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Maija Joutsenkoski has been appointed as Investment Director at A. Ahlström

A. Ahlström Corporation has appointed **Maija Joutsenkoski**, MSc Applied physics, Helsinki University of Technology and MSc École Centrale Paris, Engineering, as Investment Director.

Maija joins from CapMan Buyout, where she has worked as a partner. Prior to that, she worked for about a decade at UPM-Kymmene's Corporate Strategy team, of which three years as Director, Corporate Strategy, and three years leading Program Management Office (PMO) for a global working capital reduction program. Before UPM, Maija worked as Investment Manager at Nordic Capital and as an investment banking analyst at Goldman Sachs in London.

“We warmly welcome Maija to A. Ahlström. We are an active industrial owner with our strategic core built around companies in the Forest & Fiber and the Environmental technology sectors. Maija has “spot-on” experience for this. In addition to her toolkit and industry experience gained at UPM, as well as in private equity and investment banking, Maija has very proactive approach and brings positive energy to the team”, says **Jyrki Vainionpää**, President and CEO of A. Ahlström Corporation.

