

Rosa García García

She was born on 17th January 1965. Rosa García received a Bachelor's degree in Mathematics from the Universidad Autónoma de Madrid. She has more than thirty years of international experience in the fields of Information Technology, Energy, Infrastructure, and Manufacturing.

Most of her career was spent at Microsoft. In 1991, she joined Microsoft Ibérica as Technical Support Director. Five years later, she moved to the company's headquarters in Redmond (USA) to work with the CEO, Steve Ballmer, as Director of Corporate Strategy. In 2000, as General Manager of the Worldwide Partner Group, she directed Microsoft's worldwide strategy for more than 640,000 independently owned-and-operated partner companies that support Microsoft and its customers in 170 countries. In May 2002, she returned to Spain to assume the maximum responsibility of Microsoft Ibérica as Executive President of the company managing a team of more than 750 professionals and generating annual revenue close to 700 Million Euros. Six years later, she was appointed Consumer & Online Vice-President for Western Europe. She was responsible for Microsoft's global advertising sales, all the marketing strategy, and execution across the Company's consumer products in WE. She managed more than 500 professionals in 14 countries and delivered more than 2 Billion US Dollars in revenue per year.

In 2011, she joined Siemens as Executive President in Spain, a position she held until December 2018. She managed a company with more than 3500 professionals and it delivered more than 3 Billion Euros in revenue annually. In addition, in April 2017, she was appointed Non-Executive Chairwoman of Siemens Gamesa immediately after the merger of Siemens Wind Power and Gamesa. Her main responsibility was to implement the highest corporate governance standards in the new company that was a new member of the IBEX 35.

She has more than ten years of experience as a Non-Executive Director of the Board for several IBEX companies including Banesto, Bolsas y Mercados Españoles, Acerinox and Bankinter. In every company, she has been either a member of the audit and control committee or of the nominations and remuneration committee.

She was the President of the German Chamber of Commerce in Spain from 2016 to 2018. In addition, until the end of 2019 she was member of the Board at the Asociación para el Progreso de la Dirección (APD), member of the Advisory Board for the Universidad Europea de Madrid and Vice-president of Consejo Social de la Universidad Carlos III de Madrid.

She has been recognized with numerous awards and accolades. AED (the most prestigious Spanish CEO association) named García "Spanish CEO of the Year". In addition, she was awarded by the President of Germany the Cross of Merit, one of the highest civilian honor that can be granted in the country.

She is currently a member of the Board at Mapfre, Tubacex and Sener.

