

solarpeq ready to launch

Messe Düsseldorf presents a new engineering trade fair for solar production equipment – registration now open

Effective immediately, companies from the field of solar production technology, such as manufacturers of machinery, plants, components and materials for the production of solar end-products, may register for “solarpeq – International Trade Fair for Solar Production Equipment” at www.solarpeq.de/1330. The first edition of the four-day trade fair will be held at the Düsseldorf Exhibition Centre in tandem with glasstec, from 28 September to 1 October 2010. With around 1,300 participating companies, glasstec is the uncontested leading international trade fair for the glass industry, glass machinery manufacturers and the glazier trade. Even at its first edition, solarpeq is already enjoying a stable foundation: at glasstec 2008, more than 150 companies presented about 50% of the technologies required for the production of solar end-products. The number of exhibitors in the area of manufacturing technology for thin-film photovoltaics as well as the multitude of exhibited machinery and plants in operation propelled glasstec to a leading international event in this segment.

solarpeq 2010 directly taps into glasstec’s success. The trade fair categories cover all aspects of solar production technology, including crystalline and thin-film photovoltaics. It is thus designed for companies that offer machinery and plants for the production and processing of silicon, ingots and wafers, solar cells or modules, or production engineering components or materials. glasstec, on the other hand, will continue to serve as the platform for innovative solar applications such as building-integrated photovoltaics. The visitor groups targeted for solarpeq include silicon producers, ingot and wafer manufacturers, cell producers, module makers or turnkey suppliers, machinery and plant builders, production planners and outfitters as well as project developers.

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“solarpeq is the ideal complement to the hitherto existing ranges on display in the solar sector presented at glasstec. The combination of solarpeq and glasstec covers the entire value-added chain, from raw materials to applications under one roof,” explains Joachim Schäfer, Managing Director at Messe Düsseldorf. Egbert Wenninger, Member of the Board of Management of the Grenzebach Maschinenbau GmbH, a long-term glasstec exhibitor, agrees, “We welcome the addition of solarpeq to glasstec. Production technology is the decisive factor in the race for competitive prices for solar power in the photovoltaics industry. Cost-saving innovations in this area provide forward momentum for the entire sector. The combination of solarpeq and glasstec allows us to approach international customers against the backdrop of an established, leading international trade fair.”

The last glasstec with its comprehensive supporting programme comprised of Special Shows, professional symposia and conferences attracted 55,000 trade visitors to Düsseldorf, 56% of whom came from abroad. With 68%, the ratio of international exhibitors was even higher.

Registration documents, a detailed profile, visitor target groups, list of exhibits, exhibition site map and solar-related structural data for solarpeq are available at www.solarpeq.de. Allocation of the stand areas starts on 15 December 2009.

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