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Road Tunnels Safety and Efficiency: the Italian Technological Excellence

International Conference of the Technical Committee 4.4 "Tunnels" of PIARC Italia

Thursday July 3, 2025 - 2:00 - 6:00 pm (CET)

Faculty of Engineering, La Sapienza University of Rome

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PIARC Italia, the Italian National Committee of PIARC World Road Association, in collaboration with Anas, the Italian National Road Authority, is organizing a public event to share the most advanced best practices and technological solutions in the field of tunnel safety, and to create an opportunity for discussion and provide support to operators, especially in view of the imminent deadline imposed by the EC for compliance with safety standards for tunnels longer than 500 meters belonging to the trans-European road network.

- ❖ **2:00 pm** Welcome greeting by **Carlo Massimo CASCIOLA**, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering at La Sapienza
- ❖ **2:05 pm** Introduction by **Domenico CROCCO**, First delegate and Secretary general of PIARC Italia and Manager responsible for International Institutional Relations of Anas
- ❖ **2:10 pm** Institutional greeting, **Felice MORISCO**, Director General of the Directorate General for Roads and Road Infrastructure Safety of the Ministry of Infrastructure and Transport
- ❖ **2:20 pm** Institutional greeting, **Domenico CAPOMOLLA**, Director of ANSFISA, National Agency for the Safety of Railways and Road and Motorway Infrastructure
- ❖ **2:30 pm** Institutional greeting, **Fabrizio AVERARDI RIPARI**, Member of the Council of the Order of Engineers of the Province of Rome



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- ❖ **2:35 pm** Opening of the Proceedings, **Mario LANCIANO**, President of TC 4.4 Tunnels and CEO of Italoiberica

- ❖ **2:45 pm** **First Technical Session “Lighting”**
Moderators Prof. Giuseppe PARISE (La Sapienza University of Rome, Vicepresident of CEI & President of AEIT) and Filippo LOCASCIO (Anas S.p.A.)
Discussant: Gianluca COSSALE (Anas S.p.A., PIARC Italia)
Speakers **Sebastiano NICOTRA**, Head of Energy Solutions and Renewable Sources Anas
Fabrizio STUCCHI, Faerber Lighting System S.p.A.
Michele MASSARDI, Palazzoli S.p.A.

- ❖ **3:30 pm** **Second Technical Session “Ventilation”**
Moderators Prof. Giuseppe PARISE (La Sapienza University of Rome, Vicepresident of CEI & President of AEIT) and Filippo LOCASCIO (Anas S.p.A.)
Discussant: Gianluca COSSALE (Anas S.p.A., PIARC Italia)
Speakers **Corrado MAVERI**, Industrie CBI S.p.A.
Antonio GALLO, Anas S.p.A.
Ivano BARILLI, Sina S.p.A.
Walter LANCIANO, Brennero Base Tunnel - BBT

- ❖ **4:30 pm** *Coffee Break*

- ❖ **4:45 pm** **Third Technical Session “Fire-fighting System”**
Moderators Prof. Giuseppe PARISE (La Sapienza University of Rome, Vicepresident of CEI & President of AEIT) and Filippo LOCASCIO (Anas S.p.A.)
Discussant: Gianluca COSSALE (Anas S.p.A., PIARC Italia)
Speakers **Sara COSENTINO**, Tecne S.p.A. (Autostrade per l'Italia S.p.A. Group)
Roberto PIERRO, B&C Project S.r.l.
Iacopo CASSIANO, Ultrafog S.r.l.

- ❖ **5:30 pm** **Fourth Technical Session “The Human Factor”**
Moderator: Mario LANCIANO (President of TC 4.4 Tunnels and CEO of Italoiberica)
Discussant: Gianluca COSSALE (Anas S.p.A., PIARC Italia)
Interverranno **Prof. Emilio ERRIGO**, Brigadier General in reserve of the Guardia di Finanza (Italian Financial Police), former Special Government Commissioner
Daniela NICOLOTTI, Operative & Systems Management
Matteo LORENZI, Autostrade per l'Italia S.p.A.

- ❖ **6:00 pm** Conclusions by **Emanuela STOCCHI**, President of PIARC World Road Association and Director of International Affairs of AISCAT, the Italian Association of Motorway and Tunnel Concessionaires