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## Press Release

### **LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA 2017: exhibitor and visitor statements**

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#### **Exhibitors:**

##### **John Ambrose, President and CEO, Coherent, Inc.:**

“We’ve come to the show since the show first began. In terms of this year’s show, we see how much it has grown, how many new exhibitors there are, and how many Chinese advanced technologies in laser and optoelectronics are present. It is unique in enabling us to meet customers with a wide range of applications. In term of trade shows, we want to engage with customers, learn about new trends and new technologies, for engaging with customers, and thanks to its unique situation, we can meet customers with wide range of applications. There are numbers of new products exhibited there, most of them dealing with industry solutions and electronic manufacturing. We’ve developed many technologies for automotive manufacturing, which you can’t manufacture with other techniques and which we consider very important for the Internet and electrical mobility.”

##### **Jiake Deng, Vice President, Huagong Tech Company Limited; General Manager, Senior Engineer (Professor), Wuhan HGLaser Engineering Co., Ltd.:**

“HG Laser has participated in every LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA. This year, the exhibition is very popular with a lot of professional visitors, which reflects the ubiquity of laser applications. For us, LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is an opportunity to exhibit our strength. It is also a great platform for us to communicate and learn from our peers.”

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**Dr.-Ing. Thomas Harrer, Head of Laser Technology Division, TRUMPF (China) Co., Ltd.:**

“We have attended LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA for the twelfth time and every year since the exhibition has existed. I have a very good impression of the exhibition. It has very good customers discussing new opportunities, so I like the exhibition very much. Our booth is very crowded. Our press conference and world premiere of our new product series attracted a lot of customers and media. We have already met our target customers from automotive industry, tier-one suppliers and also from the consumer electronic industry. Some of them even arranged the appointment to visit our plant. The exhibition is a good platform for us to meet old and new customers as well as promote our new products.”

**Xianghu Huang, Vice President, Han’s Laser Technology Industry Group Co., Ltd.:**

“LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is the biggest trade show for the electronics, photonics and laser industry in Asia. Han’s has exhibited at LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA for 12 consecutive years. Every year, we have presented our latest products to the customers through LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA. We believe that much of the success of Han’s in the past years can be attributed to LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA, so we are very grateful for the exhibition.”

**Victor X. Liu, CEO & President, Focuslight Technologies Inc.:**

“Focuslight was founded 10 years ago, and we have continued to exhibit at LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA since its earliest days. The exhibition has made steady growth, in both the size and products exhibited. Focuslight is exhibiting mainly in Smart Manufacturing. We hope that, through LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA, we can talk to the scientific researchers and make contact with suppliers. I am satisfied with the results at the exhibition and I hope that the academic events can help the exhibition develop further. I also hope the exhibition will grow stronger in the future.”

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**Wei Lu, District Manager, Foshan Hongshi Laser Technology Co., Ltd.:**

“LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is an important event for the entire laser cutting industry. This is our second exhibition, and we have brought our latest machines. Our main aim is to promote our brand through this platform with more professional users.”

**Wencai Pan, Sales Support Engineer, KUKA Industries:**

“LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is the most influential laser exhibition in Asia. We have exhibited here for three years. The exhibition has gathered all the most important figures in the industry, from the upstream service suppliers and component manufacturers to the downstream users. The visitor flow is also great. You can tell from the long queue at the entrance that this exhibition is very successful. We have had many customers at our booth.”

**Yukihiro Sakata, Director General Manager, Mitutoyo Measuring Instruments (Shanghai) Co., Ltd.:**

“This is our first exhibition at LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA. The visitor numbers and the overall business environment are both very impressive. LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is very big. We can find laser users from the electronics, electronic devices, and nano and micro components. It is also an opportunity to find out about the latest market information as well as needs in the industry.”

**Xiaotao Sun, Sales Director, Hexagon Metrology Vision Great China:**

“Hexagon is exhibiting at LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA for the fourth time. The exhibition is successful and very professional. There are many real buyers and we had a lot of visitors at our booth. The customers are from a wide range of fields in the electronics industry, which is just what we needed. LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is a great platform for the exhibition of new products and technology. It is also a good place to find out about customer needs.”

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**Jason Tian, New Application Sales Manager, ABB (China) Ltd.:**

“We are taking part in LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA for the third time. The exhibition is a gathering of the most advanced laser manufacturers and users. LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is also a very good platform to exhibit our latest products and technologies. During the exhibition, we have been very busy receiving customers and partners from China, India, Korea, Japan and other Asian countries and regions. They include our end users and partners, such as laser equipment manufacturers. We made in-depth discussions during the exhibition.”

**Fenglu Wang, Project Manager, Visual Product Department, Delta Greentech (China) CO., Ltd.:**

“This is Delta’s first exhibition at LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA and the result is very impressive. We have brought four new products here, because we hope to promote them through this platform. We also want to collect more information in regard to our customers and developments in the industry. Both the number and quality of visitors at our booth are satisfactory. We will come again next year and hope the exhibition will become even better in the future and offer more support for development of the industry.”

