

## *Grand jury OYEA 2025*

### **Hélène Auriol Potier**

#### Corporate Board director and Senior Advisor in Digital Technologies at Warburg Pincus

Ms. Hélène Auriol Potier is an independent non-executive director serving on the boards of Safran SA, Accor SA, Infosys Ltd, Randstad NV, and Oddo BHF S.C.A. She chairs Randstad's Technology Committee, ODOO BHF's Compensation Committee, and Accor's ESG Committee. She is also a Senior Advisor on Digital Technologies at Warburg Pincus.

With a career spanning digital technologies and telecommunications, Hélène has held senior executive roles across the United States, Europe, Africa, and Asia.

She began her career in telecommunications in New York in 1986 before joining Nortel Networks in 1990, where she spent 15 years in senior leadership positions, including Vice President, Mobile Division Worldwide, and Vice President, Services & Operations EMEA.

In 2005, she joined Dell Inc. as CEO for Africa, the Mediterranean, and Central & Eastern Europe. She later moved to Microsoft Corporation in 2008, where she spent 10 years in executive leadership roles, including CEO of Microsoft Singapore & Southeast Asia and Managing Director of Artificial Intelligence for Europe.

From November 2018 to December 2020, she was Executive Vice President, International B2B Business at Orange.

Hélène is an occasional speaker on Digital Transformation, Corporate Governance, and ESG.

She previously served as an independent board director at Mimecast Ltd until May 2022, Ipsen SA until May 2018 and Faiveley Transport SA until November 2016.

She holds a Master of Science in Engineering from Telecom Paris and an Executive MBA from INSEAD.