

Biographical Information



Dr. Xavier Lafosse

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Dr. Xavier Lafosse was appointed director, commercial technology, Precision Glass Solutions, in April 2017. In this role, Xavier works with customers and industry leaders to identify new trends and opportunities and drive the technology road mapping process.

Xavier joined Corning in 1995 as a scientist for polymer research and development at the Corning European Technology Center in France. During his time at Corning, Xavier has held a variety of leadership and management roles in research and technology for ophthalmic products, photonics, and other Corning Life Sciences business segments. For 10 years, Xavier served as business technology director for Specialty Materials. In this position, Xavier had responsibilities for product and process development; he established critical technical capabilities in support of Corning® Gorilla® Glass business growth, and he contributed to several new product introductions.

Lafosse graduated from the Ecole Nationale Supérieure de Chimie de Paris and received a doctorate in material physics from Paris University, France. With Corning, he has been granted eight U.S. patents.

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