



## Three international directors from the Ingérop Group have joined its Executive Committee to support its global growth

**Rueil-Malmaison, 2 April 2026** – The French group Ingérop, a key player in engineering supporting the ecological, energy, industrial, digital and societal transitions, is pleased to announce the appointment of three of its international subsidiary directors to its Group Executive Committee with effect from 1 April 2026. These appointments mark a key milestone in the group’s international growth strategy and demonstrate its commitment to strengthening its presence and impact on global markets.



**Virgine Lanfrey, Michael Zech, Dan Squires**

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### **Virgine Lanfrey, Group Ethics Director, Head of the Transport Division at Rendel, the UK subsidiary of the Ingérop Group, and Head of Rendel - Ingérop’s Irish subsidiary**

Virgine Lanfrey, aged 46, holds a degree in civil engineering from the Institut National des Sciences Appliquées (INSA) in Rennes, France. Virgine began her career as a road infrastructure engineer within Ingérop’s Infrastructure department in Courbevoie. In 2013, she moved to Sydney, Australia, and then joined Rendel in 2018 to set up a new entity: Rendel Ingerop Australia. In this role, she built a local team and developed the company’s presence in the Australian market. Virgine was also awarded Fellow status by the professional body Engineers Australia in 2001, in recognition of her expertise, achievements and contribution to the profession. She has served as International Compliance Officer for the group since September 2021 and has been appointed Compliance Officer for the group with effect from 1 April 2026. After four successful years at Rendel Ingerop Australia, Virgine moved to London as part of the group’s international mobility programme, where she became Director of Infrastructure and Transport, and joined Rendel’s Operational Executive Committee as well as Ingérop’s Board of Directors. As the company has grown, Virgine now focuses her work at Rendel on the transport sector and is also responsible for the new Irish subsidiary, Rendel Ingerop Ireland, which was launched in September 2025.

### **Michael Zech, Director of Building, Energy and Industry at Ingérop Deutschland**

Michael Zech graduated with a degree in civil engineering from the Carolo-Wilhelmina Technical University of Brunswick in 1995, following training as a reserve officer in the German army. He began his career at a medium-sized engineering firm as a structural engineer specialising in civil engineering structures for Deutsche Bahn. In 2000, he returned to academia as a research fellow, focusing on research, teaching and the assessment of the design of civil engineering structures and bridges. In 2005, he obtained his PhD in engineering from the University of Duisburg-Essen. In 2006, Michael joined E.ON, where, from 2008, he took charge of engineering for energy facilities covering generation, transmission and storage. In 2020, he joined Ingérop Deutschland as Head of the Structures Department and, in 2022, was appointed

to the Executive Board (Geschäftsführer), responsible for engineering in the energy, industry and building sectors.

**Dan Squires, Deputy Managing Director and Board Member of Rendel, the UK subsidiary of the Ingérop Group**

Dan Squires, aged 48, is a civil engineer who graduated from the University of Southampton in England and holds a Master's degree in Law, having studied construction law and arbitration at Robert Gordon University in Scotland. He has been awarded Chartered Engineer status by the Institution of Engineering and Technology in the UK and is a Fellow of Engineers Australia, both of which recognise his knowledge, achievements and contribution to the profession. Daniel has spent his entire career at Rendel, where he began as a trainee engineer, gaining experience before and during his university studies, before taking up a position as a graduate engineer. He currently holds the position of Deputy Managing Director and is a member of the Board of Directors of Rendel Ltd. He also sits on the boards of several Rendel subsidiaries. His responsibilities include the overall management of business development, leading the Australia region, and overseeing the ports, industry and energy sectors within the company. Specialising in port and maritime engineering, Daniel has spent his career working in Vietnam, Ghana, Kuwait and Australia; these experiences have shaped his passion for international projects and played a vital role in expanding Rendel's global portfolio. He also played a key role in the successful acquisition and integration of the Aspec subsidiary into the Ingérop group.

These three experienced directors join the management team to accelerate the Ingérop Group's international expansion whilst ensuring operational excellence across all the French and international territories where Ingérop operates. Yves Metz, Chairman of the Ingérop Group: "We are delighted to welcome Virginie Lanfrey, Michael Zech and Daniel Squires to our Executive Committee. Their expertise and international experience will enrich the discussions within our Executive Committee and strengthen our ability to innovate and grow on a global scale."

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