

Selim Şiper – CEO and Board Member of Petrol Ofisi

Selim Şiper graduated from Istanbul German High School and received his bachelor's and master's degrees in Chemical Engineering from the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology in Germany. He completed the MBA programs of IMD (Lausanne, Switzerland) and the Kellogg School of Management at Northwestern University (Chicago, USA).

Selim Şiper started his career as shift engineer at Unilever in 1984; he worked at Unilever as Marketing Director, Sales Director, and Sales and Marketing Director and was a Board Member of Unilever Turkey.

When he was the General Manager of Unisel and board member of Unilever, he became the CEO of İpragaz, Turkey's established energy company. In 2012 he also became as Management Board Member and Asia and Eastern Europe's Regional Director of SHV Energy. He contributed to acquisitions in China, India and Poland and to divestments in the Philippines and Slovakia. Mr. Şiper headed the organic and inorganic growth of İpragaz as its CEO and led the company into the fuel distribution and wholesale electricity industries.

Since October 2017, Selim Şiper has been the CEO and board member of Petrol Ofisi, the leader of Turkey's fuel, lubricants and chemicals markets.

Selim Şiper served as the President of Turkey LPG Association (TLPGD), one of the Turkish energy industry's oldest and most effective NGOs, for 15 years and left this position when he became the CEO of Petrol Ofisi. He became the Chairman of the Board of Directors of PETDER (Petroleum Industry Association) in its Ordinary General Assembly in April 2018.

Selim Şiper is also the honorary consul of the Republic of Cabo Verde in Istanbul.