



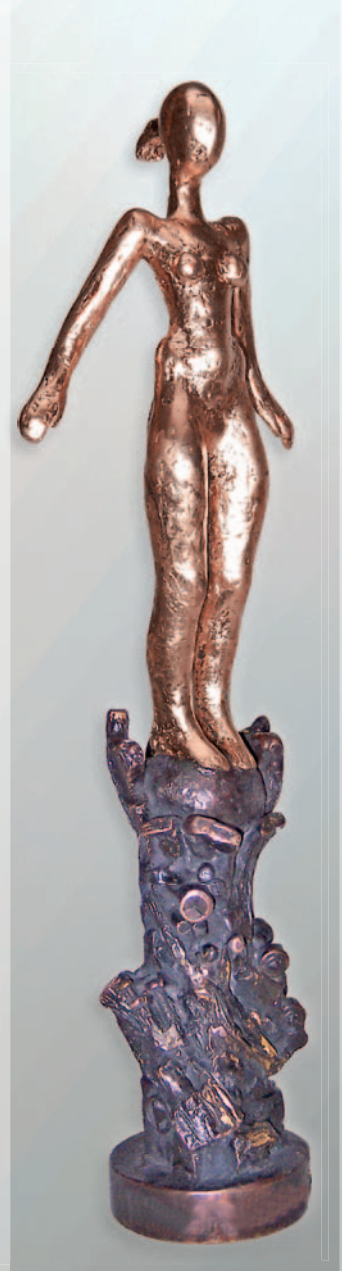
Automotive Circle International

EuroCarBody 2013

15th Global Car Body Benchmarking Conference

22 – 24 October 2013
Bad Nauheim \ Germany

Presentation and comparison of the most innovative car bodies from Europe, Japan and the United States



Exclusive car body presentations from:
BMW Chevrolet Fiat Ford Honda Infiniti Lamborghini
Lexus Mercedes-Benz Opel Range Rover Renault

English/German simultaneous translation





Statements about EuroCarBody

FOR ME, EUROCARBODY IS ONE OF THE MOST INTERESTING AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY CONFERENCES IN RELATION TO CAR BODY DEVELOPMENT AND PRODUCTION. THE EXHIBITION OF THE LATEST VEHICLES AND WHITE CAR BODIES, THE PRESENTATION OF INNOVATIVE DEVELOPMENT TECHNOLOGIES AND LIKewise THE PERSONAL EXCHANGE WITH INTERNATIONAL EXPERTS AND EXHIBITING SUPPLIERS ARE OF GREAT PROFESSIONAL BENEFIT TO CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS. MANY VALUABLE CONTACTS HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED THERE, AND SOME PROJECTS WERE EVEN INITIATED DIRECTLY ON SITE!

Gerald Creter, Adam Opel AG, DE

FOR US, EUROCARBODY IS THE HIGHLIGHT AMONG THE TRADE CONFERENCES. PRESENTATION OF THE LATEST WHITE CAR BODIES PROVIDES EXCELLENT BENCHMARKING FOR US AS SUPPLIERS.

Arndt Pohl, PROFIL Verbindungstechnik, DE

WE VIEW THE EUROCARBODY CONFERENCE AS THE PREMIER EVENT FOR BODY ENGINEERS. IT OFFERS THE OPPORTUNITY TO SEE AND DISCUSS THE LATEST BODY TECHNOLOGY FROM AROUND WORLD, INTERACTING DIRECTLY WITH THE ENGINEERS INVOLVED IN THE DEVELOPMENT AND PRODUCTION OF EACH MODEL PRESENTED. THE CONFERENCE IS ALWAYS VERY WELL ORGANIZED AND SHOWCASES THE LATEST TRENDS IN HIGHLY EFFICIENT, MASS PRODUCTION AUTOMOTIVE BODY CONSTRUCTION. EUROCARBODY IS ALWAYS AT THE TOP OF OUR 'MUST ATTEND' LIST.

Robert Zum Mallen, Honda R&D Americas, US

THE EUROCARBODY CONFERENCE IS THE PLACE TO BE REGARDING ALL QUESTIONS ON BODY ENGINEERING. NO OTHER EVENT GIVES SUCH A FOCUSED OVERVIEW ON STATE OF THE ART BIW TECHNOLOGIES ACCOMPANIED BY OPEN AND INTENSE EXPERT DISCUSSIONS. THE BEAUTIFUL LOCATION FINALLY ADDS A SPECIAL GARNISH TO THIS EVENT.

Carsten Höfer, Hyundai Motor Europe, DE

International OEM Board



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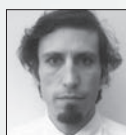
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The EuroCarBody

- \\ Experience the current state-of-the-art and most recent trends in series car body engineering.
- \\ Discuss trends and innovations with car body engineers from all over the world.
- \\ Inspect the bodies-in-white of newest series car bodies of leading international OEMs, in detail, directly on-site.
- \\ Expand your network of expert engineers in the international car body construction field.
- \\ Collect standardised car body benchmark data across various car segments.
- \\ Help decide the winners of the EuroCarBody Awards 2013, the highest accolade in car body engineering.



