

## Summary Bio of Michèle SIOEN

Since 2005, Michèle Sioen has been CEO of Sioen Industries, a Belgium-based group specializing in the production and processing of technical textiles. Michèle joined the Board of Directors of Sioen Industries in 1990, after two years in the IT sector. From 2000 to 2005, Michèle Sioen was General Manager of Sioen's Coating Division, the largest of its three divisions.

From 2001 to 2010, Michele Sioen was President of Fedustria, the federation of textile industries a.o. She is currently member of the board and vice president of VBO-FEB (Federation of Belgian Companies). She is also a non-executive director of Belgacom.

Michèle Sioen holds a degree in Economics from Antwerp University and has attended several executive programs at Vlerick Management school.