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Message from the President

Dear LSE alumni,

As you might know, 2007 was the year of the launch of the new LSE Alumni Association Belgium. Our Association now has a new leadership team and is re-launching its regular activity. In the last few months we hosted several informal events and we have been busy planning ahead already many more events and initiatives for 2008 in order to give the many LSE alumni in Belgium the well-functioning alumni association they deserve and to strengthen the ties among the LSE alumni living and working at the heart of Europe. The next page gives you a flavour of some of the forthcoming events.

On a more personal note, I will be stepping down as the Association's President. I have been coordinating the Association's activities while living in Boston, and have decided to stay here long term, transferring from Bain & Company's Brussels office to the Boston headquarters. I will however remain closely linked with the LSE AAB, especially in the short term.

I am pleased to announce that Olivier Van Horenbeeck (MSc European Studies 2003) and Lieven Brouwers (MSc International Relations 2006) have stepped forward to co-chair the LSE AAB as new presidents. I am very excited to hand over the leadership to their team of talented and enthusiastic people which will for sure make our association thrive! And as you can see the new team has already organized a whole series of events.

I wish you all the very best for the holidays and hope to see you soon at one of our events,

Jens Audenaert
Founder & President

Lieven Brouwers & Olivier Van Horenbeeck
New co-chairing presidents



President
Jens Audenaert



**Ex. Vice-President
& New President**
Olivier Van Horenbeeck



**Ex. Vice-President
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Lieven Brouwers

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Please feel free to forward this message to other LSE alumni in Belgium who did not receive it directly.

They can now become a member of the LSE AAB and subscribe to our mailing list on the website:

www.lse-alumni.be.

Emails will only be sent to people who have signed up to the mailing list.

Finally, we welcome any form of feedback so please feel free to contact us (lieven@lse-alumni.be) with any suggestions or questions you may have regarding the LSE AAB.

Christmas Tapas at Como Como

Thursday December 13, starting from 7.30pm
Rue Antoine Dansaert 19, 1000 Brussels
<http://comocomo.be/main.html>

Tortilla Española, Argentinian Beef Brochette, Salmon & Pistachio: these are just a few of the tasty treats that swirl by you in plastic bubbles on a conveyor belt at Como Como. These delectable delights await you on 13 December- not to mention the excellent selection of Spanish wines in this Basque tapas bar.

If you intend to come, please RSVP to Nina before 11 December at: nina@lse-alumni.be so she knows for how many people to book the reservation.

New Year's Event

With Sir Howard Davis

Save the date: February 7 2008
More details to follow

On February 7, 2008 we will host our New Year's event with the current Director of the LSE Sir Howard Davies who will be our key-note speaker. Save the date, further details will follow shortly.

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