**Wei Wang, Vice General Manager, Wuhan Raycus Fiber Laser Technologies Co., Ltd.:**

“We have participated in every LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA, the biggest and most heavily attended laser exhibition in China. LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is also very important to the industry, because it is a place for communication with old friends and for making new contacts. Through the platform, we can also promote our new products and applications to customers in the industry. All these are very helpful for the fast growth of the laser and the manufacturing industry in China.”

**Rangda Wu, General Manager, Penta Laser (Wenzhou) Co., Ltd.:**

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“Penta has exhibited at LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA since its first opening. The exhibition is making very strong progress. On the first day, we received two orders and we expect the overall turnover at the exhibition to exceed CNY 10 million. Many of our old customers have brought new friends to our booth and they have given favorable comments. The visitor traffic has grown in comparison to last year. Our exhibition at LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is an important boost to our sales in the first quarter. It also provides opportunities to promote our brand image and exchange with our peers from all over the world.”

**Lingyun Yuan, Vice General Manager, SK-Electronics Co., Ltd. (Nikon Optics Materials Authorized Dealer):**

“We have exhibited at LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA for three consecutive years. The exhibition is very good. There are a lot of professional visitors from universities and R&D departments. Some are also optical measurement equipment manufacturers. LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is also a great opportunity for us to find out about the trends in the industry. Through the information we collect at the exhibition, Nikon can explore the Chinese market through constant research and marketing.”

**Joss Zou, China Region Director, FLIR Systems, Inc.:**

“We have attended Vision China for three years. The exhibition is definitely growing up. It is the biggest vision China show that we have ever attended in China. I can see more people and more customers coming. There are more exhibitors participating in the show, attracting a lot of traffic from local and overseas customers. Through the show, we can meet quality customers, learn from our peers of the same industry, exchange information, and sell more products in the Chinese market.”

**VIP Speakers:**

**Dr. Bo GU, Founder/President of BOS Photonics, Vice Director of Laser Processing Professional Committee of China Optical Society:**

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“LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA has grown to be the biggest laser event in Asia. We are grateful to this show for its contribution to the Chinese laser industry. As a witness of the past 12 successful years of LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA, I am very proud. The seven conferences offer very important insight into the industry and reflect its latest developments. The Laser Market Summit gathered all the industry leaders in the world, which guarantee the quality of the exhibition. The Annual Report of China Laser Industry is also released at LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA. We hope LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA can seize the opportunity offered by the transformation of the Chinese laser industry and increase its investment in the industry, especially in smart manufacturing technology such as photonics manufacturing and digitalization, so as to promote the China 2015 program. I am confident in the future of LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA, and I wish the exhibition every success!”

**Youliang Wang, Director, Laser Processing Committee of the Chinese Optical Society Visiting Professor, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Member of Council, Chinese Optical Society:**

“This year’s LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is very successful! The number and quality of both exhibitors and visitors are very high. Against the economic slowdown, the vitality of LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA shows clearly the strong demand in the Chinese market. I hope the exhibition economy will continue to boom. The participants at LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA are very professional. And the high quality of exhibition is fully reflected by the conference programs and visitors. The seven supporting programs are well attended, showing a great need for high technology in the industry. We will continue to use LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA as the platform to accelerate our industry transformation and development. The ocean is made great by the hundred rivers that flow into it. I am confident in the future of LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA.”

**Visitor :**

**Wu TAO, Assistant Researcher, GM China Automobile Research Institute:**

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“I am a researcher at the GM China Automobile Research Institute. My research mainly concerns laser welding, and I have participated in LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA for many years. Every time I would find something new. This show gathers all the leading players in the industry, so it is very helpful for us to keep up with the progress in the industry. This year I want to find out more about the latest technology and trends in lasers and laser heads. For example, I have found that some products are useful for high-reflective materials. They can provide new ideas for future development.”

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**LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA**

LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA is the leading regional trade fair for laser and photonics in Asia. It takes place in Shanghai each March and is collocated with electronica China & productronica China. In 2017 the trade fair recorded 53,723 visitors and 929 exhibitors. The next LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA will take place from March 14 to 16, 2018. [www.world-of-photonics-china.com](http://www.world-of-photonics-china.com)

**The LASER World of PHOTONICS global network**

LASER World of PHOTONICS has developed an international trade fair network. LASER World of PHOTONICS in Munich is the world's leading trade fair of the laser and photonics industry. World of Photonics Congress is Europe's largest photonics congress. LASER World of PHOTONICS CHINA and LASER World of PHOTONICS INDIA are leading regional trade fairs for laser and optical technologies, and are staged annually in China (Shanghai) and India (alternating between Bangalore and New Delhi). With a total of 2,295 exhibitors and more than 92,000 visitors in Munich, China and India, Messe München is the world's leading trade fair organizer for lasers and photonics.

**Messe München**

Messe München is one of the world's leading trade-show companies. It organizes some 40 trade shows for capital and consumer goods and key high-tech industries in Munich and abroad. Each year more than 30,000 exhibitors and some two million visitors take part in events held at the Messe München trade-fair center, the ICM – Internationales Congress Center München and the MOC Veranstaltungszentrum München. In addition, Messe München organizes trade shows in China, India, Turkey, South Africa and Russia. Messe München has a global business presence with affiliates in Europe, Asia and Africa and more than 60 foreign representatives serving more than 100 countries.