History & Timetable

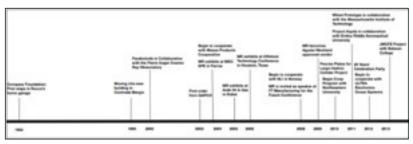
Rocco Lo Stimolo, general manager and founder of Meccanotecnica Riesi s.r.l., was born in Riesi, Sicily during the 1950s. Lo Stimolo provided the base of expertise that MR would be built on and from which it continues to grow. He began by taking classes at the mechanical school managed by the local Waldesian Community and then went on to hone his engineering skills in Höri, Switzerland. Overtime, Lo Stimolo became an expert within the engineering sector.

Founded in 1992, Meccanotecnica Riesi was established in hopes of addressing the technical needs brought on by the petrochemical boom going on at the time, specifically, in regards to replacing and maintaining critical parts for the companies involved. However, after the ENICHEM crisis in Sicily, Lo Stimolo decided to differentiate the production to supply other fields.

In 2000, MR began to diversify with a substantial investment in machinery to meet the needs and complex requirements of precision manufacturing. Currently, we have the latest technology and machines, allowing us to process a wide range of materials to fit our customer's demands.

Created on the very principles of **innovation**, **value**, and **quality**, MR has become extremely competitive in the fields of energy, aerospace, defense, military, research, and offshore production. Our company, which operates both abroad and locally, has been able to set ourself apart through the quality of our products. Continuous attention to detail is something that has been critical to MR since its founding and has continued to remain a crucial aspect of who we are as a company today.

Lately, Lo Stimolo can still be found working at Meccanotecnica alongside his two sons, Angelo and Giovanni and daughter, Ester. His daughter in law, Rosy Trovato, has also become intertwined in the family business and is a vital component of its current success. MR values their qualified staff, who are dedicated to ensuring that the



company continues to expand its international presence and remains a model for Italian machining.