## Dr. Udo Schneider



**Dr. Udo Schneider** is responsible for Global AI Operations of the Crop Science Division of Bayer and is the Chairman of Bayer Vapi Private Limited since December 2018.

Schneider, a PhD Chemist, started his career in the year 1996 as Research Scientist Central Research and then served as Plant Manager E-Plant DOR, Germany in the year 2000.

He joined Bayer AG, Germany in the year 2004 as Management Support for the Group, Board of Management

Member for Production & Technology. Following that assignment, he joined Corporate Strategic Planning where he later took the position as Head of Corporate Strategic Planning Technology from 2007 onwards.

In the year 2011, he took over as Site Manager of the Knapsack site of Bayer where he was responsible for the production of various active ingredients for Crop Protection.

Dr. Udo Schneider is married and blessed with two kids. He is a passionate amateur cook.