

Seppo Jorma Siljama

Date of Birth 12 July 1954

Executive Summary

- Many times proven track record of successful management of expert driven businesses
- Proven track record in commercial and investment banking
- In depth experience in restructuring businesses
- Experienced in project and structured finance
- Numerous successful M&A projects for over three decades
- Business development focus in the Russian and Japanese markets
- Long experience in board work both as chairman and member

Family: Married, four grown up children

Languages: Finnish, English, Swedish

Contact: +358-400 426 206, seppo.siljama@septem.fi

Relevant Education

1978 Master of Law, University of Helsinki

1988 Management courses at Imede (IMD), Lausanne

Relevant board experience

2018 – current Pulsedeon Oy, Chairman of the Board

Electric battery technology company

2021 -2023 Gutsy Animations Oy, Chairman of the Board

Film and TV series production company having produced winning Moomin animations series for global distribution.

2009 – current Septem Partners Oy, Chairman of the Board

Septem Partners Oy is an investment bank providing advisory services in cross border mergers and acquisitions, target and partner search and fund raising in very focused market areas. Main focus is towards Japan.

- 2014 – 2022 Fennovoima Oy, Member of the Board
Nuclear Power Project Company
- 2011 – 2018 Lahti Precision Oy, Chairman of the Board
Lahti Precision supplies weighing and dosing systems and plants, scales and weighing components as well as related maintenance services.
Our customers operate in the glass industry, the plaster and mortar industry, in other process industries, as well as trade and transport. [1][1][1] Lahti Precision is one of the world's leading suppliers of glass batch plants and mortar plants, and the market leader in the weighing business in Finland.
Lahti Precision operates worldwide with business units located in Lahti, Parainen and Jyväskylä. The company currently employs 160 people.
- 2008- 2017 Picodeon, Chairman of the Board, Member of the Board
Picodeon is a hi-tech company involved with the surface deposition of both thin films and coatings. Picodeon primarily supplies technology, services and hardware to end-users.
- 2012-2020 Superson Oy, Chairman, Member of the Board.
Superson is a leading marketing and marketing events company, active in Finland and Singapore.
- 2014 – 2022 Fennovoima Oy, Member of the Board
- 2004-2009 NorthStar Corporate Finance Oy & OOO, Chairman of the Board
NorthStar Corporate Finance is a boutique investment banking firm located in Moscow, Russia assisting companies in raising private equity, advising on mergers & acquisitions (buy and sell-side assignments), cross-border transactions, project finance, restructurings, and IPO's.
- 1994-1998 Polar Group Oyj, Member - Listed company
One of the largest construction and property companies in Finland at the time. Acquired by German IVG.
- 2002-2010 Mint Capital Limited, Moscow, Member
Mint Capital is a Russian private equity fund providing growth capital to entrepreneurs who are building companies in industries where competence matters more than administrative resources.

Other numerous positions of trust within the finance, commercial and investment banking sector.

Relevant work experience

Stephen Industries Inc. Oy

2022 – current Senior Advisor

Septem Partners Oy (as above)

2009 – current Executive Chairman, Partner

NorthStar Corporate Finance Oy (Finland), NorthStar Corporate Finance OOO (Russia) (as above)

2007-2009 Executive Chairman, Partner

PCA Corporate Finance Oy

PCA Corporate Finance is an independent partner-managed Finnish investment bank founded in 1992. They work as financial advisors on mergers and acquisitions and property transactions as well as arrange both equity and debt financing for their clients.

2006-2007 Senior Advisor

2004-2005 Managing Director, Country and Regional Manager, Finland, Baltics, Russia

1993-2003 Founding and Managing Partner

Kansallis-Osake-Pankki (Currently Nordea)

Finnish commercial bank operating from 1889 to 1995. The bank was merged in 1995 with Suomen Yhdyspankki to form the Merita Bank. Merita Bank was later merged with Swedish Nordbanken to form Nordea.

1988-1992 General Manager, Head the London Branch, by far the biggest branch office of the Bank (Positioned in London, U.K.)

1987-1988 Senior Vice President, Head of Division/Department (Capital Markets, Primary Equity Markets, International Finance, Project Finance, Bond Trading)

1983-1987 Vice President, Head of Department (International Finance, Project Finance)

1978-1983 Various expert and managerial positions