

Curriculum Vitae

Dr. Ralf Wintergerst

Chairman of the Management Board,
Group CEO of Giesecke+Devrient



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Wintergerst joined G+D in 1998 and has held various management positions in the company. He became a member of the Management Board in 2013 with his appointment to lead the business unit Banknote (today Currency Technology). In 2016 he was named Chairman of the Management Board and CEO of G+D.

Alongside his role at G+D, Wintergerst is Chairman of the Supervisory Board of secunet Security Networks AG (Essen, Germany) and President of the Board of Directors of netcetera AG (Zurich, Switzerland). Furthermore, he holds various positions related to IT security issues, including as Chairman of the Advisory Board of the Alliance for Cyber Security and as a member of the Executive Committee of the digital association Bitkom.

Wintergerst studied business administration and holds two master's degrees – one in management and the other in politics philosophy and economics (PPE). He earned his doctorate at Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität Munich with a thesis on corporate governance and management.

Short bio:

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