

# Václav Novotný

Regional Executive Director,  
Central and Eastern Europe

Biogen



## Board Mission

The American Chamber of Commerce has a unique position in the Czech business environment. If elected again as a Board member I would be honoured to serve for the continuous success of AmCham and I am again ready to dedicate my experience and energy to further enhance AmCham's position as trusted and respected partner to both business community and state authorities. I would like to focus on AmCham priorities, especially Competitiveness, Healthcare and Transparency.

## Candidate's AmCham Priority:

- Strategy – debating the economic direction of the country with other stakeholders.
- Advocacy – implementing action plan of AmCham-US Embassy investment program.

## Career Spent in the Czech Republic:

- 26 years

## Career History:

- Regional Executive Director Central and Eastern Europe, Biogen, 2017–current.
- Managing Director MSD Czech Republic (Merck & Co) 2008-2015
- Managing Director, MSD Slovakia (Merck&Co) 2004–2008
- Marketing and Business functions in MSD – since 1996

## Personal Note:

- M.D., 1st Medical Faculty of Charles University, Prague
- MBA, Rochester Institute of Technology, New York
- Interests – Sports, Travelling

## Previous AmCham Involvement:

- Vice-President, Executive Committee of the Board of Directors (2015-present)
- Member, Board of Directors (2013–present)

## Company Membership:

- Corporate since 2017