New Board of Directors Announced by OE-A

The newly elected board focuses on building bridges between technologies and markets

Frankfurt, Germany, March 25, 2021 – The members of the OE-A (Organic and Printed Electronics Association) confirmed Stan Farnsworth, NovaCentrix, as the Chair of the Board of Directors for the term 2021 to 2025. Dr. Xiaolin Yan, Guangdong JUHUA Printing and Dr. Alain Schumacher, IEE, are confirmed as Vice-Chair Asia and Vice-Chair Europe, respectively. Dr. Chloé Bois, ICI, is elected as Vice-Chair North America.

Newly elected OE-A Board

Chair
Stan Farnsworth, NovaCentrix (US)

Vice-Chair Asia
Dr. Xiaolin Yan, Guangdong JUHUA Printing (CN)

Vice-Chair Europe
Dr. Alain Schumacher, IEE (LU)

Vice-Chair North America
Dr. Chloé Bois, ICI (CA)
Additional members of the board

- Dr. Georg Bernatz, Merck (DE)
- Dr. Jérôme Gavillet, CEA Liten (FR)
- Prof. Jukka Hast, VTT (FI)
- Prof. Dr. Toshihide Kamata, AIST (JP)
- Thomas Kolbusch, Coatema (DE)
- Dr. Ton van Mol, Holst Centre (NL)
- Prof. Dr. Ulrich Moosheimer, HM University of Applied Sciences (DE)
- Chuck Milligan, Flexenable (UK)
- Luat Trong Nguyen, InnovationLab (DE)
- Dr. Guido van Tartwijk, Heliatek (DE)
- Corinne Versini, GenesInk (FR)

On behalf of the Board Stan Farnsworth thanked the OE-A members for their support and trust, outlining the OE-A’s vision. “We see increasing convergence between the technologies of printed, organic, and large-area electronics, and product direction in applications such as consumer electronics, automotive/mobility, and smart living. At the OE-A we are bringing technologies and markets together, building an inclusive community for members and partners to be successful. Innovation is stronger than ever, and we are excited about the opportunities in front of us”, continues the confirmed OE-A Chair Farnsworth.

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Organic and Printed Electronics Association

The OE-A (Organic and Printed Electronics Association) was founded in December 2004 and is the leading international industry association for organic and printed electronics. The OE-A represents the entire value chain of this emerging industry. Our members are world-class global companies and institutions, ranging from R&D institutes, mechanical engineering companies and material suppliers to producers and end-users.

Well over 200 companies from Europe, Asia, North America, and Africa are working together to promote the establishment of a competitive production infrastructure for organic and printed electronics. The vision of the OE-A is to build a bridge between science, technology and application. The OE-A is a working group within VDMA. More than 3,100 member companies from the engineering industry make VDMA the largest industry association in Europe.

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Organic and printed electronics

Organic and printed electronics stands for a revolutionary new type of electronics: they are thin, lightweight, flexible, robust and produced at low cost. It enables new applications, including single-use devices enabling ubiquitous electronics.

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