

Executive Management Board

Dirk Kirsten

Swiss and German citizen

CFO (Chief Financial Officer)

Member of the Executive Management Board since 2021

Key attributes:

As a proven financial expert with broad industry experience, Dirk Kirsten has a strong track record in international management, corporate finance and M&A.

Career highlights:

Dirk Kirsten has held various senior management positions in the medtech, pharmaceutical and healthcare sectors over the course of his long-dated career. These included the roles as CFO of Nobel Biocare (2008-2013), Group Treasurer of Syngenta (2004-2008) and Head Group Funding & Capital Markets of Roche Holding (2002-2004). Prior to that, he worked in global investment banking (UBS/Deutsche Bank), where he also lead various healthcare transactions (financing, M&A, capital markets). In 2013, Dirk Kirsten founded his own advisory boutique focusing on M&A, private equity as well as start-up financing and business development.

Qualifications:

Dirk Kirsten holds a PhD in Management & Economics from the University of Cologne and attended the international MBA program of the London Business School.