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## Press Release

# 3D Manufacturing Summit at LASER World of PHOTONICS

## INDIA in Bengaluru

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- Launching new conference '3D Manufacturing Summit'
- Buyer Seller Forum continues to offer a matchmaking platform
- Special areas: Additive Manufacturing Pavilion and Machine Vision Pavilion

As the only dedicated trade platform for the laser and photonics industry, LASER World of PHOTONICS INDIA is scheduled to feature an array of technologies relevant for application industries like manufacturing, engineering, automotive, railways, construction, agriculture (farm equipment), energy (solar), gems and jewellery, medicine and many others.

Taking place from September 26-28, 2018 at the Bangalore International Exhibition Centre in Bengaluru, the trade fair is accompanied by compelling supporting programs to further enhance the visitor experience and add value to their visit.

### 3D Manufacturing Summit

Constant changes and transformations in technology are undoubtedly disrupting the manufacturing industry and also providing unprecedented opportunities to grow and develop manufacturing processes. The **3D Manufacturing Summit** taking place on September 26 will help to prepare companies and teams for 3D manufacturing and prepare their businesses for the future technological trends. The summit also offers an exclusive access to industry leaders and experts who are implementing additive manufacturing in their business operations.

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### **Buyer-Seller Forum**

Another interesting feature and value add for attendees is the **Buyer Seller Forum** which involves focused business discussions between the buyers and sellers of the technology. The one-to-one meetings facilitate direct contact between exhibitors and buyers from domestic and international markets through prescheduled meetings. This tailored match-making platform allows exhibitors to connect with possible business partners filtered by branch, position or companies. In return, it allows visitors to search for specific applications or brands. In this edition, more than 500 meetings are expected to take place during the show days.

### **Special Areas**

Special exhibition areas inspire the attendees with regard to the latest developments and applications in laser technology. Additive manufacturing is proving to be great enabling technology for various industries with major impact seen in automotive, aerospace, electronics and medical industries. Small numbers as well as complex components from various materials can thus be manufactured cost-effectively and in less time. The **2<sup>nd</sup> Additive Manufacturing Insight Pavilion** will feature companies showcasing new innovations and technologies alongside LASER World of PHOTONICS INDIA.

Machine Vision helps to optimize processes, improve quality and makes production more efficient. Industrial image processing is a key technology and one of the main focus topics of LASER World of PHOTONICS INDIA. This exhibition sector features the **4<sup>th</sup> Machine Vision Pavilion** where a comprehensive range of all products and applications is shown exactly where your target group can be found: in the immediate vicinity of the other exhibition sectors Optics, Test and measurement and Laser systems for production engineering.

This year, we are bringing the 3D Manufacturing Summit along with other programs to create a valuable experience for our attendees. We are confident that our attendees will witness a balanced mix of latest technologies and knowledge-rich supporting programs.” said Bhupinder Singh, CEO, Messe Muenchen India, summing up the event.

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**To know more about LASER World of PHOTONICS INDIA:**

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**LASER World of PHOTONICS INDIA**

LASER World of PHOTONICS INDIA is the only regional trade fair for laser and optical technologies in India. It has been held every year since 2012 in different places in India. In 2017 the trade fair attracted 6,404 visitors, 160 exhibitors and 10 represented companies. The next LASER World of PHOTONICS INDIA will take place from September 26 to 28, 2018 at the Bangalore International Exhibition Center (BIEC), Bengaluru. [www.world-of-photonics-india.com](http://www.world-of-photonics-india.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 for the laser and photonics industry. The 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 (with alternating locations). Messe München is the world's leading trade fair organizer for lasers and photonics.

**About Messe München**

Messe München is one of the leading exhibition organizers worldwide with more than 50 of its own trade shows for capital goods, consumer goods and new technologies. Every year, a total of over 50,000 exhibitors and around three million visitors take part in more than 200 events at the exhibition center in Munich, at the ICM – Internationales Congress Center München and the MOC Veranstaltungszentrum München as well as abroad. Together with its subsidiary companies, Messe München organizes trade shows in China, India, Brazil, Russia, Turkey, South Africa, Nigeria, Vietnam and Iran. With a network of associated companies in Europe, Asia, Africa and South America as well as around 70 representations abroad for over 100 countries, Messe München has a global presence