



Patrick Raaflaub

Former Group Chief Risk Officer

Born: 1965

Nationality: Swiss and Italian

Patrick Raaflaub was a member of the Group Executive Committee of Swiss Re Ltd from 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2025.

Professional experience

Patrick Raaflaub began his career as an economist at Credit Suisse. He then was a founding member of a consulting start-up and research fellow at the University of St. Gallen. He joined Swiss Re in 1994 and was appointed Chief Financial Officer of Swiss Re Italia SpA in 1997, and became Divisional Controller Americas Division in 2000. He worked as Head of Finance Zurich from 2003, then assumed the role of Regional Chief Financial Officer Europe and Asia from 2005. From 2006, he was Head of Group Capital Management, where he was responsible for capital management at Group level and global regulatory affairs. In 2008, he joined the Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority FINMA as Chief Executive Officer. Patrick Raaflaub returned to Swiss Re as Group Chief Risk Officer and member of the Group Executive Committee in September 2014.

Educational background

- PhD in Political Science, University of St. Gallen, Switzerland

External mandates

- Member of the Management Board of CSS Verein
- Member of the Board of Directors CSS Holding AG (and subsidiaries)
- Vice Chair of the Managing Board Swiss Insurance Association (SIA)
- Vice Chair of the Chief Risk Officer Forum

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