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Unigrains Group appoints two to boost international business development and communications

Unigrains Group, Europe's leading agri-food and agro-industrial investor and reference partner for companies in the sector, has appointed **David De Almeida** as **International Business Manager** and **Ari Levine** as **Marketing & Communications Manager**.

David De Almeida is responsible for supporting Unigrains Group's international growth and investment strategy as well as the internationalization of the companies it backs.

Ari Levine is responsible for overseeing Unigrains Group's marketing & communications efforts both in France and abroad.

Biographies



David De Almeida, 32, International Business Manager

David joined Unigrains Group in September 2016 after having spent over 5 years at Business France. Most recently, as Food Products Department Head, he accompanied the internationalization of French food companies. Prior to that, he worked in Business France's Brazilian office as agro-food export advisor. David began his career working for Groupe Bel and Kraft Foods, covering international missions.

David completed a Master's Degree in Engineering from AgroParisTech.



Ari Levine, 32, Marketing & Communications

Ari joined Unigrains Group in October 2016 from private equity firm 21 Partners where he managed communications and marketing in France and in Europe. Prior to that, he served as a financial communications and public relations consultant at Citigate Dewe Rogerson, an international communications firm.

Ari holds a degree in French Literature from New York University and completed an MBA at HEC Paris in 2008.

ABOUT UNIGRAINS GROUP

For over 50 years, Unigrains Group has been the partner of choice for companies in the agri-food and agro-industrial sectors in France and abroad. With nearly 2 billion euros under management and roughly 200 current participations, Unigrains Group offers a full spectrum of capital development, capital transmission and debt financing solutions in addition to corporate advisory services so as to best meet the needs of companies of all sizes and at every step in their development.

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