



Dr. Claus Rettig

Deputy Chairman of the Executive Board

Born May 7, 1960, in Bottrop, Germany

EDUCATION

1979-1984	Diploma in Chemistry, University of Essen, Germany
1984-1987	PhD in Chemistry, Max Planck Institute, Mülheim, Germany

CAREER

1987-1996	Hüls AG, Marl, Germany
1996-2000	Marketing Director, Hüls Southern Africa (Pty) Ltd., Johannesburg, South Africa
2000-2003	Executive Vice President, Daicel-Hüls Ltd., Tokyo, Japan
2003-2006	Head of the Care Specialties Business Unit, Degussa, Member of the Executive Board of Goldschmidt AG, Essen, Germany
2006-2007	Head of the Care & Surface Specialties Business Unit, Degussa, Spokesperson of the Executive Board of Goldschmidt GmbH, Essen, Germany
2007-2014	Head of the Consumer Specialties Business Unit, Evonik Industries AG, Essen, Germany
2015-2020	Chairman of the Management Board, Evonik Resource Efficiency GmbH, Essen, Germany
2020-2022	Member of the Management Board of Evonik Operations GmbH, Head of Smart Materials, Essen, Germany
Since 2022	Head of Region Asia/Pacific, Evonik (SEA) Pte., Singapore
2025-2026	CFO ad interim, Evonik Industries AG, Essen, Germany
Since September 1, 2026	Deputy Chairman of the Executive Board of Evonik Industries AG, Essen, Germany

MEMBERSHIPS

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b) ./. .

a) Membership of other statutory supervisory boards

b) Membership of comparable German and foreign supervisory bodies of business enterprises pursuant to Section 125 Paragraph 1 Sentence 5 of the German Stock Corporation Act (AktG)