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Rich Rowe is the President and Chief Executive Officer of Arkema Inc. since June 2015. In this role, Rowe has responsibility for Arkema's activities across much of the Americas. He is a Board member of the American Chemistry Council (ACC) and sits on the ACC's Global Strategy and Responsible Care Committees.

Since joining Arkema in 1989, Rowe has overseen many areas of the group. More recently Rowe was President of the Global Fluorochemicals business unit. He also served as President of Arkema's Functional Additives business worldwide, led the Performance Polymers business in the Americas as well as the Supply Chain Function. Earlier in his career, he was responsible for the Global Nonwoven Adhesives business of Bostik Worldwide.

He holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Chemistry from Bucknell University and a General Management Certificate from the Darden School of Business at University of Virginia.

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