

# THE VETIVER NETWORK

## CERTIFICATION OF TECHNICAL EXCELLENCE

*The Board of The Vetiver Network Certifies*

**Claudio Zarotti**

*The Qualified and Proficient, At the Highest Level (Class 1),  
In the following aspects of Vetiver Systems Application:*

*Soil and Moisture Conservation,  
Bio-Engineering, Environmental Management,  
Alternative Uses, and Research*

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### Vetiver Network: CERTIFICATION OF TECHNICAL EXCELLENCE

Il **Vetiver Network** è un'organizzazione internazionale promossa dalla World Bank e dal US National Research Council, che collabora con oltre 500 Istituti di Ricerca e Università di oltre 100 Paesi per la diffusione delle Tecnologie verdi di consolidamento quale migliore arma per la difesa dei suoli e la lotta all'erosione.

Il **Certificate of Technical Excellence** viene assegnato dal **Vetiver Network** a chi ha dimostrato una significativa esperienza nell'utilizzo delle Tecnologie verdi per la conservazione del suolo, la bio-ingegneria, la gestione ambientale, gli utilizzi alternativi, l'attività di ricerca.

L'Ing. Claudio Zarotti, Presidente e Amministratore Delegato di **PRATI ARMATI Srl**, è responsabile per l'Italia del **Vetiver Network** ed ha ottenuto, unico in Europa, il **Certificate of Technical Excellence 1st Class**. Ad oggi è *il solo al mondo* ad avere ricevuto il massimo riconoscimento in tutte le aree di specializzazione

Dal sito ufficiale del Vetiver Network: [http://www.vetiver.org/TVN\\_tech%20excellence02.htm](http://www.vetiver.org/TVN_tech%20excellence02.htm)

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### CERTIFICATE OF TECHNICAL EXCELLENCE

The purpose of "Certification of Technical Excellence" certificates is twofold:

- (1) Recognition of high quality work and demonstration of a high level of knowledge in specific areas of the Vetiver System technology; and
- (2) Classification of the certified person and the relevant area of excellence in order to make it easier for potential clients to know what area of excellence the certified person has actually achieved and has capability.

The details relating to Certificates of Technical Excellence are in the attached [document](#). You should go to this document if you wish to apply for certification.

**To apply for a Certificate of Excellence you should write to your local Vetiver Network coordinator or directly to TVN indicating which class you are applying for. You should submit evidence to prove your case (written and photographic).**

The following have been certified as Class 1:

- #1 Paul Truong - Australia - Soil and Moisture Conservation, Bio-Engineering, Environmental Management, and Research
- #2 Diti Hengchaovanich - Thailand - Soil and Moisture Conservation, Bio-Engineering and Research
- #3 Narong Chomchalow - Thailand - Soil and Moisture Conservation, Alternative Uses, and Research
- #4 Xia Hanping - China - Soil and Moisture Conservation, Bio-Engineering, Environmental Management, and Research
- #5 Liyu Xu - China - Soil and Moisture Conservation, Bio-Engineering and Environmental Management
- #6 John Greenfield - New Zealand - Soil and Moisture Conservation, Bio-Engineering, Environmental Management, and Research
- #7 Criss Juliard - USA - Soil and Moisture Conservation, Bio-Engineering, Environmental Management, and Research
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- #9 Claudio Zarotti - Italy - Soil and Moisture Conservation, Bio-Engineering, Environmental Management, Alternative Uses and Research

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