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## Cristiano Montrucchio, Alenia Aermacchi's Head of Avionic System, appointed Conference Chair of ITEC 2013

Cristiano Montrucchio, Alenia Aermacchi's Head of Avionic System, has been appointed Conference Chair of ITEC - International Forum for the Military Training, Education and Simulation Sectors, that will be held in Rome, Italy, from 22 to 24 May 2013.

ITEC is an annual forum for representatives from the military, industry and academia to connect and share knowledge with the international training, education and simulation sectors. Presenting a unique overview of the industry's latest innovations, the event provides visitors with a platform to discuss developments in this evolving market and exchange ideas about future requirements for military training and simulation.

Established for over 20 years, ITEC offers a world-class exhibition and conference showcasing the very latest products and services from leading organizations, as well as unique networking opportunities.

Commenting his appointment as ITEC 2013 Conference Chair, Cristiano said: "ITEC is the internationally renowned forum for the military training, education and simulation sectors. As the importance of training and simulation continues to grow in both the civil and military spheres, I am confident that next year's event in Rome will see a significant participation from the Italian government, industry and educational institutions, as well as high-level attendees from across Europe, USA and crucial emerging markets".

Cristiano Montrucchio, born in 1969, developed his entire professional carrier in Alenia Aeronautica – now Alenia Aermacchi. He has a consolidated experience in the simulation and training field, and covered increasing responsibilities including Simulation & System Operability Manager and Head of Simulation and Avionics Integration. Cristiano is currently appointed as Head of Avionic Systems, responsible of avionics design, development and integration for all the Company's programmes.

Save the date: 22 - 24 May 2013, Fiera di Roma (Rome, Italy).

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