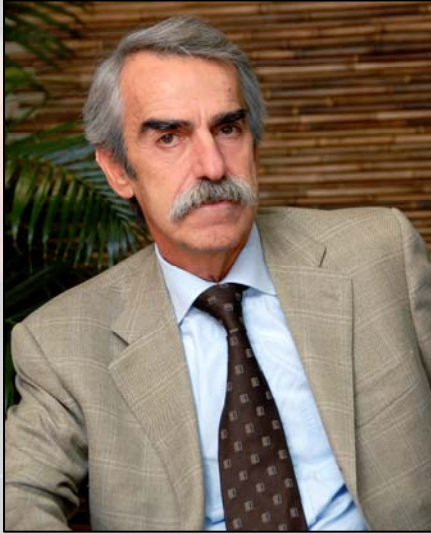


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Luigi Maria Quaglino (Italy)



Luigi Maria Quaglino is Senior Vice President & General Manager Space Infrastructures and Transportation Business Unit

In July 2005 he has been designated Senior Vice President & General Manager of the transnational Business Unit Space Infrastructures and Transportation.

Luigi Maria Quaglino is member of the Thales Alenia Space Italia Board of Directors and responsible for the Thales Alenia Space Torino Site.

He is also member of the ICARUS Board of Counsellors.

Luigi Maria Quaglino, born in 1948, is an Italian citizen and in 1975, just after being graduated in Mechanical Engineering at the Torino Polytechnic, joined Aeritalia Space Division where gained a large experience in the program management for the Spacelab programme.

In 1984 was appointed as Programme Planning & Control Manager of the Aeritalia Space System Group and in 1989 also responsible for the Procurement Directorate.

In 1995, after the merging of Aeritalia & Selenia to form Alenia, he was designated Vice-President for Programme Planning & Procurement in the Alenia Spazio organization; in 1997 was appointed Deputy Director of Alenia Space Division Operations and, later on, in 1998, Senior Vice President and General Manager for Infrastructures & Scientific Satellites Operational Directorate.

From November 2002 to November 2004 he has been working as Vice-President and General Manager for Infrastructures Scientific Satellites Directorate.

From November 2004 to June 2005, he has been working as Vice-President and General Manager for Infrastructures and Transportation Systems Directorate.

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