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Bio:

Bernard Rentier is Professor of Virology and Immunology at the University of Liège, of which he is Vice-Rector. Since its creation in 1991, he chairs BioLiege, the association of academic and corporate biotechnologists of the Liege area in Belgium. He also chairs Eurovar, a foundation for the study of varicella (chicken pox) and zoster in Europe.

Chairman of the Board of two biotech companies, he has created Gamma (antibodies, diagnostic kits, dipsticks) in 1983 and Probiox (DNA chips for monitoring oxidative stress) in 2001. He is also on the Board of the Belgian Bioindustries Association (BBA).