

# Piero Soave

## Government affairs professional with business development skills and global perspective

I have worked across multiple markets (United States, Europe and Asia), in both matrixed corporations and consulting. My experience in government relations and public policy allows me to navigate complex regulatory environments and effectively communicate with policymakers and stakeholders. With my skills in business development and partnerships, I created growth opportunities for clients and employers in a variety of industries.

I am an expert generalist, who can quickly adapt to industries and organizations, diving deep into new topics and bringing a fresh perspective to every project. As a multilingual leader with experience building and leading teams across cultures, I am used to navigating global markets. With strong sense of humor and resilience, I am able to manage projects and drive results even in the most challenging of circumstances.

Skills: government relations, policy, communications, strategy, business development, project management.

## Professional experience

<b>AMAZON</b> ( <i>since 2020</i> )	Italy
<b>Economic Development Policy, Lead for Southern Europe, Corporate Public Policy External Affairs, Lead for Southern Europe, Amazon Logistics Launch &amp; Expansion</b>	
<b>RED FLAG CONSULTING</b> ( <i>2019 –2020</i> )	Singapore
<b>Director Asia Pacific</b>	
<b>SYNGENTA</b> ( <i>2016 –2019</i> )	Singapore
<b>Head of Business Sustainability, Southeast Asia Corporate Affairs Manager, Southeast Asia</b>	
<b>DIAGEO</b> ( <i>2013 –2016</i> )	Brussels
<b>Head of EU Alcohol Policy Public Policy Manager, Western Europe</b>	
<b>HARWOOD LEVITT CONSULTING</b> ( <i>2011 –2013</i> )	Brussels
<b>Consultant</b>	
<b>UNITED NATIONS Regional Information Center</b> (2010 - Internship)	Brussels
<b>NATO Supreme Allied Command Transformation</b> (2009 - Internship)	USA

## Education & Training

<b>Master's degree in International Relations &amp; Diplomatic Affairs</b> ( <i>University of Bologna</i> )	2009
General management program (strategy, finance, leadership) ( <i>Bocconi University</i> )	2023
Business writing ( <i>University of Colorado Boulder</i> )	2023
ESG Fundamentals ( <i>Corporate Finance Institute</i> )	2023
Manager of managers, Leadership Development Program ( <i>Syngenta</i> )	2018
Change management ( <i>Syngenta</i> )	2017

## Languages

**Italian** (*native*), **English** (*fluent*), **French** (*fluent*), **Spanish** (*fluent*), **German** (*basic*)

## Volunteering

**Catchfire:** communications, outreach and advocacy support to civil society organizations. since 2020

**Italian Red Cross/ PA Croce Italia:** provided community support, staffed the airport's emergency healthcare presence, and worked shifts on ambulances with the city's emergency services. 2004-2006