

Gerard van Olphen

Chairman of APG Group's Executive Board



Gerard van Olphen (1962) has been appointed chairman of the Executive Board of APG Group from March 9, 2016.

Prior to joining APG, he served briefly as chairman of the Executive Board of Vivat Verzekeringen (until September 2015). In 2013 he was asked by the Ministry of Finance to become chairman of the Executive Board of SNS Reaal, where he successfully completed the restructuring of the company.

In the 28 years prior to that, Gerard van Olphen held various (management) positions in the financial sector. From 2002 to 2013, he served as Chief Finance & Risk Officer at Achmea, where he was also appointed vice-chairman of the Executive Board in 2008. Van Olphen's other positions included CFO at NIB Capital, CEO at NIBC Asset Management, and Chief Finance & Risk Officer and Manager Financial Information at Reaal Verzekeringen. He started his career at Amro Bank as an EDP auditor.

Gerard van Olphen studied economics at the University of Groningen and was awarded his degree in business economics. Following that, he stayed in Groningen to complete the postdoctoral program to become a registered accountant.

Ancillary positions

Gerard van Olphen holds four ancillary positions. He is member of the Supervisory Board of the Hartstichting. Next to that he is chairman of the Financing Task Group of the Dutch Climate Board and member of the Supervisory Board of Netspar and board member of ASR Nederland N.V. In the past, Gerard van Olphen also served in various roles for the European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority (EIOPA), Insurance Europe and the Dutch Association of Insurers.