

2024 AMERICAN CHAMBER **BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTIONS**



VOLIR FILL NAME:	

Honorata Hencel

YOUR JOB TITLE:

Managing Director, Poland & Ukraine

YOUR COMPANY:

Boeing

YOUR BRIEF BIOGRAPHY (250-300 words):

Honorata Hencel currently holds the role of the Managing Director for Boeing in/Poland and Ukraine.

She joined Boeing in August 2015 as Global Navigation Services manager, supporting the Global Data Management Department in Gdansk.

Hencel is an accomplished technology leader with 20 years experience leading large-scale multi-national teams working with airline operators, avionics manufacturers and software vendors in a highly regulated aviation domain. She is also president of the Boeing Women Inspiring Leadership Europe chapter and cofounder of the regional aviation-cluster Aviation Hub Pomerania.



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In her previous position, she was responsible for seamless delivery of Information Technology services for 8,000 employees in the Europe, the United Kingdom, Israel and Ukraine. In that role, Hencel was responsible for understanding business needs, shaping strategy, and ensuring delivery of programs supporting business growth and optimization.

Hencel graduated from the Economics Faculty at the University of Gdansk and E-Health Management in Rome Business School, and completed post-diploma studies in Staff Management at PG Gdansk and Airline and Travel Industries at the Greenwich School of Management London.



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ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

Why do you think membership in the American Chamber of Commerce is important for businesses operating in Ukraine?

The membership creates an opportunity to address the business needs and requirements in the alignment manner for the companies representing US, supports relationships with the government and industry representatives and addressing the common goal, helps to understand the current and future state of the market. Creates a direct way to influence the way Ukrainian economy and supporting policies are being addressed.

What motivates you to be the Chamber Board Member?

AmCham Ukraine is one of the most efficient organizations I have seen in my career, with a high rate of potential impact on the operating environment for the US companies – I want to be part of the leadership team that leverages AmCham's importance even more – for the positive outcome of Ukraine as a country supporting American investments and sustained business.

Why do you feel you are qualified to serve on the Chamber Board? What skills would you bring to the Board?

I have extensive experience (20+ years) working with various stakeholders, both internal and external, in leadership capacity. Leading other leaders is my core competence. Other competencies are: strategic thinking, building relationships, business acumen and cultural leadership. Overall, I have been working with selected government representatives for Ukraine in the last months.

How have you been active in the Chamber over the course of the last two years?

Yes - in the last 4 months since I have taken over the role of Managing Director for Ukraine.



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What activity or Committee would you participate in and be responsible for?	
Defense and Security council or Human Capital council.	
Are you a member of the Board of Directors of similar associations?	
No	