



Press Information

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Lotus Systems opens sales and service subsidiary in the USA

Wet chemistry for the photovoltaic industry

Lotus Systems, a leading manufacturer of wet process, chemical and cleaning systems for optimizing the production of photovoltaic applications, semiconductors and MEMS, forces commitment to the U.S. market. From June 2009 onward, Sales/Project Manager Uwe Böisinger (37) will be directing the new sales and service subsidiary in the USA. Predominantly the west coast states California, Arizona, New Mexico and other parts of the U.S. will be overseen from the Los Angeles metropolitan area. Contact via E-mail:

uwe.boesinger@lotussystems.de From July 14-16, 2009, Lotus Systems, the wet chemistry specialist in photovoltaic production, will be participating for the first time in the Intersolar trade show in San Francisco, Moscone West Convention Center, 2nd Level, booth no. 8445. Further information at www.lotussystems.com

With the new office, Lotus Systems will primarily address manufacturers of crystalline silicon solar cells and manufacturers of thin-film solar modules. In this context, Lotus strongly focuses on providers of fully automated production lines ("turnkey"). Research institutes and universities that are engaged in photovoltaics, as well as companies in the semiconductor / MEMS industry, are also part of the potential customer portfolio.

The new office will act as a sales representative. As part of the Lotus Systems customer service, offers are usually made free of charge. The basic principle is: each offer is individually tailored in concert with the customer or a service concept adapted to his needs. If projects substantiate, they will be directly assigned to an engineer / project manager in Germany who, in individual cases, will provide on-the-spot support.

About Lotus Systems GmbH

Lotus Systems GmbH www.lotussystems.de is a leading manufacturer of wet process, cleaning and chemical systems for photovoltaic, semiconductor and MEMS fabrication (micro-electro-mechanical systems). The 2001-founded company has already delivered over 500 systems to date. The special feature of

Lotus Systems is the unique know-how of its employees who have up to 35 years of experience in wet process technology. This includes experience at STEAG Microtech, among others. Members of the current core team created the world's first automated production line for solar cells in 1989. Lotus Systems is regarded a pioneer that was one of the first to transfer technical expertise in semiconductor manufacturing to photovoltaic applications. Today, the company has 110 employees, worldwide service branches and an annual turnover of 20 million euros. Joachim Mink is the CEO and has been working in the industry since 1987.

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Uwe Bösing directs the new Lotus Systems sales and service subsidiary in the USA.
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