

**GABRIELE SABATOSANTI SCARPELLI
INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR**

Gabriele Sabatosanti Scarpelli from Genova, Italy, was elected to serve a two-year term as a director of Lions Clubs International at the association's 98th International Convention held in Honolulu, Hawaii, June 26 through 30, 2015.

Director Sabatosanti Scarpelli is the president of a certification society.

A member of the Genova Porto Antico Lions Club since 1986, he has held many offices within the association, including club president, zone chairperson, region chairperson, district governor, council chairperson and sight first district coordinator. He was also the president of the Melvin Jones Eye Bank Foundation in Genova.

In recognition of his service to the association, he has received numerous awards, including the Membership Advancement Key Award, the Helping Hands Award, the Leadership Award and two International President's Awards. He is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.

Director Sabatosanti Scarpelli and his wife, Bianca Pavoni, have one daughter, one son and three grandchildren.