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Rob Abbanat is CEO of GloCoach, a serial edtech entrepreneur and a former member of the Board of Governors at AmCham. Trained as an aerospace engineer, Rob consulted to NASA for 10 years before earning his MBA at MIT and moving to China. In his spare time, he serves as Cubmaster for Boy Scouts of America, Pack 12 in Shanghai.

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