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Gerard Worms **Honorary Chairman of the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC)**



Gerard Worms became Honorary Chairman of the International Chamber of Commerce on 1 July 2013, after serving as Chairman since March 2011.

Mr Worms is also Chairman of ICC France, Vice-Chairman of the investment bank Rothschild Europe, and Honorary Chairman of the privately-run centre for economic research Coe-Rexecode. He has chaired ICC France since 2006.

Much of Mr Worms' career has been with the multinational Suez Group, as Executive Vice-President then Chairman and CEO. He was Chairman of Banque Indosuez and the insurance group Victoire.

Graduating from France's *Ecole Polytechnique* in 1957 and *Ecole Nationale Supérieure des Mines* in 1960, Mr Worms went on to follow a high-level career in the public and private sectors.

His early experiences include working as an advisor to the French Minister of Industry Olivier Guichard, and the Prime Minister Jacques Chaban-Delmas.

Mr Worms was Executive Vice-President of publishing conglomerate Hachette in the 1970s, then became Executive Vice-President of the chemicals and pharmaceuticals group Rhône-Poulenc.

Supporting a range of clubs and societies, Mr Worms is Honorary Chairman of France's National Technical Research Association (ANRT) and the *Société d'Economie Politique*. He is a Commander of the French Legion of Honour.

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