



Nathalie Tarnaud Laude

Chief Executive Officer

Nathalie Tarnaud Laude has been appointed by ATR's Board Members, Airbus and Leonardo, as Chief Executive Officer, effective from 17 September 2022.

Since joining Airbus back in 2005, Nathalie has held various positions in the Aerospace and Defence Industry. In October 2019, she was appointed Head of the NH90 programme for Airbus Helicopters and NHIndustries' President, with core responsibilities covering the steering of main NH90 programme activities. These include development & certification, industrialisation & production, support & services, procurement & supply chain, commercialisation, offers & marketing and finance, with the target to deliver the NH90 on-time, on-cost and on-quality to customers (serial and retrofit activities) and accelerate transitioning from production to in-service phase with a dedicated initiative in that direction.

Prior to this, she was Head of Treasury at Airbus Helicopters and Head of Operations New Technology Ventures within the Airbus Group CTO organisation, with a wide range of missions encompassing notably the negotiation and follow up of major technology partnerships in the fields of Hybrid-Electric propulsion, Data analytics, AI etc., the strategic, business and financial support to the E-Fan 2.0 (2 seater full electric aircraft) development project and the management of the operations for the Testia entities (Non Destructive Testing subsidiaries of Airbus Group).

From 2005 till 2013 she has been leading M&A transactions for all Airbus Group divisions including notably the business combination attempt with BAE Systems in 2012 (>35bn€ value).

Before this, she was an equity research analyst with Aurel Leven Securities in Paris and a risk manager on equity derivatives for CCF Securities in Paris.

Academically, she holds a MBA from London Business School, a Masters in Finance from Ecole Supérieure de Commerce de Paris and the SFAF diploma. She also attended the INSEAD Transition to General Management course in 2013. She is fluent in French and English.

