

## Executive Board changes at Endress+Hauser

Dr Gerhard Jost retires, Michael Zieseimer moves to the Supervisory Board –  
Dr Manfred Jagiella and Dr Andreas Mayr join the management panel

**The Endress+Hauser Group is making personnel changes at the top. Dr Gerhard Jost, a member of the Executive Board, retired at the end of 2015. Dr Manfred Jagiella has joined the Group's top management panel. On 1 June 2016, Michael Zieseimer will move to the company's Supervisory Board. At the same time Dr Andreas Mayr will take over responsibility on the Executive Board.**

Gerhard Jost was appointed managing director of flow measurement engineering specialist Endress+Hauser Flowtec based in Reinach, Switzerland in 2000. He joined the Executive Board in 2009 where he was responsible for production and logistics; since 2014 he focused on these tasks as a member of the Group management. After 15 years of valuable service, Gerhard Jost retired on 31 December 2015. "We owe Mr Jost a great deal of thanks for his achievements and his commitment," emphasized Klaus Endress, President of the Supervisory Board.

Michael Zieseimer joined Endress+Hauser in 1981. He became managing director of the production center for level and pressure measurement engineering in Maulburg, Germany in 1992. He then took over management of the German sales center in Weil am Rhein in 1996. Since 1999 he has been active in the Group management and joined the Executive Board in 2002. Michael Zieseimer, who has served as Chief Operating Officer and the CEO's deputy since 2008, will end his membership of the Executive Board on 31 May 2016. "We are pleased that Mr Zieseimer will bring his knowledge and experience to our Supervisory Board in future," said Klaus Endress. On 1 June 2016, Michael Zieseimer will replace Dr Klaus Eisele who is leaving the board after 14 years.

### **Reinforcement from the company's own ranks**

Manfred Jagiella joined the Executive Board on 1 January 2016. He will remain managing director of liquid analysis specialist Endress+Hauser Conducta, based in Gerlingen, Germany. On 1 June 2016 Andreas Mayr will also join the Executive Board. He will continue to oversee the production center for level and pressure measurement engineering in Maulburg. "We can be proud that we found two excellent successors within our own ranks," emphasized Klaus Endress.

Endress+Hauser is using these personnel changes as an opportunity to bundle activities and reallocate responsibilities within the Executive Board. CEO Matthias Altendorf will focus on production, logistics and corporate strategy. Manfred Jagiella is responsible for Endress+Hauser's analytical business while Andreas Mayr will oversee the Group's marketing, technology and communications activities. In addition, Nikolaus Krüger, a member of the Executive Board since 2008, will take over responsibility for all of the Group's sales activities.

The remaining members of the Executive Board – Roland Kienzler (human resources), Pieter de Koning (IT), Dr Luc Schultheiss (finance and controlling) and Dr Heiner Zehntner (legal) – will be unaffected by these changes and will continue to oversee their respective areas of responsibility.



**Dr Manfred Jagiella**



**Dr Gerhard Jost**



**Dr Andreas Mayr**



**Michael Zieseimer**

## **The Endress+Hauser Group**

Endress+Hauser is a global leader in measurement instrumentation, services and solutions for industrial process engineering. The Group employs 13,000 personnel across the globe, generating net sales of 2.0 billion euros in 2014.

## **Structure**

With dedicated sales centers and a strong network of partners, Endress+Hauser guarantees competent worldwide support. Our production centers in 12 countries meet customers' needs and requirements quickly and effectively. The Group is managed and coordinated by a holding company in Reinach, Switzerland. As a successful family-owned business, Endress+Hauser is set for continued independence and self-reliance.

## **Products**

Endress+Hauser provides sensors, instruments, systems and services for level, flow, pressure and temperature measurement as well as analytics and data acquisition. The company supports customers with automation engineering, logistics and IT services and solutions. Our products set standards in quality and technology.

## **Industries**

We work closely with the chemical, petrochemical, food & beverage, oil & gas, water & wastewater, power & energy, life science, primaries & metal, renewable energies, pulp & paper and shipbuilding industries. Endress+Hauser supports its customers in optimizing their processes in terms of reliability, safety, economic efficiency and environmental impact.

## **History**

Founded in 1953 by Georg H Endress and Ludwig Hauser, Endress+Hauser has been solely owned by the Endress family since 1975. The Group has developed from a specialist in level measurement to a provider of complete solutions for industrial measuring technology and automation, with constant expansion into new territories and markets.

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