

## ***BIOGRAPHY – Walter Qvam***

Walter Qvam (65), has 39 years' experience from executive management positions in international corporations within defence-, maritime-, oil and gas-, IT- and consulting businesses.

2007-2016: President and CEO of Kongsberg Gruppen ASA, a leading technology corporation

2004-2007: Founding & Managing Partner in Bene Agere, a strategy consultancy firm

1996-2004: CEO Gemini Consulting Nordic & Baltics, CEO/Chairman Cap Gemini Norway,

EVP Cap Gemini Nordic, EVP Cap Gemini Europe

1995-1996: Deputy CEO Norwegian Railways

1980-1994: Several international executive management positions in Det Norske Veritas:

- CEO Veritec AS, CEO DNV Industry, CEO Veritec Pte Ltd, Project Manager roles

His current roles include:

- Chairperson, BoD in SINTEF, a leading Northern European research organization
- Chairperson, BoD in the leading seismic company Petroleum Geo-Services ASA (PGS)
- Chairperson of the Council of the Foundation Det Norske Veritas (DNV)
- Chairperson, BoD of Digital Norway
- Chairperson, BoD of wheel.me, a Norwegian technology start-up
- Advisor to The Panoply Holding plc (UK) (thepanoply.com)
- Senior Advisor in own advisory business – Miway (miway.no)

Mr. Qvam has a Master of Science degree from the Norwegian Institute of Technology (NTNU/NTH) in Trondheim. (1979)