

Singapore Press Release

John Foord accelerates growth as it announces new EMEA hire

25/Apr/2022 – John Foord, the international asset valuation specialist, has appointed Andrew Empson as Director – Valuation & Analytics EMEA. The new role has been created to boost the business's presence across the EMEA regions, and accelerate the development of new analytics tools and valuation solutions for clients in the insurance and financial markets.

Andrew brings over 30 years' experience in valuation and appraisal services in insurance, financial services, and restructuring., specialising in plant & machinery and commercial Real Estate across the UK, Europe and Internationally. Prior to joining John Foord , Andrew was an independent consultant working with global clients across a number of industry sectors where he led the development of valuation models and analytical solutions across various asset classes.

Andrew will be based in John Foord's London office and will lead the development of innovative valuation solutions for insurance and risk management clients in EMEA

Graham Copland, Executive Director at John Foord commented on the appointment: *"We are pleased to welcome Andrew to John Foord. With his international experience across the insurance and financial services industry, including valuations for financial reporting, market value opinions and developing analytical solutions, we are confident that he will be provide valuable perspective to boost our capability and refine our analytics offerings"*

He continued: "Our ambition is to become the go-to resource for asset valuation for insurance businesses across the UK, Europe and internationally. Andrew's excellent experience and reputation in the EMEA territory will be crucial in helping us to achieve this."

Andrew Empson added: *"John Foord is on an exciting growth path, I am excited to be part of the team to develop and expand analytical solutions and services, and believe that we have tremendous opportunities to expand in EMEA and globally."*

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About John Foord

John Foord helps clients, owners, employees and society mitigate risk and achieve exceptional outcomes by delivering superior asset valuation services in key markets. Established in 1828, John Foord specialises in the valuation of industrial, commercial and residential buildings, civil works, structures, plant and equipment. The firm typically values over USD 100 billion of assets annually for clients in over 45 countries. John Foord carries out appraisals across more than 70 industrial and commercial sectors, ranging from hotels, energy, infrastructure, high-tech, manufacturing to telecommunications.

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