

Vittorio A. Colao

Recent work experiences

GENERAL ATLANTIC, New York-London

Jan 2023 to date Senior Advisor, Vice-Chairman EMEA, member of GA Board
Board member Doctolib and BackMarket(F), StaffBase (D), Board observer
ParshipMeet (D)

ITALIAN GOVERNMENT, Rome

Feb 2021-Oct2022 Minister for Innovation and Digital Transition and
Delegated Authority for Space
Chair of Interministerial Committee for Space
Chair of Interministerial Committee for Digital Transition
Member of Interministerial Committee for Cybersecurity
EU, G7 and G20 representative to Space, Digital, Telecoms councils

GENERAL ATLANTIC, New York-London

July 2019-Feb2021 Senior Advisor, Vice-Chairman EMEA
Board observer Outsystems (PT), Board member ParshipMeet (D)

COMMITTEE OF ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL EXPERTS FOR POST COVID RECONSTRUCTION, Rome

April-June 2020 Chair, Prime Minister's Economic and Social Advisory Committee on
Covid19 recovery plan

Recent Board memberships

VERIZON COMMUNICATION, New York

Nov 2022 to date Non-Executive Director, Finance and Corporate Governance
May 2019-Feb 2021 Committees

BOCCONI UNIVERSITY, Milan

Nov 2022 to date Trustee and Executive Committee Member, Chair of the International
Nov 2018-Feb 2021 Advisory Council

UNILEVER PLC/NV, London-Rotterdam

July 2015-Feb 2021 Non-Executive Director, Compensation Committee Chair

Past Executive Experience

Vodafone PLC, London

Jul 2008-Sep 2018 Group Chief Executive Officer
Oct 2006-Jul 2008 Regional CEO Europe, Deputy Group CEO, Main Board Director

RCS MediaGroup, Milan

Jul 2004-Aug 2006 Group Chief Executive

Vodafone PLC, Milan-Newbury

Jul 2003-Jul 2004 Regional CEO, South Europe, Middle East & Africa
April 2001 Regional CEO South Europe, Vodafone Board Director since 2002
Aug 1999-Jul 2004 CEO, Vodafone Italy (formerly Omnitel)
Sep 1996-Aug 1999 COO, Omnitel Pronto Italia

McKinsey&Co, Milan

Dec 1994-Jul 1996 Partner, Telecoms, Media and Financial Practices
Recruiting leader for the Italian office
Jan 1991-Dec 1994 Consultant and Manager, Media, Industrial Goods and Telecom

Mondadori Editore, Milan

Jul 1990-Jan 1991 Personal Assistant to the CEO of Books & Magazines Publisher

Morgan Stanley International, London

Summer 1989 Summer Associate, Corporate Finance

McKinsey&Co, Milan

Sept 1986-Jul 1988 Business Analyst-Associate, Industrial practice

Other past roles and experiences**EUROPEAN ROUNDTABLE OF INDUSTRIALISTS, Bruxelles**

May 2010-Nov 2018 Vice-Chair (2014), Executive Committee Member (2012)

IEO, EUROPEAN ONCOLOGY INSTITUTE, Milan

Oct 2004-Sep 2006 Non-Executive Director

RAS INSURANCE (TODAY ALLIANZ ITALY), Milan

May 2003-2006 Non-Executive Director, Compensation Committee Member

FINMECCANICA (TODAY LEONARDO), Rome

May 2000- May 2002 Non-Executive Director, Compensation Committee Chair

ASSOTELECOMUNICAZIONI-CONFINDUSTRIA, Rome

2003-2005 Founding Chairman, Industry Association-Member of Confindustria

Past and current Advisory roles

2020-2021 **MedTech Course, Humanitas University (MD)-Politechnic Milan (BioEng)**
2011-2021 **Oxford Martin School, Oxford**
2008-Present **Cometa onlus, Como** (support and education for disadvantaged children)
2009-2018 **International Advisory Council, Bocconi University, Milan**
2014-2018 **Harvard Business School Dean's Board of Advisors, Boston**

2013-2015 **UK Prime Minister Business Advisory Board, London**
2010-2014 **McKinsey&co, Global Advisory Board**
2002-2006 **Fondazione Umanamente, Milan** (social initiatives)
2000-2006 **Aspen Institute Italy, Executive Committee, Rome**

Academic and Military Education

1990 **HARVARD GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, Boston**
MBA with honours
1986 **BOCCONI UNIVERSITY, Milan**
Business Administration Degree, Summa cum Laude
1983 **ESSEC (Cergy Pontoise)**, Exchange student (1983, Pre-Erasmus)
1983-4 **CARABINIERI ARMY, GENOA-AOSTA**
Second Lieutenant, Distinguished Cadet in Mountain Troops Military School

Awards and Recognitions

2024 **Honorary Degree, Doctor of Law**, Bath University
2021 **Gran Ufficiale al Merito della Repubblica**, Presidency of Italy
2014 **Cavaliere del Lavoro**, Presidency of Italy
2017 **FT HEROes champion**, Financial Times
2017 **Refugees support award**, GSMA
2015 **He4She Impact champion**, United Nations
2003 **Alumnus of the year**, Bocconi University

2024, February

FIRMATO IN ORIGINALE