



Frank Mastrapasqua, Ph.D.

Senior Portfolio Manager, Chairman and CEO

Frank began his career in academia serving as chair and professor of finance for the University of Houston and as adjunct professor for New York University's Graduate School of Business. He quickly moved to Wall Street spending much of his career as the chief economist and portfolio investment strategist for leading New York investment companies including L.F. Rothschild, Unterberg, Towbin and Smith Barney, Harris, Upham. As a trained economist, Frank has a profound understanding of capital markets, as well as the influences of the U.S. and world economy.

In 1986, Frank was recruited by Nashville-based J.C. Bradford & Co. to serve as Partner, Director of Research & Chief Investment Strategist. And later, in 1993, Frank founded Mastrapasqua Asset Management, a leading money management and independent research firm.

Experience

- Partner, Director of Research & Chief Investment Strategist: J.C. Bradford & Co., Nashville, TN
- Senior Vice President, Chief Economist & Director of Fixed Income Research: Smith Barney, Harris, Upham, New York, NY
- Chief Economist & Portfolio Strategist: L.F. Rothschild, Unterberg, Towbin, New York, NY
- Chief Economist: Faulkner, Dawkins & Sullivan, New York, NY
- Chief Economist: American General Capital Management, Houston, TX
- Chairman & professor of Finance: University of Houston, Houston, TX
- Adjunct Professor of Economics and Finance: New York University Graduate School of Business, New York, NY

Achievements

- Board of Trustees: Tusculum College, Greeneville, TN
- Board of Directors: Vanderbilt Diabetes Center, Nashville, TN
- Former Distinguished Professor of Economics and Finance: Massey Graduate School of Business, Nashville, TN
- Former Director: TransFinancial, Inc., Bowling Green, KY
- Former President: Middle Tennessee Juvenile Diabetes Foundation, Nashville, TN

Education

- Ph.D., Finance and Economics, New York University Graduate School of Business
- M.B.A., Economics, New York University Graduate School of Business
- B.S., Mathematics, Fairfield University