



Anformape and Ucima: memorandum of understanding signed

The agreement opens up new growth and development prospects for Anformape member companies, thanks to access to strategic services in the field of training, finance and internationalisation.

13 November 2024 – Anformape and UCIMA have signed a memorandum of understanding aimed at offering new growth opportunities to Anformape members. Through this agreement, signed today at SIMEL, companies in the plant engineering sector will have access to strategic services provided by UCIMA. These include advanced training programmes, support in financial management, promotional activities and market studies to facilitate internationalisation and expansion of exports as well as technical and legislative advice for the interpretation of and adaptation to directives.

The partnership between Anformape, National Association of Suppliers of Machinery, Accessories and Products for Oenology – a body established within the Italian Confederation of Vines and Wine – Unione Italiana Vini, and Ucima, the Italian Union of Italian Manufacturers of Machinery for Packaging, will allow for the development of a common and integrated vision, to favour the creation of shared standards and the continuous improvement of skills in the sector, for the benefit of all the companies involved.

"We are very satisfied with the signing of this memorandum of understanding" – commented the President of Anformape, Marzio Dal Cin – "This partnership represents a starting point and an important added value for our associates in the plant engineering sector, in particular from the point of view of access to information, also with a view to internationalisation and the development of exports".

The agreement was also welcomed by the President of UCIMA, Riccardo Cavanna, who stressed the importance of the collaboration between the two entities for the growth of Italian industry: "With this agreement, UCIMA is committed to making its skills and services available to Anformape, creating synergies that will promote the innovation and competitiveness of Italian companies on international markets, strengthening the value of the Made in Italy brand" – said the President of UCIMA.

The agreement is in line with the growing need for Italian companies to compete in a global market, where the quality of products and services offered, combined with technological innovation and sustainability, is a crucial element for success. Thanks to this protocol, Anformape associates will therefore be able to benefit from the know-how and resources provided by Ucima, strengthening their competitiveness and accessing a valuable information and support network.