



Dr. Johan Grön  
Vice President

Dr. Grön is responsible for Outotec Corporation's Dewatering business since he joined the company in October 2013. He has over 20 years of global operating, acquisition and technology experience. From 2010 to 2013, he served as Chief Technology Officer for ITT Corporation's Fluid & Motion Control Division and then as Chief Technology Officer as well as founding executive during IPO of the Xylem Corporation with an annual revenue of 3.8B\$. In this capacity, he was responsible for the competitiveness of its global engineering and innovation platform. Prior to his ITT/Xylem tenure, served as Chief Technology Officer of Kemira Corporation – a Finnish chemical product manufacturer with an annual revenue of 2.2B€ serving pulp & paper, oil & mining and municipal water intensive industries. In this role, he was responsible for restructuring and then ensuring the competitiveness of the company's product, product development and innovation platform. In addition, he has a wide experience in different strategy, restructuring and technology leadership roles from process industry manufacturing and engineered products industry.

Dr. Grön received his M.Sc. and Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering from the Abo Akademi University, where he holds an Associate Professorship since 1998. He is also serving as member of the Strategic Council to the International Water Association and the Scientific Advisory Council to Imagine H2O - a non-profit organization based in Silicon Valley that supports entrepreneurs – since 2012. In addition, he is serving on the Board of Directors of Kotkamills Group – a forest product company - since 2015.