

Christian Streiff



Born in Sarrebourg, Moselle, France, on 21/09/1954
École des Mines de Paris, classification: first, 1974/77
Married, 3 children

**2006/2009: Chief Executive Officer of automobile company PSA Peugeot
Citröen** €50 billion turnover, 200,000 employees

- Peugeot
- Citroën
- Banque PSA Finances, group bank
- Faurecia, one of the leading suppliers to the automobile industry

2006: Chief Executive Officer of Airbus
€20 billion turnover, 70,000 employees

26 years of complete experience in a large multinational company: Saint-Gobain

- **2004 / 2005: vice-president of the Saint-Gobain group**
€33 billion turnover; 180,000 employees; 60 countries, EBIT €2,700 million
- **2001 / 2003: president of the High Performance Materials sector**
Ceramics, plastics, abrasives; €4,000 million turnover; offices in Paris and Boston
- **1997 /2000: president of the Pont-à-Mousson group**
Cast iron piping systems; €1,200 million turnover; based in Nancy, France
- **1994 /1996: Chief Executive Officer of Saint-Gobain Emballage**
Glass packaging; €600 million turnover; based in Paris
- **1991 /1993: Chief Executive Officer of Vetrerie Italiana Spa**
Glass packaging; €300 million turnover; headquarters at Dego, Liguria
- **1988 / 1990: Chief Executive Officer of Gevetex GmbH**
Fiber glass for electronics; €150 million, Germany
- **1985 /1988: plant manager, Gevetex, 1000 employees**

- **1982 /1984: vice president of Corporate Planning, fiber glass sector**
Chambéry headquarters
- **1979 /1982: development engineer, then manufacturing manager, Halbergerhütte**
Automobile foundry; 1,200 employees in manufacturing; Germany

In short, experience of managing three industrial groups and a wide range of products and technologies:

- **automobile foundry (3 years) – fiber glass (9 years)**
- **packaging (5 years) – piping (5 years)**
- **ceramics, plastics and abrasives (ex-Norton, 2 years)**
- **automobile and aeronautics industry (4 years)**

More than 15 years of international experience:

- **10 years spent living in Germany, 3 years in Italy**
Fluent speaker of English, German and Italian; network of European executives
- **2 years of experience in the United States**
14,000 employees in 100 plants, 50% of time spent in the United States
- Experience in the **UK** (Stanton), **Japan** (Nippon Electric, Kubota, Mitsubishi), **China** (Xingxing, Dongfeng-Peugeot), **India** (Electrosteel, Norton), **Brazil** (Barbara)

Extensive experience of relationships with unions:

- Complete experience of “**Mitbestimmung**” in Germany
- **Cultural change** in France: Saint-Gobain Emballage and SEPR / Le Pontet (CGT)
- **Restructuring:**
 - Pont-à-Mousson, France (CFDT)
 - Vetr.I, Italia (CGIL)
 - Desmarquest, Montreuil (CGT, 2002/2003)
- Contracts with the “**Union of Auto Workers**” (UAW) in the United States

Relations with governments:

- **Chinese government**, with Airbus and PSA (50% of the capital belongs to the Chinese state)
- **French government**, during the car crisis in 2008/2009 (€3 billion loan)
- **German Government**, as Chief Executive Officer of Airbus

Previous experience in boards of directors:

- **Thyssen-Krupp AG, TI-Automotive Ltd**
- **Continental AG, École des Mines de Paris**