

Pekka Vauramo

President and CEO, Finnair



Pekka Vauramo has been President and CEO of Finnair since 1 June 2013. Pekka joined Finnair from Cargotec, a Finnish cargo and load handling company, where he held different management positions between 2007 and 2013. Before his transfer to Finnair, Pekka Vauramo had been based in Hong Kong since 2010 as COO of the MacGregor Business Area. Between 1985 and 2007 Pekka worked at Sandvik, a Swedish mining and construction company.

He also serves as a member of the boards of Glaston PLC (since 2011) and the Boliden Group (since 2016). During Pekka Vauramo's time, Finnair has completed a major cost-saving and restructuring programme, preparing the company for a growth phase, which started in 2015. Finnair was the first European airline to receive the next generation Airbus A350 aircraft in autumn 2015. Since then, Finnair has announced new destinations in Asia, recruited pilots and cabin crew, and is now focused on growing its operations. Finnair taps into the growth of Asia-Europe traffic, offering shortest connections via its Helsinki hub between 70 European cities and 17 Asian megacities.