Beata Jarosz

Graduate of the Warsaw School of Economics and Mini MBA Managerial Studies at the University of Łódź.

Currently, she is the founder and CEO of Future Collars school with an innovative platform for learning programming and digital competence. In the company she is responsible for strategy, finance and operations. The startup has been recognized by My Company Poland and ranked among the 25 best Polish startups. In 2021, the company set up a scholarship fund called Diversity in IT. Thanks to the fund, people in difficult financial and life situations will be able to participate in digital competence courses and gain employment in the IT industry. She initiated the Woman Update campaign, which aims to encourage women to continually develop and acquire new skills.

2020 Kozminski Business Hub recognized the company as one of the Startups of Positive Impact.

Capital market expert with over 25 years of professional experience, <u>former Vice-President of the Warsaw Stock Exchange (2006-2014)</u>

Co-founder of the stock market within the alternative trading system NewConnect and the organized trading market of debt securities Catalyst. She supervised the processes of admitting and introducing instruments to trading on the stock exchange market, NewConnect and Catalyst. She coordinated and supervised acquisition activities aimed at winning new companies for the stock exchange market. She managed the work on the development and promotion of a new form of rules of good practice for companies listed on the WSE. She was responsible for implementation of projects aimed at improvement of investor relations standards.

She previously worked at the Securities Commission (1991-2006). As Director of the Market Supervision Department she was responsible for monitoring stock exchange trading. She also chaired the Examination Board for Securities Brokers and Commodity Brokers. She represented the Securities and Exchange Commission at the Forum of the European Committee of Securities Regulators (CESR) in the area of work on supervision and security of trading.

She was the Chairperson of the Supervisory Boards of the National Depository for Securities Krajowy Depozyt Papierów Wartościowych S.A. and KDPW CCP S.A.

In 2002-2010, she was a lecturer on capital markets at the Faculty of Economics of the University of Warsaw.

She has been awarded the Golden Cross of Merit for her special contribution to building the Polish capital market.