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Giorgio Alleva is the President of Istat, the Italian National Institute of Statistics, as of July 15, 2014.

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From 2003 to 2011 he was a member of the Board of Istat and of the Committee for the planning and coordination of statistical information (COMSTAT). From 2005 to 2013 he was Director of the Department of Methods and Models for Economics, Territory and Finance, Sapienza University of Rome.

He has been the scientific coordinator of projects with the European Commission and has coordinated research activities at the FAO, the World Bank and the OECD.

He is author of publications in the field of statistics and economics, his specific areas of research being: sampling methods, survey design, quality of information in official statistics, use of administrative data for statistical purposes, methods of multivariate statistical analysis, cost-benefit analysis.