MONDAY, 21 OCTOBER 2013

17.30 h – Welcome reception and conference registration
19.30 h

TUESDAY, 22. OCTOBER 2013

8.00 h Conference registration
9.30 h Welcome address and conference introduction
Franziska Moennig, Dr. Dirk Meine, Andrea Huber,
Automotive Circle International, DE

10.00 h



PRESENTATION 1

Alfa Romeo 4C

Maurizio Consalvo, Federico Ferrero, Maurizio Passariello
Fiat Group Automobiles S.p.A., IT



11.30 h



PRESENTATION 2

BMW i3

Dr. Bernhard Dressler, Jürgen Korzonnek, Thomas Seelbach
BMW AG, DE



13.00 h

Business Lunch &
NEW CAR SHOW – Board members and speakers will be presenting their complete vehicles on the outside terrace

15.00 h



PRESENTATION 3

Chevrolet Corvette Stingray

Peter M. Parlow, Robert D. Muzichuk, Gregory S. Warden
General Motors Company, US



16.30 h



PRESENTATION 4

Ford Transit Custom

Lars Reifenstein, N.N.
Ford-Werke GmbH, DE



18.00 h

Get-together

19.00 h

EuroCarBody Night



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WEDNESDAY, 23 OCTOBER 2013

8.00 h



HONDA
The Power of Dreams

PRESENTATION 5
Honda Fit
Masahiko Emura¹, Yuki Ohkawa¹, Kazuhisa Hada²
¹Honda R&D Co., Ltd, ²Honda Engineering Co., Ltd, JP



10.00 h




INFINITI

PRESENTATION 6
Infiniti Q50
Daisuke Kudou, Atsushi Tanaka
Nissan Motor Company Ltd., JP



11.30 h



AUTOMOBILI LAMBORGHINI

PRESENTATION 7
Lamborghini Aventador
Luciano De Oto, Massimiliano Corticelli
Automobili Lamborghini S.p.A., IT



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LEXUS

PRESENTATION 8
Lexus IS
Naoki Kobayashi, Takashi Sagisaka, N.N.
Toyota Motor Corp., JP



16.30 h



Mercedes-Benz

PRESENTATION 9
Mercedes-Benz S-Class
Frank Michalak, Matthias Hofer, Martin Ebner
Daimler AG, DE



18.00 h Get-together

19.00 h EuroCarBody Dinner

BODY-IN-WHITES & NEW VEHICLES ON-SITE



THURSDAY, 24 OCTOBER 2013

8.00 h



Wir leben Autos.

PRESENTATION 10

Opel Cascada

Michael Küpper, Christoph Dudenhöffer, Dirk Potthast
Adam Opel AG, DE



9.30 h



PRESENTATION 11

Range Rover Sport

Dr. Mark White, Simon Black, Demosthenes Hoursoglou
Jaguar Land Rover, GB



11.00 h



PRESENTATION 12

Renault Captur

Laurence Parisot, Frederic Roy
Renault SAS, FR



12.30 h

Business Lunch

14.00 h

EuroCarBody Awards

Announcement of the voting results and bestowal of the EuroCarBody Awards 2013

14.15 h

Farewell to all board members, speakers and conference participants

* Subject to change. Last update: 1 July 2013



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\\ REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

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\\ DATE

22 – 24 October 2013

\\ THE VENUE

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www.dolce-bad-nauheim-hotel.com

We kindly ask you to make your own hotel room reservation as soon as possible as the hotel capacities in Bad Nauheim are limited during the time of the EuroCarBody. Accommodation is available at the conference hotel, which holds single rooms at the rate of € 132,- incl. breakfast. Please refer to “Automotive Circle”. A list of hotels will be sent to you together with your confirmation of participation. The list of hotels is also available at www.automotive-circle.com.

\\ CONFERENCE FEES

Early-bird rate: 2.299,- €* available until 31 July 2013

Standard fee: 2.499,- €*

*all fees plus 19% German VAT

All conferences in Europe are subject to VAT. To reclaim, please contact your local tax office.

Conference places are limited. The participation authorization results from the order of the written application forms. Please note that all conference fees have to be paid before the start of the conference. Otherwise the organiser may refuse access to the conference.

\\ CONFERENCE SERVICES

All delegates will receive the complete conference materials (conference proceedings and list of delegates) as well as the authority for downloading the presentations on the internet. Also included are coffee and lunch breaks as well as the participation at the evening networking events. The download area on the internet will be available three days prior to the conference. The address code will be sent to you approx. one week before the start of the event.

\\ INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPATION

The conference participation is only valid for the total period of the conference 22 – 24 October 2013 and is not bookable for individual days. Please note: Substitutions may only be made once per conference participation. Any other changes will be charged with 150 € plus 19% German VAT.

