

## ENDORSEMENT LETTER FOR PROF. LORENZO IMBESI CUMULUS PRESIDENT 2025-2028

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Dear CUMULUS colleagues,

As the dean of the Academy of Arts & Design, Tsinghua University, an institution with full membership in CUMULUS, it is my great pleasure to write this letter of endorsement for Prof. Lorenzo Imbesi to support him running for the next Cumulus President for 2025–2028.

Prof. Lorenzo Imbesi is a full professor of industrial design at Sapienza University of Rome, where he also serves as the director of Sapienza Design Research SDR since 2017 and a member of the Board of the Department of Planning, Design, Technology of Architecture.

As the current President of CUMULUS, he has been leading CUMULUS since June 2022, providing more and better services to its members and promoting greater achievements for CUMULUS development. Before he became the president of CUMULUS, he had served as a member of the Board of CUMULUS from 2016 to 2022 for two terms.

With Prof. Lorenzo Imbesi's profound academic expertise, rich experience in international organization management, and outstanding leadership, I believe that he will lead CUMULUS to even greater development in the future.

With best regards,

Prof. Sai MA Dean Academy of Arts & Design Tsinghua University