

Executive Biography

Thierry Bernard Thaire

President & Chief Executive Officer



Mr. Thaire joined EGS in March, 2005 and executes the mission and vision of the organization. With more than twenty-three years in the medical device industry, he has extensive experience in launching new less invasive surgical procedures and building from concept successful businesses including three start-up medical device companies (Origin MedSystems, Intuitive Surgical - NASDAQ; ISRG, and Accuray - NASDAQ; ARAY).

Prior to joining EGS, Mr. Thaire was Senior Vice President, Sales and Marketing for Accuray, Inc. where he managed a turn around underfunded start up and built a \$100 million dollar sales pipeline & won critical financing leading to the launch of a non-invasive radiosurgery technology. As the founding Vice President, Sales and Marketing at Intuitive Surgical, Inc., he launched one of the most visible technology start-ups in the past ten years. He also has served in leadership roles at Laparoscopic innovator Origin Medsystems and Angioplasty leader Advanced Cardiovascular System, both divisions of the Guidant Corporation. Mr. Thaire started his medical device career at Bentley and Edwards Laboratories in the engineering departments, now part of Baxter International.

Mr. Thaire holds a degree in Biomedical Engineering and Chemistry from Duke University and an MBA from Northwestern's J.L. Kellogg Graduate School of Management.

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