\\ CONFERENCE LANGUAGE

The conference will be translated simultaneously into English and German. Please note that the contents of lectures and presentations at simultaneously interpreted conferences are predominantly composed in the English language.



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Connecting outstanding experts
on car body manufacturing,
painting and assembly

\\ CANCELLATIONS

Fees will be refunded in full if notice of cancellation is received by 24 September 2013. 50 % of the conference fees will be refunded in case notification of cancellation is received later, but not later than 8 October 2013. Delegates who fail to attend without notifying the organizer will be liable for the whole conference fees. Substitutions of delegates may be made at any time. Cancellations and changes should be notified in writing. In all cases postmark shall apply. Any fees to be refunded will be paid after the end of the conference. The organizer reserves the right to change the programme content or to cancel the event due to important reasons. Cancellation fees of third parties that may appear in this context will not be reimbursed.

\\ DATA PROTECTION

Vincenz Network produces a list of delegates for each event which may include the following information: company name, address (zip code, city, country), name and job function of delegate. This list of delegates will be made available for all conference delegates, speakers, exhibitors and sponsors of the event, who may use the data for promotional purposes. Objection against publication and circulation of this data may be made at any time until 3 weeks prior to the event and has to be made in writing to the organizer. Company's name, city and country might be published on the Internet as reference for upcoming Automotive Circle International-conferences.

\\ PLEASE NOTE

By registering you understand that your participation and attendance at the conference may be videotaped, filmed and/or audio recorded. You agree that the recording may be used for any lawful purposes that Vincenz Network, or its designees, in their sole discretion, may determine. The address data are processed for customer service and information purposes in compliance with the German Federal Data Protection Law.

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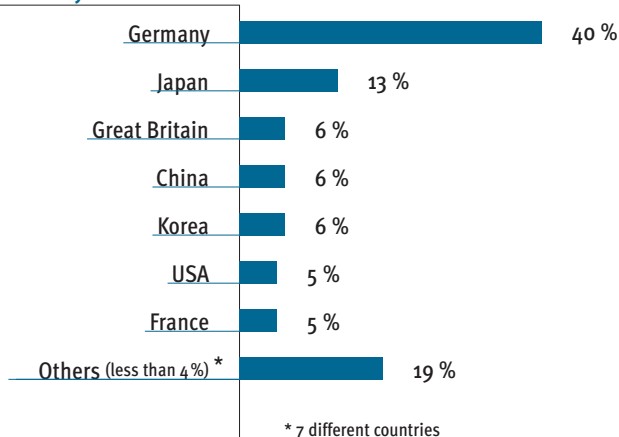
The conference addresses

Automotive engineers in predevelopment, development, planning and production from important international OEM as well as their system suppliers and engineering service providers, within the entire process chain “painted car body”.

Participants 2012



Delegates by Country 2012



YOUR PRESENTATION PLATFORM

Come on board as a EuroCarBody exhibitor or sponsor – and present your latest products and services related to car body engineering. Take advantage of this communication platform for a professional exchange between suppliers and manufacturer in this specific field.



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Highlights at the EuroCarBody

WELCOME RECEPTION

On **Monday, 21 October 2013** from 17:30 h to 19:30 h, on the evening prior to the conference, the Automotive Circle International invites all participants who have already arrived to a welcome cocktail. Use this opportunity to meet business partners, clients and colleagues whilst picking up your personal conference materials.



EUROCARBODY NIGHT

On **Tuesday, 22 October 2013** in direct succession to the conference the Automotive Circle International invites all conference delegates to a special Networking Night. Within the exhibition and conference area you will be given plenty of possibilities to mix and mingle whilst enjoying snacks, drinks and music. These settings are sure to bring a maximum of conversations.



NEW CAR SHOW

On **22/23 October 2013** all participants have the opportunity to inspect the complete vehicles on the outside terrace of the Hotel Dolce Bad Nauheim during the lunch break. Speakers and board members will be available for demonstrations and further questions at the full vehicles, which can be inspected from the outside and inside. Use this opportunity to study the implementation of the body in white in the full vehicle and to deepen your contacts.



EUROCARBODY DINNER

On **Wednesday, 23 October 2013** the Automotive Circle International invites all conference delegates to the special EuroCarBody Night, the highlight of the conference. Use this evening to strengthen your contacts in a friendly and warm atmosphere.



EUROCARBODY AWARDS

On **Thursday, 24 October 2013** the OEM board of experts and the entire international expert audience of the conference will have decided through their votes on this year's EuroCarBody Award 2013, the highest accolade worldwide in car body engineering. The winners will be announced at the end of the conference!



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Conference Registration

Company

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First Name

Title

e-mail

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UNTIL 31 JULY!**

Methods of payment

Please note that all payments must be made before the start of the conference.

Please charge my credit card

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