

## Dr. Thomas Beyerle new Group Head of Research at Catella

Catella has appointed Dr. Thomas Beyerle as Group Head of Research. In this new role, Beyerle will work to expand Catella's market research activities within the property advisory operations in Europe.

As Group Head of Research, Dr. Thomas Beyerle will have a cross-company role and work both globally with Catella's 11-country property advisory operations, as well as with its property advisory divisory division and its property fund operation unit in Germany. He also becomes Managing Director for the new subsidiary Catella Property Valuation GmbH. Dr. Beyerle takes up his new position today and will be based at the Catella office in Frankfurt.

"Catella has a very interesting profile on the European property market, with high end advisory services complemented by asset management operations. I look forward to developing Catella's research activities and raising our profile and voice as market experts," says Dr. Beyerle, Group Head of Research at Catella.

"I'm very excited to have Dr. Beyerle join Catella. His extensive expertise will surely strengthen our organisation. His cross-company position will also help facilitate exchange of property knowhow and increase cooperation within the Group," says Johan Ericsson, Head of Corporate Finance at Catella.

"Dr. Beyerle will raise the level, complexity and quality of our market research in Germany. We will be able to create sharper analysis in each individual project, which is important in order to compete with other advisors," says Klaus Franken, Head of Catella's property advisory services in Germany.

"Pan-European fund schemes require a profound and detail market research expertise. We are looking forward to the collaboration with Dr. Beyerle to further develop our business model in this direction," says Dr. Andreas Kneip, Head of Catella's fund operation in Germany.

Dr. Thomas Beyerle was most recently Managing Director and head of sustainability activities and research at IVG Immobilien AG. Prior to that position, he was Head of Global Research at Aberdeen Group. In addition, Dr. Beyerle has lectured in real estate analysis at university level for the last fifteen years, and is board member of GiF, German Property Research Association.

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