International Forum 2-3 September 2025

Zittau/Görlitz University of Applied Sciences

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Use Cases, Best Practices & New Impulses in Three Key Areas:

- Metal 3D Printing & Polymer Applications
- 3D Printing in Construction
- Additive Manufacturing in the Healthcare Sector

Call for Contributions!

Are you already using 3D printing successfully in your company or have you implemented an innovative cooperation project? Then show us how it works! Submit your proposal for a 20-minute presentation – we are looking for handson examples that will inspire others: What do you print, and how? When is the use of 3D printing worthwhile? Which collaborations were key?

Submission deadline: 27 June 2025, Send your proposal via email to: Leonie.Liemich@hszg.de More information: life-and-technology.eu

















Programme*

2nd September 2025

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How to register & further information?

Register till 29th of August here: https://events.dresden.ihk.de/b?p=saechsisch-tschechisch-polnische-konferenz-additive-fertigung

If you have any questions, please contact us by mail: Leonie.Liemich@hszg.de or zahradnik.jiri@dresden.ihk.de

Till 5:00 pm

Arrival

ARNELL & ARNIO GmbH, Drausendorfer Str. 2, 02763 Zittau

5:00-5:15 pm

Opening

- Jiří Zahradník, Chamber of Commerce Zittau [DE]
- Leonie Liemich, University of Applied Sciences Zittau/Görlitz [DE]
- Thomas Scholz, ARNIO & ARNELL GmbH Zittau [DE]

5:15-6:00 pm

Keynote: Redefininung Cycling with Additive Manufacturing

• Martin Rípa, Posedla [CZ]

6:00-6:30 pm

Innovative components for energy efficient battery production- additive manufacturing and digital twin approach

• Rico Fahr, ARNIO GmbH Zittau [DE]

6:30-7:00 pm

Company tour ARNIO & ARNELL GmbH

• Thomas Scholz, Managing Director

from 7:00 pm

Networking & Barbecue

ARNIO Outdoor Area

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from 8:00 am

Registration for the participants

• Foyer, University of Applied Sciences Zittau/Görlitz, Theodor-Körner-Allee 8, 02763 Zittau

8:30-9:15 am IWU

Networking Breakfast at Fraunhofer IWU

- Dr. Matthias Schulze, Fraunhofer IWU [DE]
- Fraunhofer Institute for Machine Tools and Forming Technology Theodor-Körner-Allee 6, 02763 Zittau

9:15-9:30 am Lecture hall

Short welcome & presentation of the day's programme

- Prof. Sebastian Scholz, Fraunhofer IWU [DE]
- Lecture hall, University of Applied Sciences Zittau/Görlitz, Theodor-Körner-Allee 8, 02763 Zittau

9:30-10:00 am Lecture hall

Keynote: Series production with 3D printing: from prototypes to 20,000 units

• Eduard Ulrich, GKN powder metallurgy, [DE]

10:00-11:00 am Lecture hall

SESSION 1: ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING WITH A FOCUS ON METAL 3D PRINTING

3D-Metal Printing for car industry

• Jakub Fulka, MSV SYSTEMS CZ s.r.o. [CZ]

Additive manufacturing of highly stressed functional surfaces

- Felix Schoch, GSD Druckgusstechnik GmbH [DE]
- Dr. Arnd Friedrichs, Dr. Friedrichs Unternehmensberatung [DE]

Possibilities of 3D printing of tools for hot forging, hot aluminum extrusion, and aluminum casting with conformal cooling channels.

 Paweł Widomski, PhD, Center for Materials Engineering and Metal Forming, Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, Wrocław University of Science and Technology, Wrocław [PL]

Special solutions of valves for liquids, gas, etc.

• Ronny Hausmann, DRUKON GmbH [DE]

11:00-11:30 am

Coffee Break & Discussions

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11:30-12:30 am Lecture hall

SESSION 2: COMBINATION OF DIFFERENT MATERIALS IN 3D PRINTING

Ceramics, Metals, Polymers - Combine Material Properties in a single Printing Process

• Dr. Robert Johne, AMAREA Technology GmbH [DE]

Use Cases of Industrial Plastic & Metal Printing

Łukasz Kuban, SPES3D, Wrocław [PL]

Mopedix- 3D-printed components for the electric motorcycle of the future

• Jindřich Melichar, Mopedix s.r.o. [CZ]

ProtoPlastMaker 4.0 - a robotic hybrid system for manufacturing large-format 3D prints using polymer granules: possibilities and applications.

• Dr. Karol Miądlicki, Dr. Paweł Herbin - Maritime University of Technology in Szczecin, Faculty of Mechatronics and Electrical Engineering [PL]

Al4MultiDirectAM - Common Project for Development of Large-Scale Polymer 3D printing

- Michal Amrich, Entry Engineering [CZ]
- Daniel Koleci, Entry Engineering [CZ]
- Dr. Matthias Schulze, Fraunhofer IWU [DE]

12:30-1:30 pm

Lunch Break & Networking

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1:30-2:15 pm Room 0.04

SESSION 3: MEDICAL USE CASES OF AM (IN ENGLISH)

Spatial Computing and 3D Printing in Neurosurgery

• Dr. Ronny Grunert, University Hospital Leipzig (UKL) and Fraunhofer IWU [DE]

Applied 3D printing in oral and maxillofacial surgery

• Dr. Filip Bašovský, Regional Hospital Liberec, Oral, Maxillofacial and Facial Surgery (CZ)

Use Cases in medical industry

Daniel Jankovič, COTU [CZ]

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1:30-2:15 pm Lecture hall

SESSION 4: 3D PRINTING IN THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY

3D printed BUS STOP "Libského"

• Kristýna Uhrová, ICE Coral 3D Printing, [CZ]

3D concrete printing at TU Dresden: Lab to SiteTechnical University Dresden [DE]

• Shravan Muthukrishnan, Technical University Dresden [DE]

3D printed Church for Liberec

- Prof. Jiří Suchomel, Technical University Liberec [CZ]
- Vladimír Balda, Technical University Liberec [CZ]

2:15-2:45 pm

Coffee Break and Discussions

2:45-3:30 pm Lecture hall SESSION 5: CROSS BORDER COOPERATION, CLUSTER & NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

"Networking for more economic power? Opportunities and risks" (Cluster B3Dneo)

- Sabine Scholz, neoNET e.V. [DE]
- Dr. Ines Dani, Building3D e.V. [DE]

Lubuski Metal Cluster

Dr. Karol Miadlicki, Department of Robotics and Control [PL]

Optional workshop offer with cooperation initiation/informal exchange at SME stands

3:30-4:30 pm

Farewell & journey home

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