



AmCham Women of Influence Awards 2021

Distinguished Judge

Virginie Goethals

RUN Hong Kong Ltd.

Co-Founder & Managing Director



Virginie Goethals is the managing director and co-founder of RUN Hong Kong and also a mother, lawyer and ultra runner hailing from Belgium.

RUN focuses on trauma rehabilitation through sport and education for the most vulnerable refugees who are victims of sexual violence and torture. Virginie's love of the outdoors and passion for justice inspired her to help female refugees who are victims of sexual violence rebuild their mental and physical strength in Hong Kong as well as provide them with durable solutions to restart their lives abroad. Virginie was awarded "Non-profit Leader of the Year" in 2020 by the Women of Influence committee of the American Chamber.