



## **Filippo Lo Franco**

**Independent Director and Chairman of the Audit Committee**

Filippo Pietro Lo Franco is a graduate of the Bocconi University in Milan. He began his career in Paris in 1996 at BNP Equities as a Pan-European media equity research analyst and moved to London in 2000 following the merger between BNP and Paribas.

Filippo Pietro Lo Franco joined JPMorgan in London in 2006 where within a few years he became Head of the Pan-European media equity research team. During his time there he received several awards including: No. 1 in the Institutional Investor Survey for five consecutive years (2010-2014), as best European media equity research analyst; No. 1 Media Analyst in Europe (as voted by corporates) several times in the Thomson Reuters Extel Survey; No. 1 Analyst across all industry sectors by corporates in the 2009 Thomson Reuters Extel Survey.

Filippo Pietro Lo Franco was appointed Head of JPMorgan EMEA Media M&A in 2014 and led several transactions throughout Europe, ranking top 3 in the EMEA Dealogic league table.

In September 2017, Filippo Pietro Lo Franco joined Mediobanca in Paris as Global Head of TMT Coverage and successfully completed several high-profile M&A transactions in Telecom, Media and Tech throughout Europe.