

## Remo Pertica Finmeccanica, Co-Chief Operating Officer

Remo Pertica was born in Genoa the 20<sup>th</sup> of May 1942. In 1965 he graduated in Electronic Engineering with full-honours, obtaining in 1966 a specialization at "Radiotecnica" 's Laboratories, Engineering Faculty, University of Genoa.

In 1968 he began his professional carrier at the Radio Laboratories of "Marconi Italiana - Divisione Telecomunicazioni Militari (DTM)", as Responsible for the development line of Telegraphic Terminals. After this first appointment, he then developed his carrier within the Company, as DTM Marketing Director, System Service Director, DTM Domestic Sales Director, DTM Managing Director, Marconi General Manager for the management of Military Telecommunication Division and Telematic Networks Division.

Besides his appointments with Marconi, in 1995 Remo Pertica became Managing Director of Elmer SpA and Board Member in MAC (Marconi Alenia Communications) and in 1997 Chairman of MID SpA (Marconi Italtel Difesa) and MAC Managing Director.

In 1998 Remo Pertica was appointed Managing Director of Marconi S.p.A. Defence. Group (controlling five Business Units/Italian Companies). In 1999 he became Marconi Communications Managing Director, controlling five Business Units/Italian Companies, three UK Business Units and one Company in Turkey. In 2000 he was appointed Managing Director of Marconi Mobile S.p.A., Strategic Communications Group, controlling six Italian Business Units, four in UK, one in Turkey and one in Germany.

In 2002 when Marconi Mobile was sold to Finmeccanica, Remo Pertica was confirmed as CEO of the renamed Marconi Selenia Communications spa.

In October 2004 Remo Pertica has been appointed Co-Chief Operating Officer of Finmeccanica with responsibility of all the Finmeccanica's Defence Electronics Business (Marconi Selenia, AMS, Galileo Avionica, SEICOS, OTE, Elsag, SNI) .

From July 2002 to July 2004 Remo Pertica was appointed Chairman of AIAD (Associazione Industrie per l'Aerospazio, i Sistemi e la Difesa – Italian Association for Aerospace and Defence Industries); currently he maintains the position of vice Chairman of the Association.

From September 2004 to December 2005 Member of the Board of Trustees of I.I.T.

In April 2005 Remo Pertica has been appointed Chief Executive Officer of the Scientific and Technological District of Liguria in the sector of the "Integrated Intelligent Systems".