



Luigi Fiato

BIOGRAPHY

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I was born in Locri, Italy, on 1976

Graduate in 2001 in Economy in the Mediterranean University of Reggio Calabria.

PhD in Organizational and Management Systems - Parma University and IFOA.

Executive MBA in Luiss Business School on 9 September 2022.

Non-Executive Director Diploma, Financial Times on 2023.

From 2002 I moved in Bologna starting to work as advisor in consultancy companies (Chiarini & Associati, Galgano & Associati, Lean Society US) in the field of Consultancy on special projects to implement management systems, new production fields and plants. The key areas have been worked: Automotive sector, Medical device, food and Health care, covering more than 150 projects, 4 new start up productive plants in Check Republic, Romania, Poland, Slovakia and more than 3000 hours of delivered training.

On 2006 I started my journey in RINA Services S.p.A., an Italian TIC Company and Marine Classification Society, in Venice Office, as Lead Auditor and Sales developer on Management systems covering the following schemes: 9001, 45001 (18001), 13485, IRIS, 22000, 28000, HALAL, CE Mark medical device, ISO 31000 Risk Management, 231 Law.

On 2013 I was appointed as Certification Manager of Venice Office till 2016 as responsible of the local office for technical and commercial activities increasing the operational more than 40%.

On 2016 I was appointed as Certification Manager Middle East and North Africa, based in Dubai (UAE) with the role to increase the operational activities on Certification in Dubai, Abu Dhabi, Iran, Tunis). In this period with the support of the company I was involved in:

- Startup of a dedicated JV in UAE Tasneef RINA Business Assurance, where actually we are the leader for Health & Care protocol for private Hospitals.
- Open activities in automotive and Medical Devices in IRAN, where actually we are the Second player on IATF 16949.
- Reorganized LAB-21 in Tunis (ISO 17025 Accredited), dedicated on Testing on biochemical and Food analysis.

On 2018 I was appointed as Certification Responsible of the Region ASIA, covering the responsibilities of Commercial and Technical activities related to Certification of Management

systems, Product and Personnel Certification, CSR Audit, PSI Inspection, Vendor List, PED, ASME, Lifting Inspection).

Main Countries: China, Singapore, Malaysia, Indonesia, Thailand, India, Vietnam, Cambodia.

From Jan 2021 – July 2021 I was appointed as International Commercial Director of Certification BU, to build the international strategy and team.

From August 2021 I was appointed as Managing Director of (RINA Shanghai INDUSTRY INNOVATION & TECHNOLOGY Co., LTD), a spinoff company of RINA Consulting S.p.A. and RINA CSM (Centro Sviluppo Materiali) contributing with operational and commercial strategies for the performance of Industry in RINA APAC. The aim is supporting and promoting commercial and operational activities of Industry with the following key services:

- a. Manufacturing, Steel Makers & Energy Solutions (Steel Materials and Innovation, Advanced Materials Applications, Steel & Heavy Industry Solutions, Energy Transition, Industry Financed Projects, Nuclear Solutions, Hydrogen Technology, Decarbonization, Energy Transition & Sustainability, Transfer Technology, Digital Solutions, Solutions for Manufactures, Materials for Energy & Power Solutions, Industry 4.0 Solutions, Solutions for Aerospace).
- b. Materials, Technology & Innovation (Smart Factory Technologies& Industrial Design, R&D and Special Projects, Materials Design & Performance, Manufacturing Process Improvement).
- c. Strategy, Innovation & Sustainability (Innovation Strategy & Road-mapping, Marketing Strategy & Intelligence, Sustainability for Industry, Industrial Design, Smart Factory).

Conclusion

Based on my Multicultural Experience on Operational and Commercial Activities in the following streams: ESG, Technological Enablers, Decarbonization, Sustainability, Hydrogen, Open Innovation, Agile Organization, New Materials and Technologies.


with 21 years of experience in the field and a practical knowledge of the industrial sector, the evolution of the supply chain, the cultures of more than 150 countries visited, I' d like to give a practical contribution with the role of Vice-Coordinator of the Energy and Environmental Protection Working Group (EEPWG).

My objective is to actively contribute to the growth and improvement of Italian companies operating in the Chinese market. Additionally, I aim to foster collaborations with local Chinese businesses to facilitate both the institutional and commercial advancements of Italy in the region.

I hold deep respect and sincere appreciation for the invaluable contributions of our esteemed institutions, dedicated associates and by the Italian Chamber of Commerce in China. These pillars of support will be instrumental in shaping my contribution towards excellence.

My unwavering commitment is to enhance the presence of Italian businesses in the dynamic Chinese market, fostering fruitful partnerships and driving both institutional and commercial progress for Italy in this promising landscape.

With warm regards

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