

# CIPS 2020

## 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Integrated Power Electronics Systems

March, 24 – 26, 2020,  
Berlin, Germany

### Conference focus

In the next decades, power electronic system development will be driven by energy saving systems, intelligent energy management, power quality, system miniaturization and high reliability. Monolithic and hybrid system integration will comprise advanced device concepts including wide bandgap devices, new packaging technologies and the overall integration of actuators/drives (mechatronic integration).

CIPS is consequently focused on the following main aspects:

- **assembly and interconnect technology for power electronic devices and converters**
- **integration of hybrid systems and mechatronic systems with high power density**
- **systems' and components' operational behaviour and reliability**

Basic technologies for integrated power electronic systems as well as upcoming new important applications will be presented in interdisciplinary invited papers.

In 2020 the successful story of CIPS will continue as the conference's focus is today more important than ever – increasing functionality, energy efficiency and system reliability while decreasing cost.

We invite all engineers and scientists coming from industry and academia engaged in power electronics-related

- system development
- component development
- reliability engineering
- basic and applied research

to share their research and technical achievements joining CIPS 2020.

Picture: Sarah Rügen + (center module) Semikron



### Conference topics

Applications are wide spread over areas such as

- transportation: automotive, railway, aircraft
- power electronics in the grid, in particular for renewable energy: wind, solar ...
- drives and power supplies

#### 1. Components to be integrated

- advanced silicon devices and monolithic integration
- wide bandgap devices and monolithic integration
- gate drivers
- passive components
- sensors and actuators

#### 2. General aspects of packaging

- system and component packaging
- assembly concepts, embedded power, 3D integration
- new materials and interconnects
- high voltage insulation
- design for high temperature applications
- cooling concepts
- interface materials
- multi-domain CAD (electrical, thermal, mechanical) as design tool

#### 3. Power packages and modules

- bare chip packaging
- discrete semiconductor packages
- hermetic semiconductor packages
- power semiconductor modules
- heterogeneous integration, power system-in-package

#### 4. Mechatronic systems and their applications

- integration with sensors and actuators
- integration of power electronics into electric machines
- overall system optimisation

#### 5. Reliability

- reliability requirements, mission profiles
- physics of failure, robustness validation
- prognostics and health management
- modeling and simulation of lifetime
- intelligent reliability testing
- failure analysis

#### 6. Clean switching, electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)

- parasitics and interferences, low inductance design
- electrodynamically optimised design
- optimised control through driving scheme
- filters



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## Call for Papers

Experts from industry and research institutes wishing to present results of their recent research are cordially invited to submit a paper. Accepted papers will be presented in either oral or poster sessions.

Please submit a pdf formatted abstract in English with a length of two pages including figures, tables & references showing summary, motivation, approach and results. The paper should be headed by title, authors' names and affiliations.

Please register your paper using the EDAS online registration at [www.cips-conference.de](http://www.cips-conference.de). If you have already a personal account, please login with your username and password. Otherwise first create a new account, and then register your paper.

## Paper Review

A two-stage review process will be applied:

1. The Technical Program Committee will review the abstracts and decide upon the acceptance.
2. Each full paper will be reviewed by peer reviewers. It shall be
  - within conference scope
  - fulfilling the requirements regarding clarity, presentation, innovation and possible realisation
  - readable in the proper format as defined by IEEE.

If this would not be the case, the author will be requested to send a revised paper for further review.

## Please note:

- After acceptance, the authors are asked to submit the full paper with a length of up to 6 pages for publication.
- The proceedings will be published by VDE Verlag; presented papers will in addition be available on IEEE Xplore®.
- Papers previously presented and published in the Conference Proceedings of CIPS can be considered for publication in IEEE Transactions on Power Electronics when improved with additions beyond the conference paper, which needs to be referenced, cf. Guidelines for Manuscript Submission to IEEE Transactions on Power Electronics.
- By submitting your full paper we assume that you have accepted the copyright-statement: [www.vde.com/typing-instructions](http://www.vde.com/typing-instructions).
- After the conference, the presentations will be made available for all participants on a password protected file server.

## Chairs

**General Chairs** **Leo Lorenz**, ECPE e.V.  
**Thomas Harder**, ECPE e.V.

**Technical Chairs** **Andreas Lindemann**,  
Otto-von-Guericke-University Magdeburg  
**Nando Kaminski**, University of Bremen

**Honorary Chairs** **Dieter Silber**, University of Bremen  
**Eckhard Wolfgang**, ECPE e.V.

## Important Dates

**Submission of abstracts (extended)**...September 15, 2019  
**Notification of acceptance**..... October 15, 2019  
**Submission of full papers** .....December 2, 2019  
**Notification of acceptance Full Paper** .....January 15, 2020  
**Deadline for early bird registration** .....January 31, 2020  
**Conference begin** ..... March 24, 2020

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European Center for Power Electronics e.V.

The industry-driven research network for power electronics in Europe with more than 190 member organisations is promoting research, education, training and public relations in power electronics.

[www.ecpe.org](http://www.ecpe.org)

## Conference venue

Mercure Hotel MOA Berlin  
Stephanstrasse 41  
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## Discover Berlin

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