

Biography Stefan Grosjean:

Stefan Grosjean (°1963) grew up in Flanders, Belgium, and earned a Master of Science in Industrial Engineering, specializing in Computer Science and Electronics. In 1991, Stefan founded EnergyICT, a pioneering company in energy solutions for commercial and industrial businesses. Over the next two decades, EnergyICT became a global leader in energy management technologies, laying the foundation for Stefan's reputation as a visionary in the clean-tech industry. He sold the company in 2009.

Building on this success, in 2012 Stefan founded Smappee, an innovative company that focuses on optimizing energy consumption and accelerating the transition to renewable energy. Smappee is internationally recognized for its intelligent EV chargers and smart energy management solutions, which blend functionality with sleek design. Under his leadership, Smappee has won numerous prestigious awards, including the Henry Van De Velde Award, the Red Dot Award, and the iF Design Award. As of October 2024, Stefan transitioned to the role of CEO of Smappee Group, the umbrella body over the various Smappee ventures. In this new role, he remains closely involved in Smappee's management but with a sharpened focus on the visionary innovation and strategy of the Group to ensure Smappee's accelerated growth and leading position in the industry.

In addition to his role at Smappee, Stefan founded Snowball in 2018, a cutting-edge Cleantech Hub in Harelbeke. Snowball serves as the headquarters of Smappee and acts as a collaborative space and living lab for clean-tech innovation, bringing together companies and experts focused on sustainable energy and environmental solutions.

With over 30 years of experience, Stefan is a recognized leader in the global energy transition, consistently striving to blend cutting-edge technology with high-functioning design and sustainable growth strategies. His passion for innovation and commitment to positive societal and environmental impact continue to drive his entrepreneurial ventures.