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Panel A3

**Military Mobility – Combined Joint Support and
Enabling in Europe for larger formations**

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Colonel Enrico Rinaldi was born in Naples, Italy, on 10 September 1963. He attended the Nunziatella Military School (1979-1982) and the Italian Military Academy (1982-1984). He was promoted as second lieutenant on 1 September 1984.

Main appointments:

- Logistic Battalion of Alpine Brigade "Taurinense" - Platoon Leader and Company Commander;
- National Support Element of the Italian Contingent "Cuneense" - Commander;
- Logistic Battalion "Taurinense" - Chief Logistic Section;
- Italian Embassy of the United States of America - Military Attache for the Army;
- Maintenance Battalion of the 1 st Maneuver Regiment - Commander;
- 10th Maneuver Regiment - Commander.

NATO/UN Operations:

- Operation ONUMOZ - Mozambique (February - October 1993);
- Operation Constant Guard - Bosnia (September - December 1997);
- Operation Allied Harbour - Albania (July - August 1999);
- Operation Joint Guardian - Kosovo (June - August 2000);
- Operation Ancient Babylon 6 - Iraq (December 2004 - April 2005);
- Operation Leonte 9/10 - Lebanon (January - July 2011).

Medals and honors:

- Knight of the Order of the Italian Republic;
- Mauriziana Medal for 50 years of military career;
- Gold Military Medal for long command;
- Gold Cross with star for 40 years of military service;
- Commemorative Cross for the peace military operation in Mozambique;
- Commemorative Cross for the peace military operation in Bosnia;
- Commemorative Cross for the peace military operation in Kosovo;
- Commemorative Cross for the international aid activity in Iraq;
- UN Medal for Operation ONUMOZ in Mozambique;
- NATO Medal for the service in former Yugoslavia;
- NATO Medal for the service in Kosovo;
- UN Medal for the service in Lebanon (UNIFIL);
- Army Achievement Medal awarded by the U.S.A. Army Chief of Staff;
- Bronze Medal in merit of the Italian Red Cross.

Education:

Colonel Rinaldi holds a Bachelor Degree in Applied Industrial Technologies and one in International and Diplomatic Sciences. He also holds a Masters Degree in Strategic Sciences and one in International Strategic and Military studies.

On 3 November 2016 Colonel Rinaldi was appointed as Chairman of NATO TG WG IST.