



**Hubert Cottogni**, Deputy Director, Head of Mandate Management, European Investment Fund

Hubert Cottogni is the Head of the Mandate Management Department, as well as a Deputy Director, for the European Investment Fund (EIF). He is responsible for originating and managing both regional and centralised Mandates as well as Fund of Funds throughout Europe and beyond (including ESIF, IPE (Juncker Plan), COSME, Horizon, RSI, EREM, PVCi, TII, Neotec, GAGF, G43, TTA Turkey and the SME initiative). In parallel Hubert Cottogni sits on the Board of several prominent funds such as GGF and EFSE.

Prior to this position, he was a Director of Telekom Austria in Vienna, where he spent over 6 years as Head of Strategy and Business Development, and later as Director of Mergers and Acquisitions. He also spent more than 12 years working as Senior Banker in institutions such as EIB and Creditanstalt AG.

Mr. Cottogni holds an MBA degree from the University of Innsbruck as well as an executive degree from INSEAD.