

## Elaia appoints Delphine Villuendas and Zeevi Michel as Partners



**Paris, July 4th, 2023:** Elaia is delighted to share that Delphine Villuendas and Zeevi Michel are joining Elaia's partnership. We welcome the strong entrepreneurial and relational experience both Zeevi and Delphine bring to the Elaia team.

Delphine has been at Elaia for over two years and is heading Elaia's Investor Relations team since she joined in addition to being a key contributor to the European Tech ecosystem. She previously led Corporate Development at Founders Factory, was a General Partner and General Counsel at various VC firms in addition to a career in law. She is also currently the General Counsel for France Digitale.

"I'm honored to join Elaia's partnership and play a larger role in Elaia's development. I'm looking forward to nurturing and expanding our network of investors in France and Europe to build the leading Pan-European Tech VC Platform."

- Delphine Villuendas, Partner & Head of Investor Relations

Zeevi has been working with us as a Venture Partner based in Tel Aviv for nearly two years, having previously co-founded, managed and sold several start-ups including TravelSuit which

was acquired by BCD Travel and Senexx which was acquired by Gartner. Zeevi is heavily involved in the local Israeli ecosystem as well as being a prolific angel investor. Through his experiences, he's gained an acute expertise in sectors like B2B SaaS, Data/AI, Cybersecurity & more. In doing so, he's led or co-led investments such as Cyrebro and Enso Security.

"I'm thrilled to join the partnership at Elaia and help expand our horizons. I'm looking forward to building meaningful relationships with our partners & entrepreneurs as well as developing Elaia in Israel."

- Zeevi Michel, Partner

"Elaia's investor base has been steadily growing in France as well as internationally, especially thanks to Delphine leading our Investor Relations efforts" says Xavier Lazarus, Managing Partner. "Zeevi, meanwhile, is key to help intensify our presence in Israel, one of the leading markets in tech in terms of deal flow quality, large exits, thus making it an attractive market for us," he adds. "I'm thrilled to welcome both of them to the Partnership and am looking forward to their contribution as Partners."

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