

Press Release

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New President of European Engine Power Plant Association

EUGINE, the European engine power plant association, elected Hermann Kröger, Senior Vice-President at MAN Energy Solutions as new President. He succeeds Kari Hietanen, Executive Vice-President of Wärtsilä Corporation, who led the association since its founding in 2014 and will continue to serve as Vice-President of the association, together with Dan Sundell, General Manager at Caterpillar Energy Solutions.

Hermann Kröger highlighted the capability and advantages of engine power plants in converting also renewable gases or liquid fuels into electricity and heat as one of the key messages for EUGINE over the next years: “Dispatchable power provided by engine power plants will be of high value for Europe’s energy system – and is a no-regret option, as these plants can switch to renewable gases whenever available”

Outgoing president Kari Hietanen said: “An energy system dominated by wind and sun, variable renewables, needs a flexible power generation technology to ensure the stable supply of power and heat at all times. This is what our technology can do best and what is more and more understood in Brussels”

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EUGINE is the centre of knowledge for engine power plant technology and electricity market design. Its members are the leading European manufacturers of engine power plants and their key components. They provide forward-looking solutions for flexible electricity generation. EUGINE works with EU and national institutions in order to help the European electricity system to meet the challenges of today and tomorrow.

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