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Orgalim welcomes Siemens, Phoenix Contact and Amazon

Three new members join Orgalim for Corporates

Today, three new companies join Orgalim, recognising the value for peer industrialists to work together on shaping Europe's manufacturing future.

"Through Orgalim for Corporates, we aim to support Europe's technology manufacturers in leading the twin green and digital transitions", says Malte Lohan, Director General, Orgalim. "I am delighted to welcome Siemens, Phoenix Contact and Amazon to our ranks. Their membership further strengthens Orgalim's capabilities to contribute constructively to the policymaking process, adding the insights and expertise of leading European innovators."

In today's fast-moving disruptive environment, the most resilient and future-proof businesses know they need to step up and lead the agenda to innovate and influence the big strategic issues shaping the industry.

"In today's context of rapid change and high stakes, it is crucial to develop a broad policy consensus on the priority issues at industry level", commented Frank Stührenberg, CEO Phoenix Contact. "We look forward to building on Orgalim's wide network of membership and helping to unlock a greener and more prosperous future for Europe".

"We are delighted to join Orgalim" said Christiane Mann, Vice President Industry Affairs for Siemens Smart Infrastructure. "Industry and infrastructure remain Europe's backbone for sustainable, inclusive growth and secure employment, and we look forward to jointly working with the European policy makers in driving the energy transition. A coordinated and determined approach is necessary for Europe to remain an attractive business location, deploying innovative manufacturing technologies. We look forward to working with Orgalim to shape Europe's future in a world where digitalisation and globalisation drive sustainability. Siemens is committed to this goal and will actively contribute toward achieving it."

Orgalim represents Europe's technology industries, comprised of 770,000 innovative companies spanning the mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, electronics, ICT and metal technology branches. Together they represent the EU's largest manufacturing sector, generating annual turnover of over €2,076 billion, manufacturing one-third of all European exports and providing 11.33 million direct jobs. Orgalim is registered under the European Union Transparency Register – ID number: 20210641335-88..

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The three companies also join Orgalim's Executive Forum for Advanced Manufacturing. The Executive Forum brings together both providers and users of advanced manufacturing technologies to help shape the industrial policy agenda for Europe. "Advanced manufacturing technologies are critical to unlocking the digital and green transition across all industrial ecosystems, and cementing Europe's future industrial base", commented Mr Lohan. "These three leading companies will reinforce Orgalim's ability to impact the future of Europe and its manufacturing industry".

Orgalim for Corporates programme includes a number of exclusive features and services, notably:

- Invitation to join the Executive Forum for Advanced Manufacturing – a limited membership forum for high-level executives across manufacturing sectors, serving as an advisory forum to Orgalim's Board of Directors.
- Policy and advocacy services – including policy monitoring and targeted regulatory intelligence services, and the opportunity to participate directly in Orgalim's policy and advocacy work.
- Networking opportunities – providing business networking opportunities at national and international scale and across a variety of industry sectors.

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About Orgalim

Orgalim represents Europe's technology industries, comprised of 770,000 companies that innovate at the crossroads of digital and physical technology. Our industries develop and manufacture the products, systems and services that enable a prosperous and sustainable future.

Ranging from large globally active corporations to regionally anchored small and medium-sized enterprises, the companies we represent directly employ 11.33 million people across Europe and generate an annual turnover of €2,076 billion.

Orgalim is the foremost voice of Europe's technology industries at the EU level, working with policymakers to strengthen their sectors' growth and global leadership, maximise their contribution to Europe's economy and society and foster a new relationship of trust between businesses and citizens. We are shaping a future that's good.

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