

Director

Josef Karl MAREK

Independent Director

Born in Heydebreck (Polonia) in 1966

Josef Karl Marek has been a member of the Board of Directors of Vittoria Assicurazioni since Aprile 2022.

Graduated in Industrial Mathematics from the Technical University of Kaiserslautern in Germany.

In 1993 he joined the Gerling Insurance Group based in Cologne (Germany) where he held several positions, including Head of International Strategy & Operation, Life Business, markets Poland and Austria from 1997 to 2002, as well Member of the Supervisory Board of Gerling Poland Life's branch in Warsaw from 1998 to 2006 and ultimately, Head of Planning, Management Control and Business Development for Gerling Life and for the Retail Non-Life-Business Sector (GFP, Germany) from 2002 to 2006.

From 2006 to 2016 he worked for Ergo Insurance Group in Düsseldorf, Germany. First he held the position of Regional Manager in Ergo International in Düsseldorf, in charge of Western Europe (Belgium, Italy and Portugal) between 2006 and 2008; then, between 2008 and 2016, he became Chief Executive Officer of Milan-based Ergo Italia and of the Group's subsidiaries.

He was also a Member of the Supervisory Board (non-executive role) for Ergo Belgium, DKV Belgium, Victoria Portugal and Ergo Italy from 2006 to 2008, and also for Ergo Austria from 2008 to 2010.

General Representative for Italy at the Donau Insurance branch in Milan from 2017 to 2019.

Entrepreneur and Management Consultant since 2017.