Roberta Mecozzi – Career summary

Roberta Mecozzi is a chemical engineer, senior researcher at ENEA, the Italian National Agency for New Technologies, Energy and Sustainable Economic Development, in the Department of Energy Technologies and Renewable Sources (TERIN) - Division of Technologies and Vectors for Decarbonization. She has been working in the ENEA Antarctic Technical Unit, in charge of the logistics of the Italian National Antarctic programme (PNRA) as Head of Research Innovation and Environment Service from 2019 to 2024 and as Assistant of the Head of the Antarctic Technical Unit from 2010 to 2019. Her main activities concerned the support in international affairs, in the planning and supervision of PNRA activities at Concordia Station and on the evaluation of the environmental impact of PNRA activities. She served as Italian ATCM delegate from 2011 to 2021 and as Italian representative at the Committee of Environmental Protection from 2019 to 2022. She has been a member of several national and international working groups such as the Environmental Expert Group of COMNAP (Council of Managers of Antarctic programs). She has been ENEA representative in the Operational Committee of Concordia Station until 2020.