

Dr oec Peter Giger

Member of the Executive Board Head of Insurance division and Deputy CEO

Peter Giger (1964) graduated from the University of St Gallen with a Master's degree in Business Administration, specializing in IT. He completed his doctoral studies in business administration at the University of Zurich in 1992.

Peter Giger began his professional career in 1992 at the Zurich Insurance Group (ZIG), where he held various posts such as Regional Manager Reinsurance and Senior Corporate Finance Officer. In 1999, he changed to Swiss Re and was head of Structured Finance from 2000 to 2002. Dr Giger was appointed head of Capital Management of the Zurich Insurance Group in 2002, a post which he held until 2007. During his time at ZIG, he was responsible for Strategy & Financial Management of the general insurance segment for three years, before being appointed as Chief Financial Officer General Insurance in 2010 (until 2014).

Peter Giger joined FINMA on 1 October 2014 when he was appointed as head of the Insurance division, Deputy CEO and a member of FINMA's Executive Board.