



## Claudio Passardi

Member of the Board of Directors Zurich Austria

Nationality: Swiss

Date of Birth: 1977

### Professional Experience

Claudio Passardi has served as Chief Financial Officer (CFO) of Zurich Insurance Austria since 1 January 2026. Since October 2021, he has held the position of Chief Investment Officer (CIO), in which he was responsible for the strategic management of Zurich Austria's investment portfolio. Prior to that, he headed the company's Asset Management function and, starting in 2011, served as Head of Controlling, where he played a key role in financial planning, reporting, and central management processes.

Before assuming leadership roles in Finance and Asset Management, he worked in Underwriting at Zurich Austria and in the Finance department of Farmers Business Insurance in Los Angeles. During his time in the United States, he supported a range of financial projects and gained experience in an international corporate environment.

Claudio Passardi began his professional career in 2006 as a Strategic Assistant to the Management Board at the headquarters of the Zurich Insurance Group in Zurich. In this role, he was involved in various strategic and organizational projects at group level and gained comprehensive insights into the company's global governance and operational structures.

He completed his studies in business administration at the University of Zurich, graduating with a Master's degree in 2002 and earning his doctorate in business administration there in 2005.

### Personal

A native of Switzerland, Claudio Passardi speaks German as his mother tongue and is fluent in English. He also possesses knowledge of French, Italian, Spanish and Portuguese. In his free time, he is passionate about endurance sports and regularly engages in different forms of training. He is also interested in contemporary literature and enjoys spending time with his family and the people close to him.

