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BERGOS BUILDS ECONOMIC EXPERTISE AND APPOINTS DR. JÖRN QUITZAU AS THE NEW CHIEF ECONOMIST

The independent Swiss Private Bank Bergos has appointed Dr. Jörn Quitzau from Hamburg as its Chief Economist, a position created specifically for the economist. Quitzau brings over 20 years of experience in the financial sector and has a long-standing connection with the Zurich-based bank. He will begin his new position as of April 1, 2024. Since 2007, he has been responsible for economic trends at Hamburg's Joh. Berenberg, Gossler & Co. KG, the former mother company of the independent Swiss Private Bank. Prior to that, he worked for six years in the team of the then Chief Economist, Prof. Norbert Walter, at Deutsche Bank in Frankfurt. As the Chief Economist of Bergos AG, Quitzau will play a vital role in the private bank's investment committee. He will also oversee the analysis of long-term economic trends.

In addition to his career as a bank economist, Dr. Jörn Quitzau has also been a Non-Resident Fellow at the American-German Institute (AGI) since 2014. He is a regular guest on Bergos' podcast "Bergos NOW" and has established two of his own podcasts on economic policy since 2020. Furthermore, Quitzau has published two popular science books, one of which, titled "The (Economic) World Turned Upside Down – Concepts for a New Economic Policy," was recently released. He regularly organizes conferences on economic policy topics.

"We are delighted to welcome Dr. Jörn Quitzau, a highly qualified economist," says Till Christian Budelmann, CIO and member of the Executive Management Board of Bergos. "His valuable expertise in economics will significantly strengthen our institution during a period of growth. Additionally, his ability to explain complex economic matters in simple, understandable language sets him apart. He will be a great asset to our Investments department and our capital market communications."

Dr. Jörn Quitzau adds, "At Bergos, I see the corporate culture that I greatly appreciate: humanity, reliability, and trust, combined with a fresh entrepreneurial spirit. It is a uniquely positioned Swiss Private Bank that thinks and acts internationally – an ideal professional home for me. I look forward to the new role at Bergos, working with new colleagues and old acquaintances."



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