



MARK HEMSLEY



Mark Hemsley is Chief Executive Officer of Bats Europe, the largest pan-European equities exchange operator, and the European arm of Bats Global Markets. Under his leadership, Bats has become a well-respected leader in European market structure, technology and innovation.

Mr. Hemsley joined Bats in 2008 to launch and run its European equities business and, under his leadership, Bats Europe has become the #1 European equities market operator, as well as the largest trade reporting service and a growing index provider.

In 2011, Mr. Hemsley managed the transformative acquisition and integration of Chi-X Europe, creating the leading stock exchange group in Europe. Under his leadership, the company became a Recognised Investment Exchange (RIE) in 2013, and in August 2016, Bats Europe announced plans to launch Bats LIS, powered by BIDS Trading, a new block equity trading platform for the European equities market.

The Bats Europe team and Mr. Hemsley have received numerous awards, including the Financial News Trading & Technology Awards Honour for Best Exchange Group. Mr. Hemsley has also been named to the "FN 100 Most Influential" list, which recognises key financial executives impacting European financial markets, every year since 2009 and in 2015 received the "FN Decade of Excellence" award for outstanding contribution to Capital Markets.

Before joining Bats, Mr. Hemsley was Managing Director and Chief Information Officer at LIFFE, running its Market Solutions group. At LIFFE from 2001-2004, he won major contracts with top exchanges and transformed the technology organisation to capture greater revenue from its exchange businesses. A LIFFE board member, he was also heavily involved in the sale of LIFFE to Euronext.

Previously, Mr. Hemsley was a managing director of global technology – serving as Chief Operating Officer and a CIO – during his tenure at Deutsche Bank GCI, the investment bank. With that company, he managed teams of professionals in Frankfurt, London, New York, Singapore, Sydney, and Tokyo, while working closely with the firm's trading operations.

His previous positions include time as a Vice President at Credit Suisse First Boston, where he was global head of foreign exchange technology, and a stint as CIO at Natwest Capital Markets.