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Mario joined the European Commission in 1994 and held various senior positions. Since June 2020 he is the Director General for DG REFORM - Structural Reform Support. Between October 2018 and June 2020 he was the Director of Horizontal Policies in the Financial Stability, Financial Services and Capital Markets Union Directorate General. Prior to that, from 2016 to April 2018, he was Director of the Financial System Surveillance and Crisis Management Directorate and, from 2011 to 2016, Director of the Regulation and Prudential Supervision of Financial Institutions.

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