

Board of Directors



Dr. Heba Aguib, Member of the Board BMW Foundation Herbert Quandt

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Dr. Heba Aguib is a Member of the Board of the BMW Foundation Herbert Quandt since 2023. She holds a Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering from the Technische Universität München and believes that collaboration and impact-driven solutions are crucial for tackling global challenges.

Aguib's diverse career encompasses research, development, and implementation of cross-sectoral global projects with a focus on local communities and empowering on-the-ground innovation. Since 2019, she has been responsible for the RESPOND impact tech accelerator, the Sustainable Finance and Impact Investing work areas, and the overall strategy of the BMW Foundation.

Prior to her current roles, Aguib co-founded the Aswan Heart Research Centre of the Magdi Yacoub Heart Foundation in Egypt, where she was raised. As head of the Centre's Biomedical Engineering and Innovation Laboratory and an Honorary Fellow at Imperial College London, she led a team focused on developing solutions for early diagnosis and prediction modeling in cardiovascular disease.

In 2011 she joined TU Berlin as Deputy Managing Director to help establish the first satellite campus of a German public university in the MENA Region and Africa. In this role, she contributed to cross-sector projects in the fields of urban development, renewable energy, water management, and vocational education.

Aguib is a member of advisory boards for various non-profit institutions, including the Energy Resilience Leadership Group (ERLG) and Katapult Foundation. Additionally, since 2017, she has been a member of the BMW Foundation Responsible Leaders Network.