board

I. Suhan Ozkan graduated from the Istanbul University, Faculty of Law in 1974. He was appointed board member of Tekstilbank on March 2004 and chairman of corporate governance committee of Tekstilbank on December 2006. Meanwhile he was also board member in GSD Holding, consultant in Tekstil Factoring and auditor in Tekstil IT. Prior to that, he was a board member in Anadolu Agency between 1985 and 1987 and Turkish Airlines between 1996 and 1999. Mr. Ozkan is a member of the Istanbul Bar, while he also used to be a member of the Grand National Assembly of Turkey from 1999 until 2002.

Cezmi Öztürk



Board Member

Cezmi Öztürk graduated from the Istanbul University, Faculty of Business Administration in 1980. He has been working as the CEO and vice chairman in Delta Investment since 1982. Mr. Öztürk was appointed to the board of Tekstilbank in 2007. He currently serves as vice chairman in Delta Holding and Birand Clothing and as a board member in GSD Holding, Tekstilbank, Tekstil Factoring, Tekstil Leasing and Beyaz Saray Construction&Tourism.

Murat Atım



Board Member

Murat Atım graduated from the Istanbul University, Faculty of Law in 1971. He has been working as an attorney in commercial law, capital markets law and intellectual property law since 1972. Mr. Atım has been working as a legal advisor of GSD Holding since its establishment. He was appointed to the board of Tekstilbank in March 2008. Mr. Atım currently serves as a board member in GSD Holding, Tekstilbank, Tekstil Leasing, GSD International and GSD Educational Foundation.

Sencan Derebeyoğlu



Board Member and Member of the Audit Committee

Sencan Derebeyoglu is a graduate of Bogazici University with both a BSc and an MSc in Mechanical Engineering. He has also earned a masters degree in Banking from Marmara University. Mr. Derebeyoglu worked for several years in the private sector (for Siemens and Anex) before commencing his banking career in 1987. He was Marketing and sales manager at the branch offices of Interbank and TEB from 1987 to 1992. Mr. Derebeyoglu joined Tekstilbank in 1992 where he initially worked as marketing manager, later assuming the role of branch manager until 1997. In 1997 he was promoted to EVP of treasury, international banking, treasury operations, financial Management, IT, credit cards, operations, legislation, advertisement and communications, organisations, projects, construction and property, administrative affairs, and security at different time intervals. He has been head of Bank risk committee since 2001 as well as coordinator of the audit committee since 2007. He is also the EVP in charge of support, as well as the auditor of Tekstil Securities. Overall, he has 21 years of banking experience out of 24 years of business practice.

H.Çim Güzelaydınılı**General Manager and Board Member**

Çim Güzelaydınılı, a graduate of the Bogazici University, Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences, Department of Business Administration in 1984, obtained an MBA from the same university in 1987. She started her career as an auditor in the auditing firm Arthur Andersen between 1987 and 1990, following which she worked as EVP responsible for financial affairs in Aktif Finans Factoring between 1990 and 1993. She participated in Tekstilbank as EVP responsible for the Capital Markets between 1993 and 1994 and continued her duty as CEO in Tekstil Factoring between 1994 and 2002. She was appointed CEO of Tekstilbank in 2002, while she was also chairman of the board of directors in Tekstilbank between 2004 and 2006. She currently serves as a board member in Tekstilbank and chairman of the board of directors in The Euro Textile Bank Off-Shore and Tekstil Securities. Mrs. Güzelaydınılı was also board member in the GSD Holding and Tekstil Factoring between 2002 and 2007.