

Appointment

## > **Virginie Maillard (Renault Group), new president of IMT's Scientific Advisory Board**

The aim of IMT's Scientific Advisory Board is to advise and assess IMT on its research and innovation strategy bearing in mind the needs of the economy and society as well as scientific and technological advances at the national, European and international level. The board welcomed its new members on December 14, 2017.

### **Scientific Advisory Board procedure**

The Board meets twice a year. Each session is dedicated to:

- an analysis of the strategic priorities of a theme or field of research and innovation
- other strategic subjects of general interest, recruitment, organization, innovation policy, international policy, etc.

The strategic analysis of a theme or field is based on an assessment carried out in advance during a conference which brings together IMT experts specifically chosen according to the subject.

[Find out more about previous IMT conferences](#)

### **Virginie Maillard (Renault Group), new president of IMT's Scientific Advisory Board**

Since 2014, Virginie Maillard has been Vice-President of Research and Research Strategy at Renault, within the Renault-Nissan-Mitsubishi Alliance, at the Renault Technocenter in Guyancourt. She holds an engineering degree from INSA Lyon and a Master's degree in Mechanics. Over the course of her twenty-two year engineering career at Renault, she has held different vehicle research and development positions, especially in the areas of exterior equipment and acoustics. In 2015, Virginie Maillard received Automotive News Europe's Rising Star Award.



The composition of Institut Mines-Télécom's Scientific Advisory Board reflects the scale of the scientific themes addressed and the wide-ranging nature of IMT's research and innovation. Its role is also to offer the viewpoint of businesses and the academic world. The aim is to involve companies that have a global vision of the economy, markets, technologies and society at large, and to take on board the analysis of researchers from international universities and research centers. Qualified individuals also sit on the Board in order to provide their experience and widely acknowledged expertise.

Appointed to the board:

- 12 representatives from the corporate world: industry or services
- 6 representatives from the academic world
- 6 qualified specialists
- 2 representatives from the IMT faculty

# Composition of IMT's Scientific Advisory Board

## **PRESIDENT OF THE SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BOARD**

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**Mme Virginie MAILLARD**, Renault Group, Vice-President, Research and Research Strategy, *Transportation Equipment*

## **COMPANIES**

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**M. Philippe BOURGUIGNON**, Engie, Senior Project Coordinator Engie Lab, *Énergie*

**Mme Lyse BRILLOUET**, Orange Labs, Director of Digital Society Research, *Digital Technology*

**M. Olivier DELABROY**, Air Liquide, Vice-President of R&D Europe, *Natural Resources*

**M. Sébastien DEVROE**, Fives, Director of Innovation, *Materials*

**M. Patrick JOHNSON**, Dassault Systèmes, Vice-President of R&D, *Digital Technology*

**M. Philippe LAFORGE**, e.i.m. Leblanc / Bosch Thermotechnology, Managing Director, *Energy*

**M. Claude LE PAPE**, Schneider Electric, Vice-President of Technology, *Energy*

**M. Yves LE STUNFF**, Total, Digital Officer, *Energy*

**M. Carlos MORENO**, INTI Conseil, Director, Complex Systems

**Mme Christine TAHON**, Technology Transfer AchtonC, *Chemistry*

**Mme Catherine TRUFFERT**, IRIS Instruments (Groupe BRGM), Présidente, *Ressources naturelles*

## **ACADEMICS**

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**Mme Aude BILLARD**, EPFL, Professor (Algorithms and Learning Systems), *Numérique*

**Mme Hannemor KEIDEL**, TUM, Vice-Président International Alliances, *SHS*

**M. Saadi LAHLOU**, London School of Economics, Professor (Social Psychology), *SHS*

**M. Jean-Claude LATOMBE**, Stanford, Professor (Artificial Intelligence), *Numérique*

**M. Sandro MACCHIETTO**, Imperial College, Professor (Process and Systems Engineering), *Energy/Mechanics*

**Mme Laura MONTANARO**, Politecnico di Torino, Professor (Materials Sciences), *Materials*

## **QUALIFIED SPECIALISTS**

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**M. Philippe CHODERLOS DE LACLOS**, Cetim, Managing Director, *Materials*

**M. Enguerrand HABRAN**, Fédération Hospitalière de France (French Hospital Foundation), Director of the FHF Research & Innovation Fund, *Healthcare*

**Mme Bettina LAVILLE**, Council of State member, Humanities and Social Sciences, Sustainable Development

**Mme Jacqueline LECOURTIER**, Consultant, *Energy*

**Mme Sophie PÈNE**, Vice-President, Interdisciplinary Research Center (CRI Paris), *SHS*

**M. Guillaume POUPARD**, ANSSI, Managing Director, *Digital Technology*

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## ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES (PROFESSORS)

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### Full members:

**M. Bruno LACARRIERE**, Professor, Department of Energy Systems and Environment (DSEE), IMT Atlantique

**M. Miguel LOPEZ-FERBER**, Professor, Director of the LGEI Research Center (Laboratory for Industrial Environment Engineering), IMT Mines Alès

### Alternate members:

**Mme Valérie LAFOREST**, Head of the Environmental Engineering and Organizations department (FAYOL), Mines St Etienne (*Suppl. de Miguel Lopez-Ferber*)

**Mme Pascaline PRE** Professor, Department of Energy Systems and Environment (DSEE), IMT Atlantique (*Suppl. de Bruno Lacarrière*)

### About IMT [www.imt.fr](http://www.imt.fr)

IMT is a public institution dedicated to higher education and research for innovation in the fields of engineering and digital technology. Always tuned in to the economic world, it combines high academic and scientific legitimacy with close business relations and a unique positioning in 3 major transformations of the 21st century: Digital Affairs, Energy and Ecology, and Industry. Its training and research for innovation are conducted in the Mines and Télécom Graduate Schools under the supervision of the Minister for Industry and Electronic Communications, in one subsidiary and in institutions that are associate partners or under contract. IMT is a founding member of the Industry of the Future Alliance. It has two Carnot labels for the quality of its research partnerships. Every year, around one hundred startup companies leave its incubators.

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