

Press Release

## **Xavier Hürstel joins Sopra Steria's Executive Committee as Chief Transformation & People Management Officer**

**Paris, September 25<sup>th</sup> 2017 – Sopra Steria has announced the appointment of Xavier Hürstel as Chief Transformation & People Management Officer. As such, he joins Sopra Steria's Executive Committee and will assume Group-level management of the Transformation teams as well as the Human Resources and Communications departments. He will take on his new role on November 6<sup>th</sup>.**

"We are especially happy to welcome Xavier Hürstel on board. His proven track record in the field of organisational transformation and his insight into the challenges of digital technology are an undeniable asset to the Group's strategic plan," said Vincent Paris, Chief Executive Officer of Sopra Steria.

Xavier Hürstel, aged 48, has previously served as Chairman and CEO of PMU since 2014. A graduate of the Institut d'Études Politiques de Paris and Paris-Dauphine University, he is also an alumnus of the École Nationale d'Administration. He began his career at the French Economy and Finance Ministry, then served at the Permanent Representation of France to the European Union in Brussels. He next served as an adviser to the French Finance Minister and Budget Minister, then as an adviser in the French Prime Minister's cabinet, before joining PMU in 2008 as a director and Deputy CEO.

### **About Sopra Steria**

Sopra Steria, a European leader in digital transformation, provides one of the most comprehensive portfolios of offerings on the market, spanning consulting, systems integration, industry-specific solutions, infrastructure management and business process services. It provides end-to-end solutions to address the core business needs of large companies and organisations, helping them remain competitive and grow. Combining added value with innovative high-performance services, Sopra Steria excels in guiding its clients through their transformation projects to help them make the most of digital technology. With over 40,000 employees in more than 20 countries, Sopra Steria generated revenue of €3.7 billion in 2016.

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