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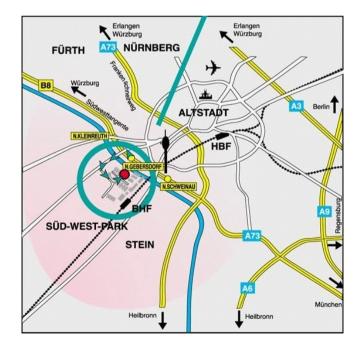
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# **Organisational information**

Organiser:ECPE e.V.<br/>90443 Nürnberg, Germany<br/>www.ecpe.orgChair of seminar:Prof. Manfred Albach, Friedrich-<br/>Alexander-Universität Erlangen<br/>Wolfgang Sammet, EPCOS AG<br/>Thomas Harder, ECPE e.V.Organisation:Ingrid Bollens, ECPE e.V.<br/>+49 (0)911 / 81 02 88 – 10<br/>ingrid.bollens@ecpe.orgPlace of seminar:Süd-West-Park Conference Centre<br/>Südwestpark 35, Building 35<br/>90449 Nürnberg, Germany



Further information (hotel list and maps) will be provided after your registration.



ECPE European Center for Power Electronics e.V.

# Seminar Passive Components

in Power Electronics

22 – 23 November 2007 Süd-West-Park Conference Centre Nürnberg, Germany



## Introduction

## **ECPE Seminar**

# Passive Components in Power Electronics

# 22 – 23 November 2007 Nürnberg, Germany

Power electronics is the key technology for effective power processing and distribution. In the past the main focus in the research areas in power electronics has been on active devices, both on power semiconductors and on the integration of control, protection and driving circuits with the main switches. Due to the already achieved progress in this field a further miniaturisation and increase in power conversion efficiency is more and more expected from the passive components and subassemblies.

The main goal of this seminar is to bring together experts from industry and university to present and discuss the current trends and the new developments related to the field of passive components. Improvements in the design of inductive and capacitive components can be expected from new materials and technologies, from innovative cooling concepts, but also from better understanding and improved analysis of the underlying loss mechanisms. Another challenging research area is the possibility of passive integration, e.g. by utilising parasitic components as part of the needed functionality or by integration of the components in substrate materials. The final part of this seminar deals with subassemblies like filters, with interconnection problems and recent developments in PCB technology for high current applications.

Prof. Manfred Albach, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen will chair the seminar together with Mr. Wolfgang Sammet (EPCOS) and Mr. Thomas Harder (ECPE). All presentations and discussions will be in English.

## Programme

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## Thursday, 22 November 2007

- 10:00 Start of Registration
- 10:30 **Opening, Welcome Address and Introduction** T. Harder, ECPE, M. Albach, University Erlangen, W. Sammet, EPCOS

#### Inductive Components

- 11:00 **High Permeability Materials** H.-J. Pöss, Magnetec (D)
- 11:30 New Power Materials and Products Capita Selecta E. J. Pateer, Ferroxcube, (NL)
- 12:00 Innovations in Soft Magnetic Products for Actual – and Future – Power Applications D. J. Huisman, Magnetics (NL)

#### 12:30 Lunch

- 13:30 The Prediction and Measurement of Different Loss Mechanisms in Ferrite Cores A. Stadler, University Erlangen (D)
- 14:00 Heat Transfer in Medium Frequency Transformers C. Gulden, STS (D)

#### Integration, Combination

14:30 Liquid Electronic Cooling U. Barucca, Aavid Thermalloy (I)

#### 15:00 Coffee Break

- 15:30 Passive Component Integration **Example: Converter Technology** J.A. Ferreira, Technical University Delft (NL) **Magnetics on Silicon for Miniaturised** 16:00 Inductors for Future and Emerging Power Supply on Chip Platforms T. O'Donnell, Tyndall National Institute (IRL) **Printed Circuit Board Integrated Passive** 16:30 **Components for Power Electronic** Applications E. Waffenschmidt, Philips Research (D) End of 1<sup>st</sup> Day's Programme 17:30
- 19:30 Dinner

# Friday, 23 November 2007

#### Capacitive Components

- 9:00 Power Capacitor Chips (PCC) for Low-Capacitance IGBT DC Links H. Vetter, EPCOS (D)
- 9:30 Ceramic Multilayer Capacitors in DC Link of Frequency Converters M. März, Fraunhofer Institute IISB (D)
- 10:00 New Concepts for Energy Storage in Mobile Applications G. Sartorelli, J. Auer, Maxwell (CH)

#### 10:30 Coffee Break

- 11:00 **The Key Role of Dielectric and Insulating Materials in Power Electronics Integration** T. Lebey, CNRS, Université Paul Sabatier Toulouse (F)
- 11:30 Dry Technology High Voltage Capacitors used in HVDC & SVC Light Power Transmission Technologies H. Fuhrmann, ABB Switzerland (CH)
  - H. Funrmann, ABB Switzenar
- 12:00 Lunch

#### Subassemblies, Modules, Applications

- 13:00 **EMC Filter and Frequency Converters** C. Paulwitz, EPCOS (D)
- 13:30 Device Connectivity for Higher Currents Example: Decentralized Automation Systems A. Naß, HARTING Electric (D)
- 14:00 High Current PCB's and Suitable Connection Techniques M. Poech, Fraunhofer Institute ISIT (D)
- 14:30 Current Handling Capability on PCBs C. Lehnberger, ANDUS Electronic GmbH
- 15:15 End of seminar