



## PRESS RELEASE

### JEC FORUM DACH: HIGHLIGHTING COMPOSITES INNOVATION IN THE REGION

Paris, November 16, 2021 – JEC Forum DACH will open its doors in 7 days, the promise of an exciting two-days gathering around business meetings and conferences. JEC Forum DACH will offer actors of the composites profession in the region the opportunity to exchange and learn about current and future developments of the industry through a rich program of conferences, the JEC Composites Startup Booster, and the AVK Innovation Awards. It also includes pre-arranged Business Meetings between sponsors and attendees as well as sponsors' workshops.

#### CONFERENCES, KEYNOTES, AND MARKET OVERVIEW

JEC Forum DACH will feature cutting-edge live conferences with experts from the industry as well as exclusive keynotes organized by the AVK.

These conferences will also be available online for remote participants: register [here](#).

#### Tuesday November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021

##### 09.15 – 09.30

Opening speech with Eric Pierrejean, JEC Group CEO and Dr Michael Effing, AVK Chairman.

##### 09.30- 11.30

Market and trends of the composites industry: keynote and conferences

##### 14.15- 14.30

Speech by Werner Loscheider, Head of the division that looks after construction, lightweight construction/new materials, and resource efficiency at the Federal Ministry Economic Affairs and Energy (BMWi)

##### 14.30 – 16.30

Assessment of the sustainability of composites and environment protection: keynote and conferences

#### Wednesday November 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021

##### 09.30- 11.30

Composites for e-mobility: keynote and conferences

##### 14.30 – 16.30

CFRTP in automotive industry and New Applications for Thermoplastic Composites: keynote and conferences

#### Full program and speakers list [here](#) FACILITATING BUSINESS THANKS TO THE JEC BUSINESS MEETINGS PROGRAM

In order to help the sponsors to save time and establish connections with real-interest business partners, JEC Group has developed a Business Meetings program: an efficient facilitator to connect precise needs to corresponding offers. These one-to-one meetings will be held on the sponsors' booths during the two days of the event.

Find out who will be present [here](#)

#### FEATURED SPONSORS' WORKSHOPS



JEC Forum DACH will host 9 sponsors' workshops during the two days: CMS SPA, Elantas Europe S.r.l., Kisling AG, Kroenert GmbH & Co KG, Maschinenfabrik Herbert MEYER GmbH, Netzsch Process Intelligence GmbH and Schwarzpunkt (part of Helvoet Group), Saertex GmbH & Co KG and SVT, Trima Spol Sro and Walter Mäder AG will present their know-how and technology during 30 minutes' presentations in front of the attendees as well as in livestreaming.

Find out the full program [here](#).

### FOSTERING ENTREPRENEURSHIP WITH THE JEC COMPOSITES STARTUP BOOSTER

JEC Composites Startup Booster is the leading startup competition in the world of composites. It enables the community to find and assess innovations with a potential impact on their respective industries. The competition will be held at JEC Forum DACH for the first time with the pitches' session on November 23<sup>rd</sup> at 2:15pm followed by the Awards ceremony at 6:15 pm. The finalists are: ANYBRID (Germany), CARBON CLEANUP (Austria), CARBON-DRIVE (Germany), FIBRECOAT (Germany), and TOUCH SENSITY (France).

Discover their projects [here](#).

### CELEBRATING INNOVATION WITH THE AVK INNOVATION AWARDS

This year at JEC Forum DACH, JEC Group and AVK will co-organize the AVK Innovation Award. One of the goals of the AVK Innovation Awards is to give prominence to the innovations and the companies/institutions behind them, thus publicizing their performance throughout the industry. These awards will celebrate innovations in fiber-reinforced plastics (FRP) / composites during the Awards ceremony on **Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup>, at 6:15pm**.

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**Forum Messe Frankfurt**  
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#### About JEC Group

JEC Group is the world's leading company dedicated entirely to developing information and business connections channels and platforms supporting the growth and promotion of the composite materials industry. Publisher of the JEC Composites Magazine - the industry's reference magazine, JEC Group drives global innovation programs and organizes several events in the world, including JEC World (the top and world-leading international exhibition dedicated to composite materials and their applications), which takes place every year in Paris.  
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#### About AVK

AVK, the German Federation of Reinforced Plastics, is the professional German association for fibre-reinforced plastics and composites. It represents the interests of manufacturers and processors both in Germany and at the European level. Its range of services includes specialised workgroups, seminars and conferences as well as the provision of market-specific information ([www.avk-tv.de](http://www.avk-tv.de)). In Germany, AVK is one of the five support organisations of GKV, the German Association of the Plastics Converters. Within Europe, it is a member of the European umbrella association for composites, EuCIA (European Composites Industry Association). AVK is a founding member of Composites Germany.  
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