



Claudio Costamagna

Since 10 July 2015, Chairman of Cassa Depositi e Prestiti Spa.

Born in Milan in 1956, Claudio Costamagna attended the Ecole Européenne in Brussels before returning to Italy and enrolling at Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi.

In 1981 he was awarded a degree in business economics. He then began his career in the financial control area of Citibank S.A., before moving in 1985 to Montedison, where he was head of corporate finance for the holding company.

In 1988 Costamagna joined Goldman Sachs, initially as head of investment banking Italy, before becoming country head for Italy and Chairman of Goldman Sachs SIM Spa.

In 1999, he was appointed co-head of the investment banking division for Europe, the Middle East and Africa and a member of the European Management Committee and the Global Partnership Committee.

Between 2004 and 2006 – the year in which he left the group – Costamagna was President of the investment banking division for Europe, the Middle East and Africa.

In 2006 he founded CC & Soci Srl, a financial advisory boutique, of which he served as Chairman.

In 2007 he joined the Board of Directors of Reuters Breakingviews.

In 2011, Costamagna founded Advise Only Sim Spa, a firm specialising in personal finance and advisory on online asset management. After a period as director, in 2012 he was appointed Chairman of AAA-Advanced Accelerator Applications, a European pharmaceuticals group created as a spin-off by European academics, specialising in the development of diagnostic and therapeutic products in the field of nuclear medicine.

In that same year, he became Chairman of Salini-Impregilo, Italy's leading infrastructure construction group.

Costamagna is currently a member of the Boards and Compensation Committees of Virgin Group Holdings Ltd and FTI Consulting Inc, a business advisory group listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

He is a director and Chairman of the Human Resources Committee of Luxottica and a member of the International Advisory Council of Bocconi University.

Chairman of Fondo Strategico Italiano (FSI) since 27 July 2015.

Over the years, Claudio Costamagna has also served as a director of Bulgari, Il Sole 24 Ore Group, Autogrill and DeA Capital, all companies listed on the Italian Stock Exchange.

In 2004 he was selected as "Bocconi Alumnus of the Year" by the ALUB association, of which all graduates of Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi are members.