

Josef Fiala appointed ASECAP President for 2023

ASECAP, the European Association of Operators of Toll Road Infrastructures is pleased to announce that Josef Fiala, CFO of ASFINAG (Austrian toll road operator) has been appointed as ASECAP President for the year 2023 during the General Assembly which took place on November 23d.

"I'm delighted to congratulate Josef Fiala on taking the helm as President of ASECAP for 2023. Josef's skills and expertise will bring great value to ASECAP and the toll road infrastructure companies" said ASECAP Secretary General and CEO Malika Seddi.

Josef Fiala, ASECAP Executive board member, studied political science and law at the University of Vienna. After he graduated, he held various management positions at Generali Versicherung (insurance). He joined ASFINAG in 2008, and was appointed CFO of ASFINAG being responsible for all aspects of finance and accounting, tolling and international activities in April 8, 2019. He has been involved in ASECAP Board for many years.

"I am particularly honored to serve as 2023 ASECAP President at this particular time and I can ensure the ASECAP members that I will put all my efforts and energy in facing the new challenges ahead."

We are facing common GLOBAL challenges, starting with the recovery from COVID-19, which is still impacting the economy in Europe. The conflict between Ukraine and Russia has and will continue to have harsh consequences: an increase in energy costs, slower economic growth and rising inflation, just to mention a few. Climate change challenges will remain one of our highest priorities too. I will build on my predecessors works and initiatives to highlight the contribution of our sector to the Economy and Society. Road infrastructure has also a major role to play in reaching the ambitious goal set up by the European Union to be carbon neutral by 2050, goals reminded at the COP27" said **Josef Fiala, newly appointed ASECAP President**. *I am happy to be supported by the ASECAP presidential board composed of:*

- **Mr Julián Núñez**, President of SEOPAN, First **Vice-President of ASECAP**
- **Mr Konstantinos Koutsoukos**, President of HELLASTRON, Second Vice-President of ASECAP
- **Mr António Nunes de Sousa**, President of APCAP, the Portuguese Association of Toll Highways Concessionaires, Immediate **Past President of ASECAP**

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ASECAP is the European Association of Operators of Toll Road Infrastructures across 19 member countries representing 128 companies employing more than 40.000 direct jobs and 200.000 indirect jobs. They operate, maintain, manage a network of more than 82.000 km with a long-term vision that ensures highest quality standards to make the road infrastructure safest, reducing carbon footprint and preserving the environment thank to the user/polluter/payer principle providing sustainable financing.

