VALENTINA MARCHESINI





Valentina Marchesini, born in 1982 and holder of a degree in Education Sciences, is Director of Human Resources and Head of Marketing & Communications at Marchesini Group S.p.A., with a seat on the company's Board.

She began her career within the company in the Communications Office 2004 and progressed to become Marketing & Communications Director, also taking charge of the HR area in 2016.

From 2011 to 2013 she was Vice President of the Gruppo Giovani Imprenditori [Young Industrialists' Group] of industrial federation Unindustria Bologna. She was appointed President of the Organising Committee for the 35th anniversary of the ANT Foundation, which provides home care to cancer sufferers, in May 2012. In March 2015 she was reappointed to the committee for the 40th anniversary of the ANT.

She is sits on the Board of FiD (Fare impresa in Dozza), an association founded by a group of local companies to provide employment to prisoners at Bologna Dozza Prison.

She is a member of the steering committee of the ITS Maker foundation, which works to provide training in advanced mechanical engineering, and that of the BBS, the University of Bologna Business School.

She is also on the Board of Amici del Museo del Patrimonio Industriale di Bologna, an entrepreneurial association which aims to safeguard the area's industrial heritage and economic fabric. She was President of the same association from 2013 to 2017.

She has been a member of the BI-REX Big Data Innovation & Research Excellence steering committee since February 2021.

She chairs the Fondazione Marchesini ACT (Avanguardia – Cultura – Territorio, High-tech – Culture – Local area) established in March 2021 by the Marchesini family with the goal of supporting local projects with donations and solidarity initiatives.

In May 2022 she joined the scientific committee of Boom (Best Of Open Mind), the CRIF knowledge and innovation hub dedicated to education, training and innovation in technological and business development.

She became President of Intono, the communications agency of the UMICA and ACIMAC industrial associations, in July 2022.

She was appointed Ministry of Universities and Research representative on the Board of Directors of the Museo Galileo in Florence in December 2022.