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INTESA SANPAOLO RECOGNISED AS ITALY'S LEADING COMPANY FOR ESG ASPECTS, ACCORDING TO EXTEL

Marco Delfrate named Italy's Best IR Professional

Milan, 17 September 2026 - **Intesa Sanpaolo** has been recognised as **Italy's leading company for ESG aspects** among Italian large-cap companies cross-sector.

Marco Delfrate was named **Italy's top Investor Relations Professional** in the Large Cap category, ranking first for the ninth consecutive year and for the tenth time in the past eleven years.

Sara Pellicanó was honoured as **IR Rising Star** in the same category.

The awards are based on the results of the **2026 Extel Survey**, which involved over 1,500 institutional investors and financial analysts**.**

Extel is an independent research provider with a strong reputation among financial analysts and institutional investors, known for its accurate and transparent methodology, and operating in the market for over 50 years.

The awards were presented at the **Italian Investor Relations Awards 2026**, an event organised by **AIR (the Italian Investor Relations Association)**.

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