

**ROBERT SINGER - Independent Director as per the Italian Corporate Governance Code for listed companies**

Born in New York City in 1952, Robert Singer has a Master of “Science in Accounting” at New York University.

He is currently Chief Executive Officer of Barilla Holding S.p.A. and director of Finba Iniziativa S.r.l., Barilla G. e R Fratelli S.p.A., Barilla America Inc., Mead Johnson Nutritionals.

He has, inter alia, a long experience in the fashion field as President and Chief Operating Officer of Abercrombie and Fitch. He was Executive Deputy President and Chief Financial Officer of Gucci Group N.V..