## Cari amici,

I have just been informed about the sudden disparition of our friend Raffaelle Sirica, President of the CNAPPC. I am really sorry to know that he is not any more among us. I was totally unaware of his health problems and his loss saddens me deeply.

For many years we have had the opportunity of discussing subjects of common interest concerning Architecture and our Professional organisations. And, by this, a friendly relationship grew among us. He was not only smart and intelligent but also kind and enjoyable, and it was always a pleasure to spend time with him. We will all miss his brilliant conversation and company.

I would like to convey to you all my deepest simpathy and beg you to please transmit my condoleances to his family. The very late notice of his death makes it impossible for me to be among you at the funeral today, and therefore makes it impossible to do it personnaly, which I would have liked.

Sincerely yours,

Jordi Farrando UIA Secretary General