



Henk Vanthournout

Vice President and President
and General Manager of
BorgWarner Battery Energy
Systems

Henk Vanthournout was appointed Vice President and President and General Manager of BorgWarner Battery Energy Systems in March 2026. In this role, Vanthournout is responsible for BorgWarner's global Battery and Energy Systems business.

Most recently, Vanthournout served as Vice President & General Manager, Battery and Charging Systems. He joined BorgWarner in 2011 and has held various positions including Vice President and General Manager Drivetrain Systems, Vice President of Global Sales, Product Strategy in Turbo Systems and Vice President & General Manager, Battery Systems within the Business Unit of Drivetrain and Battery Systems.

Prior to joining BorgWarner, Vanthournout served 14 years at Lear Corporation in several roles of increased responsibilities in Europe and the USA.

Vanthournout earned a master's degree in business administration from Colorado State University as well as a bachelor's degree in business management at the VIVES University of Applied Sciences in Kortrijk, Belgium.