

Giovanni Tria

Prof. Tria served as Minister of Economy and Finance of Italy during 2018-2019.

He is an economist with more than 40 years of academic and professional experience in the fields of macroeconomics, price policies, economic development policies, business cycle and growth, public investment assessment and project evaluation, role of the institutions on the process of growth, economics of crime and economics of corruption, service sector and public sector economics. He extensively worked in the formulation and management of macro-econometric models for economic forecast and simulation of economic policies, contributing to periodical formulation of economic forecast reports.

He received his degree in Law from University of Rome "La Sapienza," in 1971.

He taught Economics, Macroeconomics, Development economics, History of Economic Thought at University of Rome "La Sapienza", University of Rome Tor Vergata, University of Perugia.

He worked as expert of economics in many Italian institutions, ministries (Ministry of Public Administration and Innovation, Ministry of Economy and Finance, Ministry of Labour, Ministry of Foreign Affairs) and government bodies. He is member of many scientific committees of Italian and international Think tanks.

Fellow at Aspen Institute Italia, Distinguished fellow at Center for International Governance Innovation (CIGI, Waterloo, ON, Canada), senior fellow at the Transatlantic Leadership Network (Washington, DC.) He is also member of the Italian Economic Society.

He has been Visiting Scholar at Simon Fraser University (Vancouver, Canada), Columbia University (New York, USA), University of London (London, UK), Beijing University (Beijing, China).

His past professionals and academic positions also include: delegate for the Italian Government on the Board of Directors of ILO (International Labour Office); member of the "OECD Innovation Strategy Expert Advisory Group" and Vice Chair at the "OECD Committee for Information, Computer and Communication Policy" (ICCP); Director of the Erasmus Mundus Master Program "International Cooperation and Urban Development," University of Rome Tor Vergata. He also served as Director of the Centre for Economic and International Studies (CEIS) at UTV from 2000 to 2009 and as Director of the "Master of Development Economics and International Cooperation" - MESCI - University of Rome "Tor Vergata".

He is Honorary Professor of Economics at University of Rome Tor Vergata, where he served as Dean of the Faculty of Economics from 2016 to 2018, until he was appointed Minister of Economy and Finance. From 2010 to 2016 he was President of the Italian National School of Public Administration.

From March 2021 to October 2022, he also served as Economic advisor to the Minister of Economic Development.

Currently he is President of ENEA Tech and Biomedical Foundation.