

Press Release

Heraeus Photovoltaics President Andreas Liebheit awarded “most respected Photovoltaic industry leader”

SHANGHAI, CHINA- May 23, 2016- Heraeus Photovoltaics, President Andreas Liebheit was awarded “The most respected Photovoltaic industry leader” by organizers of the 2016 SNEC-show in Shanghai, the largest and most important Photovoltaic exhibition worldwide.

The award was granted on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of the SNEC. The SNEC highlighted Andreas Liebheit’s outstanding industry engagement and his drive for constantly increasing PV efficiency.

Over the last year, Heraeus has become the worldwide leading supplier of metallization pastes for the photovoltaic industry. With its newest product 9631C, Heraeus is able to increase efficiency of photovoltaic modules by 0.2%, a significant increase in the photovoltaic industry. It is the first time a new product is being awarded at such an early stage of market entrance.

“It is my honor to receive the very prestigious award. It’s a big encouragement for my company, my team and myself. We are committed to continue to work on new innovations and to make renewable energies the most cost effective solution of producing energy in the future”, said Andreas Liebheit.

The Heraeus Photovoltaics Business Unit is an industry leading developer, manufacturer and service provider for silver metallization pastes for the photovoltaic industry. The Heraeus SOL Series of silver pastes is specially formulated to provide higher efficiencies and wider processing windows, resulting in better yields and higher output for cell manufacturers.

About the Heraeus Photovoltaics Global Business Unit

The Heraeus Photovoltaics Global Business Unit is an industry leading developer and manufacturer of silver metallization pastes for the photovoltaic industry. For over 40 years, Heraeus has built a reputation of innovation, extensive research and new product development in thick film technologies for some of the most prominent companies within a variety of industries. In the field of photovoltaics, the Heraeus Photovoltaics Business Unit applies this history and its innovative technology to offer metallization pastes for solar cell applications. The Heraeus SOL Series of silver pastes is specially formulated to provide higher efficiencies and wider processing windows, resulting in better yields and higher output for cell manufacturers.

About the Heraeus Group

Heraeus, the technology group headquartered in Hanau, Germany, is a leading international family-owned company formed in 1851. We create high-value solutions for our customers, strengthening their competitiveness for the long term. Our activities focus on a number of markets: chemical and metals, energy and the environment, communications and electronics, health, mobility, and industrial applications. In fiscal year 2013, Heraeus achieved product revenue of €3.6 billion and precious metals trading revenue of €13.5 billion. With some 12,500 employees in over 110 subsidiaries worldwide, Heraeus holds a leading position in its global markets

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