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Panel Discussion: Do the geopolitical developments change the industry? Perspectives from companies



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Biography

Tomaso Carraro joined the company in 1992. From 1994 to 2002 he managed Carraro North America, the Group's Commercial/Industrial branch on the NAFTA market. While in the United States, he got an MBA from the Graduate School of Business - University of Chicago (currently Chicago Booth). In the late nineties, he was actively involved in the Group's internationalisation process. Along his career he had the opportunity to manage several Group's Business Areas and since April 2012 he has been Vice Chairman of the Group. In March 2019 Tomaso Carraro was appointed also Chief Corporate Social Responsibility Officer, becoming the point of reference for the development of the CSR policies of the Group. He is also member of the Board Directors of Carraro SpA and of some its main affiliates.

Company Profile

Carraro is a leading international Group in transmission systems for off-highway vehicles and specialised tractors. The Group's activities are divided into two Business Areas:

- Transmission systems (axles and transmissions) and components mainly for agricultural and construction equipment
- Specialised tractors (for vineyards and orchards, between 60 and 100 horsepower) for third-party brands

The Group has its headquarters in Campodarsego (Padua). As at 31.12.2023, the Group had 3,859 employees – of which 1,800 based in Italy – and has manufacturing facilities in Italy (4), India, China and Argentina.