Press Release



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The end of one era – and the beginning of another. With the final formal transfer of the role of CEO of our Chinese subsidiary to Dr. Philipp Schön, the change of leadership of the RAYLASE Group has now been successfully completed.

As of August 2018, Dr. Philipp Schön is stepping into the additional role as CEO of our Chinese subsidiary, RAYLASE Laser Technology Co. Ltd,. in Shenzhen, China. This marks the successful completion of the final formal transfer of responsibility for the subsidiary from the original founder and CEO Peter von Jan to Dr. Philipp Schön.

As CEO of the RAYLASE Group, Dr. Philipp Schön has responsibility for the headquarters of RAYLASE GmbH in Munich, as well as the two subsidiaries, RAYLASE Laser Technology Co. Ltd, China and RAYLASE Laser Technology Inc., USA.

Flora Dai, General Manager at RAYLASE Laser Technology Co. Ltd, China, heads up operations at the Chinese subsidiary. Flora has been with the company for more than seven years. During this time, she has played an important part in the success of our subsidiary in China and made a huge contribution to establishing the RAYLASE brand there. RAYLASE Laser Technology Co. Ltd, China manufactures and sells Chinese products exclusively for the Asian region.

A newly established Board of Directors consisting of Dr. Philipp Schön (CEO of the RAYLASE Group and Chair of the Board of Directors), Flora Dai (General Manager of RAYLASE China) and Berthold Dambacher (CTO of RAYLASE Germany) will ensure the strategic alignment of the Chinese subsidiary and Group headquarters in Germany.

We would like to thank Peter von Jan for his tireless efforts and for the contribution he has made to the success of RAYLASE.

About RAYLASE

RAYLASE GmbH, founded in 1999 and ISO-certified since 2006, offers high-precision components, control cards and software for the fast deflection and modulation of laser beams. With over 100 employees worldwide, RAYLASE stands for innovative technology, the highest quality standards and customer proximity as a value we put into practice every day.

Our components comprise top-quality optical elements, galvanometer scanners and control electronics with an intuitive software interface. They form the cornerstone of industrial laser systems for scanning printed codes, marking textiles and surfaces, welding metal plates and plastics, and cutting and drilling semiconductor wafers and materials such as metal, plastic or glass. Our current focus markets are additive manufacturing, welding in different industries and various applications such as marking, cutting and perforating, for example, in the packaging industry.

Our customers are companies from a wide range of industries. The electronics, automotive, photovoltaic, textile and packaging industries are using lasers to replace traditional production processes or to implement entirely new ones. In addition, increasing numbers of new industries are discovering the innovative potential of this technology every day. That makes RAYLASE a player in an important global growth market.

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