



Roberto Quarta

Current Positions

Roberto Quarta is currently Chairman of WPP plc and of Smith & Nephew plc. He is also Partner and Chairman of Clayton, Dubilier & Rice Europe LLC (CD&R), where he played the lead operating role in their investment in SPIE SA, a global energy and communications company with 40,000 employees.

Background Information

Roberto Quarta started his career with BTR plc in 1979 and was their Regional MD and Executive VP before his final role as Divisional CEO and Main Board member, before leaving in 1993.

He joined BBA Group as Chief Executive in 1993, becoming Chairman in 2001, a role he kept until 2006 after joining CD&R.

Mr Quarta has previously been the Chairman of Rexel SA, IMI plc and Brake Brothers plc. He was also previously on the Boards of SPIE SA, BAE Systems plc, Equant NV, Worcester Controls Corp, BTR plc, PowerGen plc and Foster Wheeler AG.

Other Notable Interests

Mr Roberto Quarta was a member of the Advisory Board of INSEAD and of Stockwell Communications LLP and former Trustee of the College of the Holy Cross.

Roberto Quarta is based in London.