

Press release

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## More than 2,200 lighting and LED companies to feature at Asia's leading lighting exhibition

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**As the most influential and comprehensive lighting and LED event in Asia, the 24th edition of Guangzhou International Lighting Exhibition (GILE) returns from 9 – 12 June 2019 at the China Import and Export Fair Complex in Guangzhou, China. 18 state-of-the-art exhibition halls (covering 190,000 sqm gross area) will gather over 2,200 companies to showcase comprehensive lighting technologies and the latest LED technology solutions, meeting sourcing needs and providing a platform for the exchange of market information and exploration of new business opportunities.**

Ms Lucia Wong, Deputy General Manager of Messe Frankfurt (HK) Ltd commented on the upcoming fair: "Over the past 23 years, we have witnessed countless successful business activities. For exhibitors and buyers from around the world, GILE is a one-stop sourcing platform, promoting the development of new markets by encouraging cross-industry procurement. As a new era of lighting dawns, illumination will integrate different technologies, sectors and equipment, inspiring the production and design of new lighting products. During all of this we will continue to serve as a leading exhibition for the lighting industry."

GILE will showcase a comprehensive range of products and technologies, covering all aspects of the industry chain, including manufacturing, technology research and application. As one of the most influential lighting exhibitions in Asia, prominent lighting companies from around the world have confirmed their presence at GILE 2019. Some of the leading participating brands include:

### **Lighting applications, accessories and electronic components**

Alanod, BJB, FEELUX, OML, Pelucchi, WAGO, LEDLINK OPTICS, Ligman, MLS, YD, FSL, Changfang, Tecnon, Pccooler, Tospo, Fumagalli, Pwinner and INESA

### **LED chips, packages, modules and light engines**

Bridgelux, Citizen, Cree, Refond, RFsemi, ShineON, Sunpu Opto, Edison, Everlight, HC SemiTek, Hongli Zhihui, Oalante, Luminus and Nationstar

### **LED drivers, driver ICs and controllers**

Mean Well, MOSO, PI, POWI, Chenglian, Donlim, Infineon and Inventronics

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## **LED components and packing materials**

KMT, S Polytech, Bai Yun, Dow Corning and Humanchem

## **LED inspection, testing and production equipment**

Wanhua, Everfine, Han's Laser, Inventfine and KLIC

## **THINKLIGHT: Envisage The Next Move**

Guangzhou International Lighting Exhibition's concurrent event programme once again returns to bring some of the most influential lighting industry experts to the heart of the show. Designed to highlight and provide insight into some of the most pressing issues facing the lighting community, this year's programme will encourage debate and collaborative thinking via a series of panel discussions held on the main Pearl Promenade stage.

These panel discussions will gather leading domestic and international experts and thoughtleaders stage to discuss what is next for the lighting industry. Whether it's the exciting possibilities of a new era of AIoT and 5G or to evolving digital technologies that allow us to reinvent the ways in which lighting is designed, installed and perceived, the discussion panels will be insightful and not to be missed.

Two parallel sessions in the main halls will facilitate discussion about possible directions that industry players may take over the coming years. The "Leap Forward" session will examine technological innovations like micro LEDs, UV, IR and LiFi, new materials and applications as well as insights into the fast-approaching 5G era.

The second parallel session "Back to Basics. Illuminate Ingenuity" is designed to encourage the lighting industry to not neglect its core purpose – effective and inspiring illumination. Aspects such as human-centric lighting and high-quality colour consistency and rendering will take priority in order to maintain and cultivate new standards of excellence.

Looking ahead to GILE 2019, Ms Wong added: "A new era, a new lifestyle and new lighting – this concept injects new vitality to the industry. By envisaging the next move of the lighting community together, it is hoped that we can all embrace this renewed energy, take a moment to consider lighting and provide new value for illumination. GILE will strive to work together with the lighting industry to produce better lighting and consequently a better life for its users."

The Guangzhou International Lighting Exhibition is a part of Messe Frankfurt's Light + Building Technology fairs headed by the biennial Light + Building event.

Messe Frankfurt also offers a series of other light and building technology events worldwide, including the Shanghai International Lighting Fair, Thailand Lighting Fair, BIEL Light + Building in Argentina, Light Middle East in the United Arab Emirates, Interlight Moscow powered by Light + Building in Russia as well as Light India, the LED Expo New Delhi, and the LED Expo Mumbai in India.

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**Background information on Messe Frankfurt**

Messe Frankfurt is the world's largest trade fair, congress and event organiser with its own exhibition grounds. With more than 2,500\* employees at 30 locations, the company generates annual sales of around €715\* million. Thanks to its far-reaching ties with the relevant sectors and to its international sales network, the Group looks after the business interests of its customers effectively. A comprehensive range of services – both onsite and online – ensures that customers worldwide enjoy consistently high quality and flexibility when planning, organising and running their events. The wide range of services includes renting exhibition grounds, trade fair construction and marketing, personnel and food services. With its headquarters in Frankfurt am Main, the company is owned by the City of Frankfurt (60 percent) and the State of Hesse (40 percent).

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\*preliminary figures 2018