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## The President of the European Central Bank



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### Mario Draghi

#### Education

##### 1970

Degree in Economics, Sapienza University of Rome

##### 1977

PhD in Economics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

#### Professional career

##### 1975-1981

Professor of Economics at the universities of Trento, Padua and Venice

##### 1981-1991

Professor of Economics and Monetary Policy at the University of Florence

##### 1984-1990

Executive Director of the World Bank

##### 1991-2001

Director General of the Italian Treasury

##### 2002-2005

Vice Chairman and Managing Director at Goldman Sachs International

##### 2006-October 2011

Governor, Banca d'Italia

##### 2006-October 2011

Chairman of the Financial Stability Board (former Financial Stability Forum)

##### Since 2006

Member of the Board of Directors at the Bank for International Settlements  
Member of the G7  
Member of the G20

##### Since November 2011

President of the European Central Bank

##### Since November 2011

Chair of the European Systemic Risk Board



**Date of birth:** 3 September 1947

**Place of birth:** Rome, Italy

#### Other posts

**1993-2001**

Chair of the Italian Committee for Privatisations

**1997-1998**

Chair of the Committee set up to revise Italy's corporate and financial legislation and to draft the law that governs Italian financial markets (also known as the "Draghi Law")

**1999-2001**

Chairman of the OECD's Working Party No 3

**2000-2001**

Chairman of the European Economic and Financial Committee

**Since 2003**

Honorary Trustee of the Brookings Institution

**Since 2006**

Member of the Group of Thirty

**Since 2009**

Member of the Board of Trustees of the Princeton Institute for Advanced Study

**Distinctions and awards**

**2009**

Doctor honoris causa in Statistics from the University of Padua

**Publications**

He is the author of a number of articles on international and European monetary and financial issues.