

Programme

The new Age of Exploration all Hands on Deck!

February 18 and 19, 2025 Dresden Maritim Hotel & International Congress Center





Verband der Automobilindustrie

The new Age of Exploration—all Hands on Deck!

Our world has become more volatile and the tone in politics, business and trade is becoming more challenging. Apparent certainties such as ever-increasing globalization or an end to armed conflicts can no longer be taken for granted.

At the same time, new technologies such as modern battery technology, high-performance semiconductors and artificial intelligence are changing the economy and society. The question of what our world will look like in ten years is much more difficult to answer today than it was in the past.

What will be Germany's and Europe's position in this new world? Have we mastered the new technologies sufficiently? Are we well positioned with our legal and economic frameworks? Are our supply chains robust and secure? What do we have to do together in order to remain relevant in this new world.

These questions will be addressed under the motto "The new Age of Exploration – all Hands on Deck!" at the Forum Automotive Logistics 2025. Decision-makers and experts from the automotive, logistics, semiconductor, information technology, research and science sectors will come together in Dresden to discuss approaches and methods with which the German automotive industry can continue its unique success story.

You can look forward to two exciting and eventful days with stimulating plenary presentations and expert talks. Take the opportunity to find out about the latest products and services at the accompanying exhibition and experience the technologies of the future at first hand during the factory tours.

Visit us on February 18 and 19 at the Maritim Hotel & International Congress Center Dresden. We look forward to seeing you.



Hildegard Müller President, German Association of the Automotive Industry (VDA), Berlin



Kai Althoff Chairman of the executive board, German Logistics Association (BVL), Bremen

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Das erwartet Sie auf dem Forum Automobillogistik 2025

In the keynote speeches, panel discussions and lecture sequences, decision-makers and experts will examine how the requirements for logistics in the new mobility can be met. Some of the speakers include Elke Pusskeiler (Mercedes-Benz), Maximilian Krane (btv Technologies), Niels Larsen (DSV), Prof. Dr. Julia Arlinghaus (Fraunhofer Institute), Dr. Ulrich Keunecke (KPMG), Christian Will (Porsche), and Gunther Wössner (DAP Dräxlmaier).



The after-work hangout and the evening event are great opportunities to celebrate and network. The highlight will be the speech of VDA President Hildegard Müller and the presentation of the VDA Logistics Award. In addition, the accompanying trade exhibition offers even more networking opportunities and an overview of the market for logistics solutions and services for the automotive industry. Interesting content-to-go can be found at the exhibition's Open Stage.



Participants can find out what is going on behind the scenes at GlobalFoundries Dresden, one of the leading semiconductor manufacturers, on an exclusive guided tour. The manufacturing plant in Dresden specialises in the production of state-of-the-art silicon wafers, which are used in a wide range of electronic devices such as smartphones, computers, automobiles and other electronic applications. GlobalFoundries Dresden offers an introduction to the world of the semiconductor industry as well as an exclusive insight into the material analysis laboratory, the development centre and the sub-fab.



Experience experts from the industry



Kai Althoff Chairman of the executive board, German Logistics Association (BVL)



Jon Becker Sales Manager, Cofinity-X



Boris Felgendreher Host BVL-Podcast



Prof. Dr. Julia Arlinghaus Director Fraunhofer Institute for Factory Operation and Automation IFF



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Jenny Hertzfeldt Supply Chain Digitalization Specialist, German Association of the Automotive Industry (VDA)



Carsten Klude Chief Economist and Head of Private Asset Management, M.M.Warburg Bank



Michael Kretschmer Prime Minister of the Free State of Saxony



Sebastian Huemmer Regional Manager Enterprise Sales, Alpega TMS



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Dr. Ulrich Keunecke Partner, Head of Sector Legal FS Insurance KMPG Law Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft mbH



Stefan König Head of SCM Aftermarket, ZF Friedrichshafen AG



Dr. Christoph Kilger CEO + Chief Revenue Officer, Co-Founder, aioneers Technologies GmbH



Maximilian Krane

CEO, btv technologies GmbH

(PLATIN-PARTNER)



HIGHLIGHTS



Peter Kunze Head of AS Legislation & Environment, Quality Group After Sales, Volkswagen AG



Swapnil Shivaji Nimbalkar Director Supply Chain Advisory, PricewaterhouseCoopers GmbH



Alois Labermeyer

Elke Pusskeiler Vice President Supply Chain Management, Mercedes-Benz AG



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VP Lean Research & Digital De-

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Dr. Johan Rauer Partner, McKinsey & Company

Angela Schulte

Robert Bosch GmbH



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Jörg Walther ICT & Security Manager, Odette International Ltd



Matthias Schenk Head of Sales, ExB



Marcus Schick Senior Vice President Logistics, Robert Bosch GmbH



Prof. Dr. Martin Schwemmer Professor of International Transportation Management and Logistics. Heilbronn University of Applied Sciences



Helen Tacke CEO & Co-Founder, Cozero



Stefan Weber Director Global Logistics Innovation, Robert Bosch GmbH Mobility Aftermarket



Franz Steinkellner COO, s2data



Stefan Uhlig Director, Silicon Saxony e.V.



