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Mr. Heissenberger graduated from the Vienna University of Technology in Vienna, followed by a doctoral program at the same institution.

Thomas Heissenberger has been working in different positions in the gas industry for more than 25 years. He started his professional career in 1994 in the gas business at Austria Ferngas GmbH, which bundled supply, transport and storage services for the Austrian gas industry in the formerly integrated branch. In 2001, Mr. Heissenberger joined the Austrian regulatory authority E-Control, where he was responsible for the implementation of a gas market model which ensured full liberalization.

His next step was the switch to Austrian Gas Grid Management AG in 2007 as CEO, where had the opportunity to help develop the Austrian gas business. In 2011, he joined the Austrian Transmission System Operator Gas Connect Austria and has been in charge of System Management. Furthermore Mr. Heissenberger is member of supervisory board of Austrian Gas Grid Management AG and AGCS Gas Clearing and Settlement AG.