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Mr **Tapio Kuula** is President and CEO of Fortum Corporation since May 2009. He joined Fortum in 1996 and has been a member of the Management Team since 1997.

Tapio Kuula holds a Master's degree both in electrical engineering and economics.

Tapio Kuula's latest responsibility areas within the company before becoming President and CEO were Generation, Power Portfolio Management and Trading and Service as well as Fortum's activities in Finland and Russia.

His earlier positions are within forest industry and managing director positions of several utility companies.

He is the Chairman of the Board of OAO Fortum, Vice Chairman of the Board of East Office of Finnish Industries and Member of the Board of Lappeenranta University of Technology. He is the Chairman of the Supervisory Board of Varma Mutual Insurance Company and Member of the Supervisory Board of Finnish Fair Corporation. He is Co-chairman of Northern Dimension Business Council. He has been the Chairman/Vice Chairman of the Boards of several power and heat and distribution companies in Finland, Sweden, Russia, Germany and the UK.