

Biography

RICHARD RIDINGER

Chairman of the Supervisory Board, Brenntag SE

Richard Ridinger (nationality: German), born in 1958, is an independent management consultant and in this capacity advises international companies. From 2012 to 2019 he headed the Swiss Lonza Group Ltd in his capacity as CEO.



From 2002 to 2011 he was Executive Vice President and member of the Board of Management of the specialty chemicals manufacturer Cognis, where he was responsible for the management of the Care Chemicals Division. Prior to this, he spent 16 years with Henkel KGaA in various positions. In addition to managing business units, he was also active in research & development, production and marketing & sales.

Mr Ridinger studied chemical engineering and graduated from the University of Karlsruhe in 1986.

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He has been a member of the Supervisory Board since June 10, 2020 and Chairman of the Supervisory Board since June 15, 2023. He is also a member of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee as well as the Transformation and ESG Committee.

Mr Ridinger is a member of comparable domestic and foreign control bodies of commercial enterprises:

- DSM-Firmenich AG, Kaiseraugst, Switzerland (listed) (non-executive member of the Board of Directors)
- Roar HoldCo AB, Stockholm, Sweden (not listed) (non-executive member and Chair of the Board of Directors)
- Recipharm AB, Stockholm, Sweden (Group company, shares held by Roar HoldCo AB, not listed) (non-executive member and Chair of the Board of Directors)