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IoT Planet to co-locate with SEMICON Europa in 2016!

IoT Planet, a new European event dedicated to the Internet of Things (IoT), will co-locate this year with SEMICON Europa (25-27 October) in Grenoble, France. IoT Planet provides a platform of networking and business to all IoT actors from software development, data management, IT infrastructures, system integration and "Connected Objects" applications.

For over 40 years, SEMI has organized SEMICON Europa, which has served as the premier annual European event for the electronics industry. In 2016, SEMICON Europa will connect the entire electronics supply chain: from materials and equipment, to manufacturing and technology, to advanced packaging and smart system integration - with a strong emphasis on application-driven markets, including Imaging, Power Electronics, Automotive, MedTech, and Flexible Hybrid Electronics.

IoT Planet, in its second year, will cover the full IoT domain with a unique format in mixing exhibition, start-up programs, crash tests, hackathon, forums, and debates, and many other events co-designed with the Partners. IoT Planet will connect professional visitors and high tech public across the domains of IoT applications, business, services, societal and private impact and talent management.

Together, the co-located events will offer visitors many learning and networking options along an extended supply chain. The events are expected to attract over 7,000 professional visitors and more than 600 exhibiting companies.

"Tomorrow's applications will allow people to live smarter - healthier, safer, and more comfortable. The emerging opportunities are endless in smart electronic systems, but technology and system challenges must be overcome by connecting forces and by building on the strengths of different players in the value chain," says Laith Altimime, president of SEMI Europe. "The co-location of these two events perfectly supports the SEMI 2020 strategy and will accelerate SEMI's move towards covering the full electronics supply chain."

"That initiative of co-location will contribute to our fast growth and strong differentiation, while providing a unique European opportunity to explore the full value chain from Silicon to Connected Object, in Grenoble, the European capital of Nanotechnologies and Connected Things," says Alain Astier, president of IoT Planet Universal.

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About IoT Planet Universal

IoT Planet Universal, a French Company based in Grenoble, is fully devoted to the Internet of Things-IoT, addressing markets, business, applications & services and organizing "IoT Planet" events in a differentiated way with partners, for providing a unique platform of networking and business to professionals and consumers of IoT world, with the ambition to make its innovation and vision contributing to the European leadership in the current numeric revolution of economy, industry and society. IoT Planet Universal is currently developing partnerships in Europe, Asia and Americas for building-up an international network between the leading IoT ecosystems.

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