Christian Will Vice President Production Development, Dr. Ing. h.c. F. Porsche AG



Dr.-Ing. Wolfgang Vogl

Co-Founder and Managing

Director, BOX ID Systems GmbH

Sven Wittenbröker Project Lead AutoLog, Volkswagen Konzernlogistik GmbH & Co. OH



Claus Stepputat

Director OES-Sales, Hella GmbH

& Co. KGaA

Uwe Volmer Production Specialist, German Association of the Automotive Industry (VDA)



Gunther Wössner Site Manager/ Head of Battery Systems Product Area, DAP Dräxlmaier Automotivprodukte





from 09:00 | Admission

WELCOME & COURSE OF THE DAY

Dr.-Ing. Marcus Bollig

Kai Althoff

10:05-11:00 | Main Stage

OPENING WORDS

Michael Kretschmer

Prime Minister of the Free State of Saxony

CHALLENGES FOR THE AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY IN A CHANGING GEOPOLITICAL ENVIRONMENT

Elke Pusskeiler

VVice President Supply Chain Management, Mercedes-Benz AG

BREAKING TRADITIONAL CHAINS: COMPONENT LOGISTICS AS A SERVICE

Maximilian Krane CEO, btv technologies GmbH (PLATIN-PARTNER)



11:00-11:30

Coffee break and visit of the trade exhibition with content-to-go

Content-to-go

11:00-11:15 | OPEN STAGE

UNLOCKING THE POTENTIAL OF A SMARTER SUPPLY CHAIN IN AUTOMOTIVE

Alper Celik



Senior Director, Manufacturing & Automotive Industry Strategy EMEA, Oracle

11:15-11:30 | OPEN STAGE

SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT REINVENTED

Christian Haag



MODERATION

Dr.-Ing. Marcus Bollig Managing Director, German Association of the Automotive Industry (VDA)

Kai Althoff Chairman of the executive board, German Logistics Association (BVL)



11:30 - 12:30 | Main Stage

GERMANY WITHIN THE COMPETITION OF INNOVA-TIONS-HOW CAN FUTURE TECHNOLOGIES BE QUICKLY **INTEGRATED INTO PRACTICE?**

Prof. Dr. Julia Arlinghaus Director Fraunhofer Institute for Factory **Operation and Automation IFF**

Dr. Ulrich Keunecke

Partner, Head of Sector Legal FS Insurance KMPG Law Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft mbH

PANEL DISCUSSION

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Christian Will Vice President Production Development, Dr. Ing. h.c. F. Porsche AG





12:30-13:45

Lunch break and visit of the trade exhibition with content-to-go

Content-to-go

12:45-13:00 | OPEN STAGE

3 BENEFITS OF JOINING CATENA-X

Jon Becker







13:45-15:15 | Main Stage

Semiconductors as a foundation

MODERATION

Uwe Volmer

Production Specialist, German Association of the Automotive Industry (VDA)

CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE SEMICON-DUCTOR WORLD

Dr. Johan Rauer

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KEYNOTE

Alexander Rensink Senior Account Director, TSMC Europe B.V.

Partner, McKinsey & Company

SAXON MICROSHIP WORLD-WHY SAXONY?

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Stefan Uhlig Director, Silicon Saxony e.V.

Silicon Saxony e.V.

BEYOND THE SPEED BUMPS: BUILDING AGILE AND FUTURE-READY SUPPLY CHAINS

Niels Larsen

Global Head, Technology and Healthcare, DSV Global Transport and Logistic (GOLD-PARTNER)



PANEL DISCUSSION



13:45–15:15 | Parallel Stage We've got this wrapped up!

