

Björn Nobel proposed as new board member of Front Ventures

Björn Nobel, former colonel and senior advisor with extensive experience from the Swedish Armed Forces, the Ministry of Defence, the Swedish Defence Materiel Administration (FMV), and the defence industry, is proposed as a new board member of Front Ventures AB (publ) at the company's Annual General Meeting on 20 May 2026. Through his background in total defence, defence procurement, defence technology, international industrial cooperation, and industrial capacity building, he will bring important expertise to Front Ventures' continued development.



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Björn Nobel has more than three decades of experience in the defence sector and has held several senior strategic positions within the Swedish Armed Forces Headquarters, the Ministry of Defence, and the Swedish Defence Materiel Administration (FMV). His experience includes defence planning, procurement, innovation and research, international materiel cooperation, supply chains, export/export control, and the development of critical technologies.

During his time at FMV, Björn Nobel served as Head of Research and Development, responsible for cross-agency matters related to defence acquisition strategy, innovation strategy, essential security interests, and monitoring of critical technologies. He also led work within the Nordic defence cooperation framework NORDEFECO, including areas such as ammunition supply and unmanned aerial systems.

As Senior Advisor at the Ministry of Defence, Björn Nobel worked closely with the Minister for Defence and the State Secretary on issues related to combat aircraft, major defence systems, exports, and export control. He also served as Sweden's chief negotiator in bilateral and trilateral cooperation with the United Kingdom and Italy regarding future combat air capabilities.

Björn Nobel has served as Head of the Materiel Division within the Production Directorate at the Swedish Armed Forces Headquarters, with responsibility for the Armed Forces' overall materiel plan and the governance of major procurement projects. The role included responsibility for planning, execution, follow-up, and governance of all materiel-related activities in close cooperation with FMV, the defence industry, and international partners.

Today, Björn Nobel works as Principal at EFESO Nordics, focusing on the defence industry, industrial scaling, supply chain resilience, and operational business development. He is also the founder and co-owner of ABX Dynamics AB, a Swedish defence tech company and one of Front Ventures' most recent portfolio companies.

“Front Ventures is at a stage where defence technology, industrial scaling, and operational execution capability are becoming increasingly important. Björn Nobel brings a unique combination of experience from the Swedish Armed Forces, the Government Offices, FMV, and industry. His understanding of how defence capability is built – from strategy and procurement to technology, production, and international cooperation – makes him a very valuable addition to the board,” says Johan Lund, founder and working board member of Front Ventures.

“Front Ventures operates in an area of great strategic importance for Sweden and Europe. The need for defence technology innovation, resilient supply chains, and rapid industrial scaling is greater than it has been in a long time. I look forward to contributing to the company's continued development with my experience from defence, public sector collaboration, international industrial partnerships, and long-term capacity building,” says Björn Nobel.

The Annual General Meeting of Front Ventures AB (publ) will be held on 20 May 2026.

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