# PIETER DE CREM

**Pieter De Crem (63)**
**ED MERC BV**
**Belgian**

## ACADEMICS & CAREER

UCLouvain, Belgium, MS Romance Philology
Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium, MS International and European Law
Harvard Business School, USA, AMP

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| **2026 – now** | **ELIA GROUP SA** | Chairman |
| **2023 – now** | **BELEXPO** | Commissioner-General |
| **2021 – 2025** | **ELIA GROUP SA** | Non-Executive Director |
| **2018 – 2020** | **FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF BELGIUM** | Minister of the Interior, Security and Foreign Trade |
| **2017 – 2018** | **CENTRE FOR NUCLEAR ENERGY (MYRRHA PROJECT)** | Special Envoy of the Federal Government for the MYRRHA research project |
| **2014 – 2018** | **FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF BELGIUM** | Secretary of State for Foreign Trade |
| **2013 – 2014** | **FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF BELGIUM** | Deputy Prime Minister |
| **2007 – 2014** | **FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF BELGIUM** | Minister of Defence |
| **1995 - 2025** | **MUNICIPALITY OF AALTER** | Mayor |
| **1995 – 2019** | **BELGIAN FEDERAL PARLIAMENT** | Member of Parliament |

## LANGUAGES

> Dutch: Native
> French: Fluent
> English: Fluent
> German: Fluent
> Spanish: Fluent
> Italian: Fluent
> Portuguese: Fluent
> Russian: Elementary

## BOARDS

**Current Boards**

> Elia Group NV
> Elia Transmission Belgium NV
> Elia Asset NV
> ED MERC BV
> Publi-T SC
> Sobradis
> Vanhout
> Orsi Academy