MODERATION

Swapnil Shivaji Nimbalkar

Director Supply Chain Advisory, PricewaterhouseCoopers GmbH

OVERVIEW OF PACKAGING REGULATIONS

Katalin Elizondo

Chairwoman of VDA Working Group Packaging Standardization, Robert Bosch GmbH

VDA 4560-PACKAGING MATERIALS AND CONCEPTS

Carolin Rauch Chairwoman of VDA Project Group Sustainability Packaging, AUDI AG

SUSTAINABLY PACKAGED: INNOVATIV AP-PROACHES OF A MEDIUM SIZED COMPANY IN THE AGE OF NEW LAWS

Markus Feurer CEO, FEURER Group GmbH

PANEL DISCUSSION

Katalin Elizondo Chairwoman of VDA Working Group Packaging Standardization, Robert Bosch GmbH Carolin Rauch Chairwoman of VDA Project Group Sustainability Packaging, AUDI AG Markus Feurer CEO, FEURER Group GmbH

15:15-16:00

Coffee break and visit of the trade exhibition with content-to-go

Content-to-go

15:15-15:30 | OPEN STAGE

AUTOMATED DRIVING ON AUTOMOTIVE TER-MINALS—THE FUTURE OF VEHICLE LOGISTICS AND BEYOND?

Sven Wittenbröker Project Lead AutoLog, Volkswagen Konzernlogistik GmbH & Co. OH

15:30-15:45 I OPEN STAGE

PROCESS LOGISTICS DOCUMENTS WITH AI-AUTOMATED, FAST, EFFICIENT

Matthias Schenk Head of Sales, ExB











16:00 - 17:00 | Main Stage

Transformation to the Digital Aftermarket

MODERATION

Claus Stepputat Director OES-Sales, Hella GmbH & Co. KGaA



GENERATE ADDED VALUE BY DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION IN THE AUTOMOTIVE AFTERMARKET

Ralph-Michael Schmidt Partner, 4flow consulting



DIRECT TRANSFORMATION INTO NEXT GENERATION ERP S/4HANA

Osman Basha Head of Parts 4.0 Business Solution Consulting, Volkswagen AG

S/4-UPGRADE AS FOUNDATION FOR **BUSINESS TRANSFORMATION**

Martin Hummel Program Manager SAP S/4 Transformation, Hella GmbH & Co. KGaA

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16:00-17:00 | Parallel Stage

From Less Paper to Paperless End to End

MODERATION

Jörg Walther ICT & Security Manager, Odette International Ltd.



Michael Spaeth VP Lean Research & Digital Development, Elsen International SARL & Co. KG

Angela Schulte Process Manager Shipping, Robert Bosch GmbH

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Maria Straus Worldwide-Transportation, Mercedes-Benz AG

Jenny Hertzfeldt Supply Chain Digitalization Specialist, German Association of the Automotive Industry (VDA)

17:00-18:00

After-Work Hangout















from 18:00 | Evening Event

Speech of VDA's President Hildegard Müller, Presentation of the VDA Logistics Award

The highlight of the evening event will be the presentation of the VDA Logistics Award. Which outstanding concept will be honored with the VDA Logistics Award this year? Be curious and look forward to seeing the laureates.



from 19:00 | Networking Night



Presentation of the VDA Logistics Award 2025 Members of the Jury







Peer Stauske MAN Truck & Bus SE



Dr. Michael Nikolaides BMW Group

Dr. Arne Flemming

Robert Bosch GmbH

Elke Pusskeiler Mercedes-Benz AG



Managing Director, German Association of the Automotive

Prof. Dr. Julia Arlinghaus

Director Fraunhofer Institute for Factory Operation and Automation IFF





Past Winners

2024 Robert Bosch GmbH| 2023 Volkswagen AG| 2022 Continental AG| 2021 BMW Group / Volkswagen Konzernlogistik GmbH & Co. OHG 2020 Porsche Leipzig GmbH 2019 Continental AG 2018 MAN Truck & Bus AG / Robert Bosch GmbH 2017 AUDI AG 2015 Adam Opel AG 2014 Robert Bosch GmbH 2013 BorgWarner BERU Systems GmbH 2012 Schlemmer GmbH 2011 Knorr-Bremse Systeme für Nutzfahrzeuge GmbH| 2010 ZF Friedrichshafen AG| 2009 Robert Bosch GmbH| 2008 Webasto AG

from 8:30 | Admission

09:00-10:15 | Main Stage

Warm-up Talk and Coffee-Talk

WARM-UP TALK WITH A SUMMARY OF THE FIRST DAY AND AN OUTLOOK FOR DAY 2

Simon Schütz

Boris Felgendreher Host BVL-Podcast

COFFEE-TALK

Kai Althoff

Simon Motter

Marcus Schick

Andreas Koetz Senior Vice President,

10:15-11:00

Coffee break

Content-to-go

10:15-10:30 | OPEN STAGE

2025 TRANSPORTATION MANAGEMENT AGENDA: INNOVATE OR EXCECUTE BETTER?

Sebastian Huemmer



10:30-10:45 | OPEN STAGE

BEYOND SHELF LIFE: LONG-TERM STORAGE FOR COMPONENTS

Maximilian Krane



DELIVERY CHAIN Dr.-Ing. Wolfgang Vogl

10:45-11:00 | OPEN STAGE

MAXIMISING THE CAPACITY AND AVAILABILITY

OF LOAD CARRIER FLEETS IN THE AUTOMOTIVE

Professor of International Transportation Management and Logistics, Heilbronn University of Applied Sciences

