## Carlo NIZIA – a short Biography and Program proposal

## T.E.A.M. - Together Everyone Achieves More

Carlo Nizia, graduate in Business Administration in the US (MBA), has extensive experience in the Automotive sector. Born in Torino, he began



his career in California for a small aftermarket company and moved to Fiat Group (now Fiat Chrysler Automobiles FCA) in 1988 holding various positions primarily in the financial Services Sector. Starting from the year 2007 he moved to China to start the Financial services for FCA in APAC until 2012. After a brief stint in the consulting business (as company shareholder and managing partner) he joined UFI Filters Group as Credit Officer and later as APAC Internal Auditor and Supervisor of the Board for China entities.

A wealth of experience in International Business in the Arena of Automotive, Financial Services and Consulting managing companies and regional teams over 100 people. Carlo has worked in several countries (especially in China) has accumulated skills and know-how in start-ups and quick results even when starting from green field projects.

Carlo is an expert in various fields (project management, financial services, company organization, start ups) has ample knowledge on how to manage companies and projects while driving the business towards profitability and managing customers of all levels.

## - MEWG Program

The Working Groups (WG) of the CICC are the engine that generate interest and unite people by organizing events and connecting within the network the members. The Mechanical Engineering WG of which I am proud and honored to be the Acting Coordinator has been for the past 2 years the pulling engine of the WGs. The events have progressively been more followed and have united people crossing boundaries and reaching outside the CICC to organize the first matchmaking event with the Small Medium Enterprise Dept of the Shanghai Municipality.

"Thank you for the trust and support given in these 2 years, I would like to continue the journey that we have started together with the other coordination team members and the MEWG members. Thank you for giving me the opportunity to take the MEWG into the next stage."

The program for the future should be based on 3 vectors :

- 1. <u>INTERNAL</u> knowing what excellences lie among our members and facilitate the exchange of information and the possibility to find solutions for ideas/problems/opportunities inside the chamber. E.G.: Company visits, seminars, database, informal events, events on the territory
- <u>EXTERNAL</u> showcase our excellences and facilitate the interaction with other chambers and business groups. Cross chamber meetings and possibility to interact with authorities or specific depts within the municipalities' administrations with the support of the CICC offices. E.G.: matchmaking SME Shanghai, Inter-Chamber MEWG seminars and informal events, meetings with industrial parks or municipalities.
- <u>COMMUNICATION</u> Online and Offline seamless contact with the members by developing and releasing the mini-app that will be the core of the program and the instrument to keep all members and coordinators in touch with agenda, events, database and in future also the events medium.