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## **Roland Scheurer new SNB delegate for regional economic relations in Mittelland region**

With effect from the beginning of October 2016, Roland Scheurer is taking on the position of Swiss National Bank delegate for regional economic relations in the Mittelland region. He succeeds Martin Wyss, who is retiring at the beginning of 2017.

Roland Scheurer holds a doctorate from the University of Bern, where he studied economic geography and economics, as well as psychology and educational science. He also has a Master of Science in Economics and Business Administration from the University of Hagen. Since 2004, he has worked as an independent business consultant, heading projects throughout Switzerland for public and private customers in the field of tourism.

The SNB's eight delegates for regional economic relations represent the SNB in the regions of Switzerland. They are constantly in touch with companies from different industries and provide the Governing Board with information about the economic situation. They also have the task of briefing their regions about the SNB's policies.