AUTOMOTIVE LOGISTICS START-UP SCENE

11:00-12:30 | Main Stage

AI-DRIVEN CIRCULAR ECONOMY FOR RESILIENCE DIGITAL SUPPLY NETWORKS AND REVERSE SUPPLY CHAIN INTEGRA-TION THROUGH SHARED INVENTORIES

Dr. Helena Most CEO & Founder, resourcly

THE SIMPLE SOLUTION FOR COMPLEX TRANSPORTA-TION PLANNING IN THE AUTOMOTIVE SECTOR

Franz Steinkellner C00. s2data

BEYOND COMPLIANCE: HOW EMISSIONS MANAGEMENT CAN BECOME A COMPETITIVE EDGE FOR **AUTOMOTIVE LOGISTICS**

Helen Tacke CEO & Co-Founder, Cozero

BETTER DECISION MAKING IN AUTOMOTIVE SUPPLY CHAINS WITH AI

Dr. Christoph Kilger CEO + Chief Revenue Officer / Co-Founder, aioneers Technologies GmbH

PANEL DISCUSSION

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PROGRAMME, 19 FEBRUARY 2025

11:00-12:30 | Parallel Stage

Digital Product Passport (DPP)

MODERATION

Jakob Dotter

Supply Chain Digitalization Specialist, German Association of the Automotive Industry (VDA)

THE EU DIGITAL PRODUCT PASSPORT SYSTEM-APPLICATION FOR BATTERIES

Prof. Dr. Thomas Knothe

Head of Department Business Process and Factory Management Fraunhofer IPK, Chair of CEN/CENELEC JTC24 DPP System and Architectur



THE TECHNICAL AND ORGANIZATIONAL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE BATTERY

Dr. Susanne Guth-Orlowski CEO, 4TheRecord

EFFECTS ON THE AFTERMARKET

Peter Kunze Head of AS Legislation & Environment, Quality Group After Sales, Volkswagen AG



PODIUMSDISKUSSION

Jakob Dotter Supply Chain Digitalization Specialist, German Association of the Automotive Industry (VDA)

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ab 12:30-13:30

Lunch break

13:30-14:30 | Main Stage

Closing sequence

MODERATION

Kai Althoff

Chairman of the executive board, German Logistics Association (BVL)

13:30

VDA-LOGISTICS-AWARD WINNER'S SPEECH

14:00

GERMANY: NO LIGHT AT THE END OF THE TUNNEL?

Carsten Klude Chief Economist and Head of Private Asset Management, M.M.Warburg Bank

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14:25

CLOSING WORDS AND FAREWEL

Dr. Marcus Bollig Managing Director, German Association of the Automotive Industry (VDA)

Kai Althoff

Chairman of the executive board, German Logistics Association (BVL)



Day 2 | 19 February 2025

15:30-17:00 I Factory Tour GlobalFoundries Dresden

Introduction to the semiconductor industry followed by a tour of the Material Analysis Laboratory, the Development Center or the Sub-Fab

GlobalFoundries Dresden is a leading semiconductor manufacturer and part of the global company GlobalFoundries. The production facility in Dresden was opened in 1996 and has since played a significant role in the manufacturing of semiconductor products. The manufacturing facility in Dresden specializes in the production of state-of-the-art silicon wafers, which are used in a variety of electronic devices such as smartphones, computers, automobiles and other electronic applications. Around 3,000 employees from over 40 nations work at the site. GF Dresden (Fab 1) is one of the most productive and modern wafer fabs in the world and produces innovative semiconductor products for its customers. With a clean room area of 60,000 m², Fab 1 is one of the largest and most modern semiconductor plants in Europe. GF's expertise in semiconductor manufacturing and its continuous commitment to research and development as well as training and further education have contributed to make Saxony a leading centre for microand nanoelectronics in Europe.



Event Dates

Your registration for the Forum Automotive Logistics 2025 can be made online at www.forum-automobillogistik.de.

Participation fees 1.295 euros for members of the VDA and BVL 1.495 euros for non-members

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