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***Offshore Technology and Innovation Manager for Robotics, Automation and Monitoring***

*Earned a Master's Degree in Electronics Engineering at University of Padova (Italy) on 2001 and has been working in Saipem since 2003.*

*With over 20 years of experience in Offshore Oil&Gas industry and technologies, his experience is in particular on pipelay projects, subsea robotics and subsea field development and technologies, offshore renewables. In Saipem, covered a variety of roles starting from control system engineering for subsea pipe-trenching machines, monitoring systems, industrialization of subsea processing technology, digitalization of offshore projects and operations. From 2010 to 2017 he covered the role of head of Welding Control Systems in Saipem-Sonsub (based in Venice) and coordinating the control system development of the Saipem proprietary orbital welding system for pipelay.*

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